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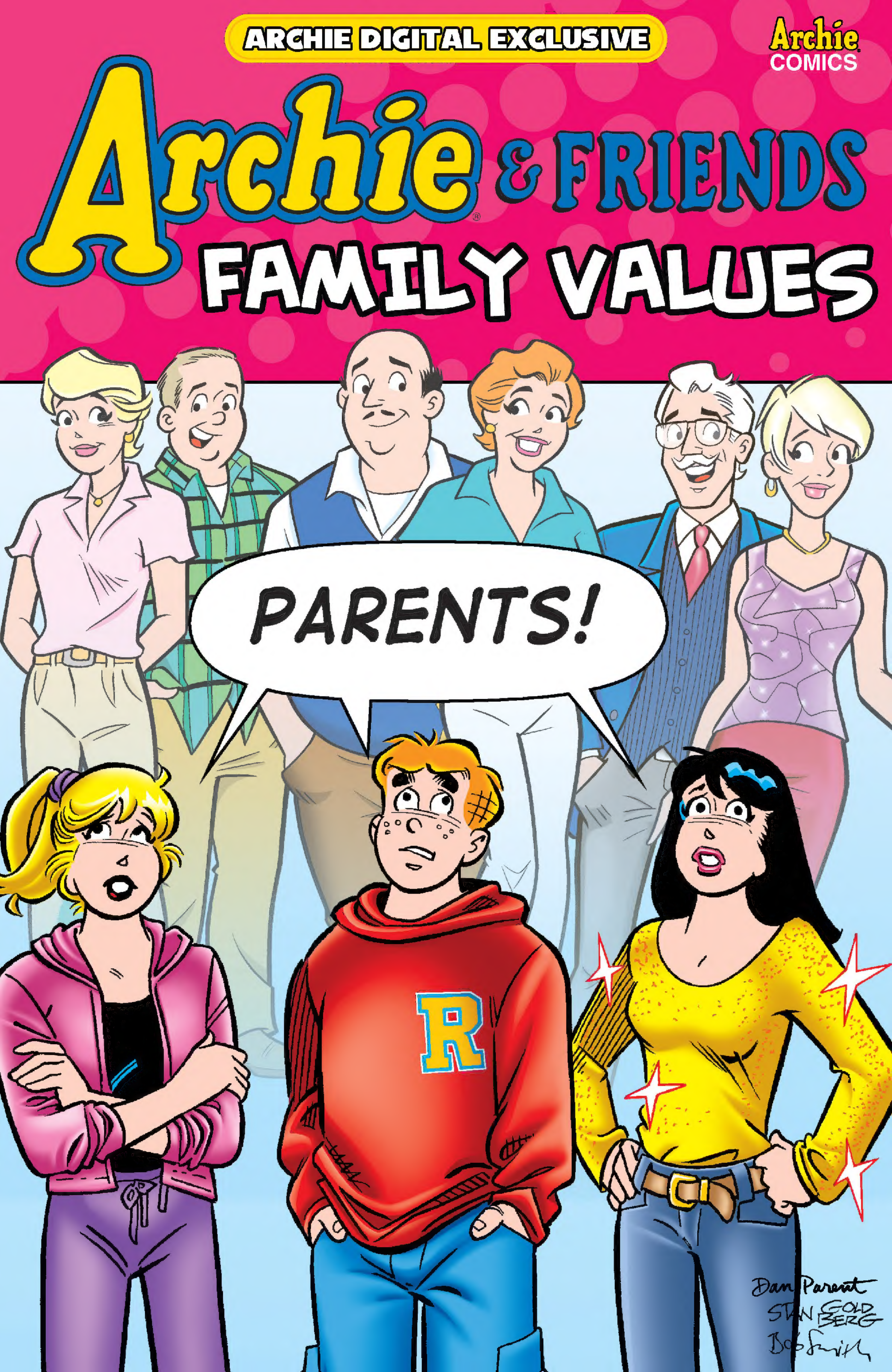

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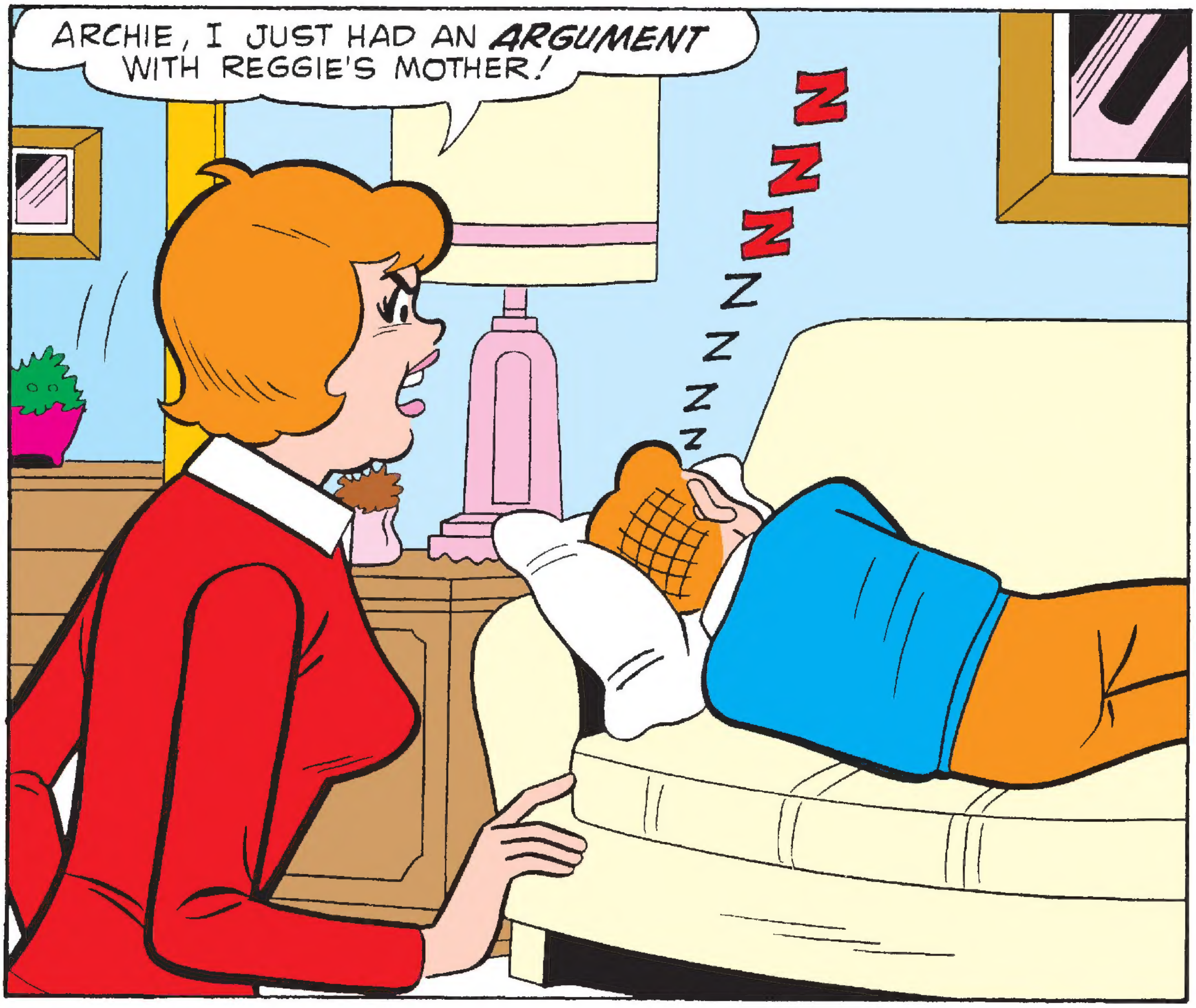
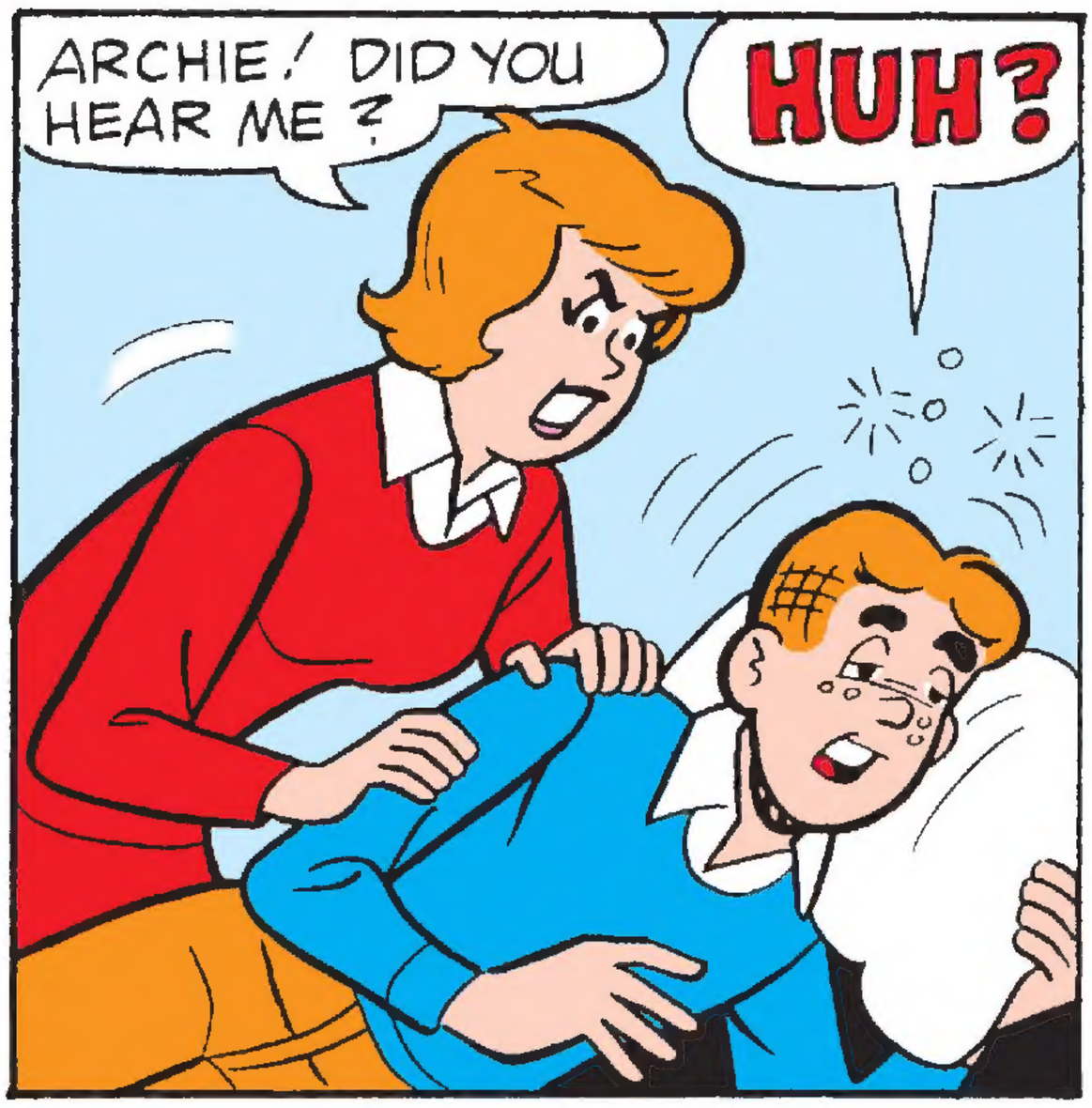
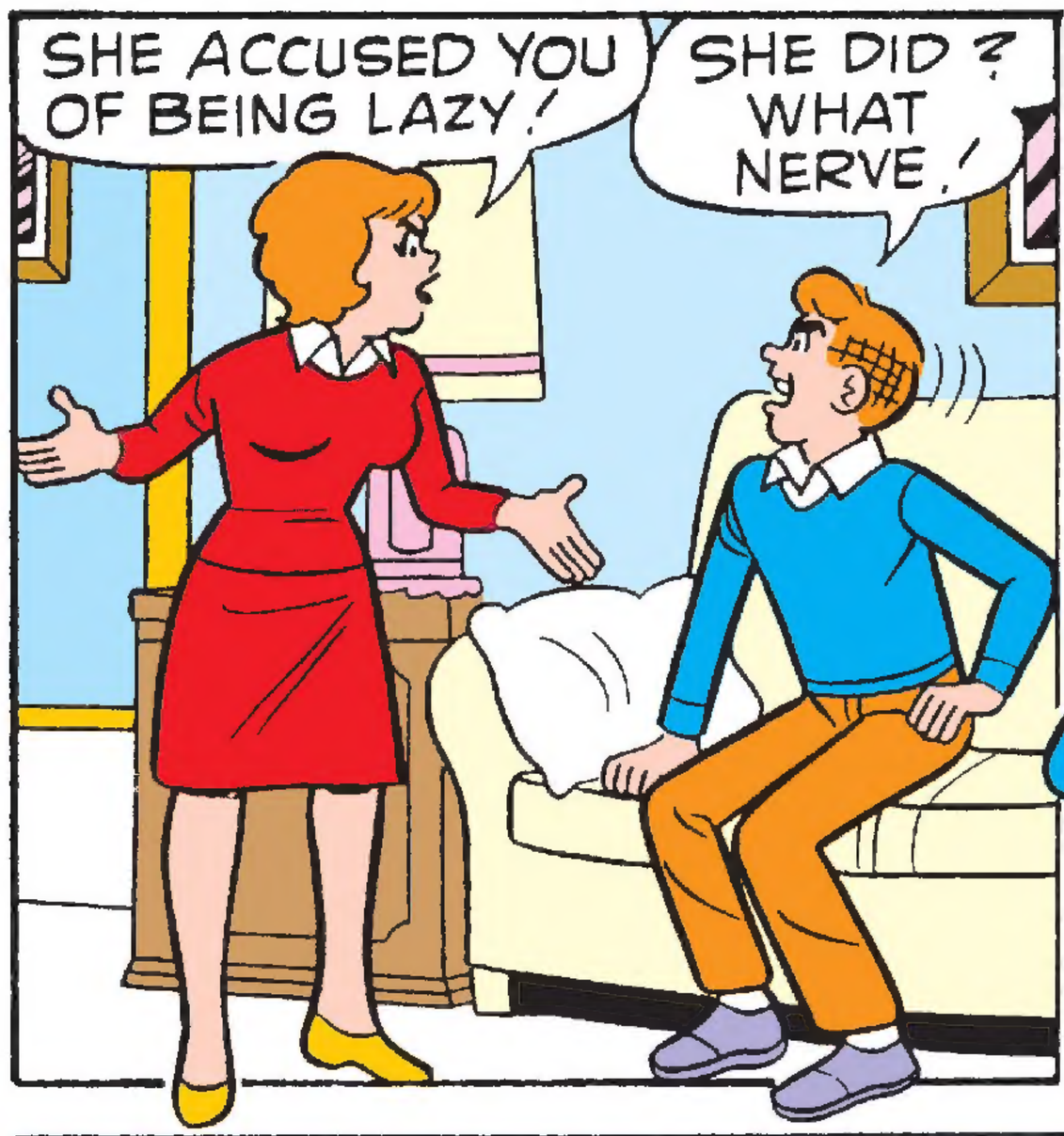
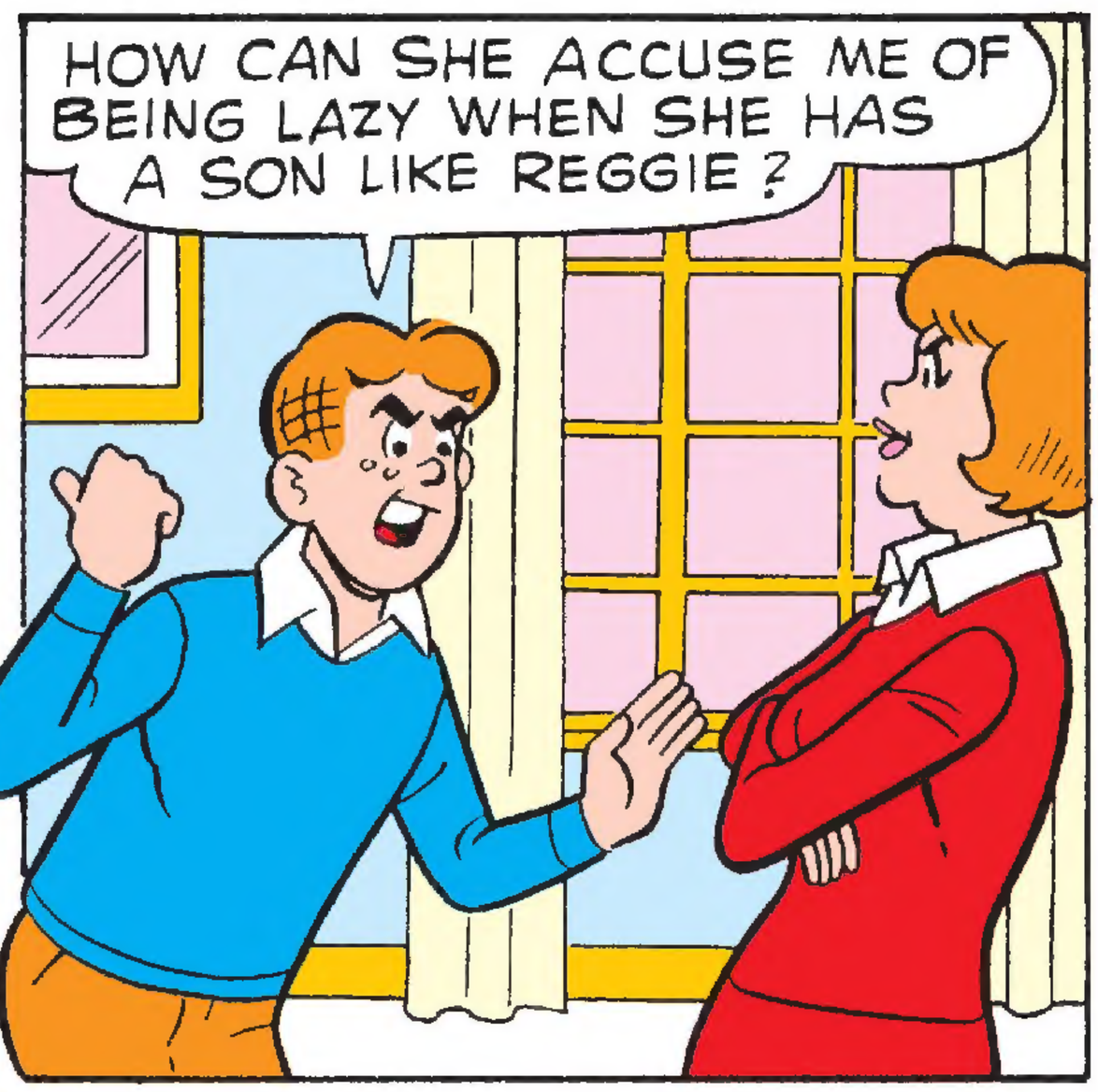
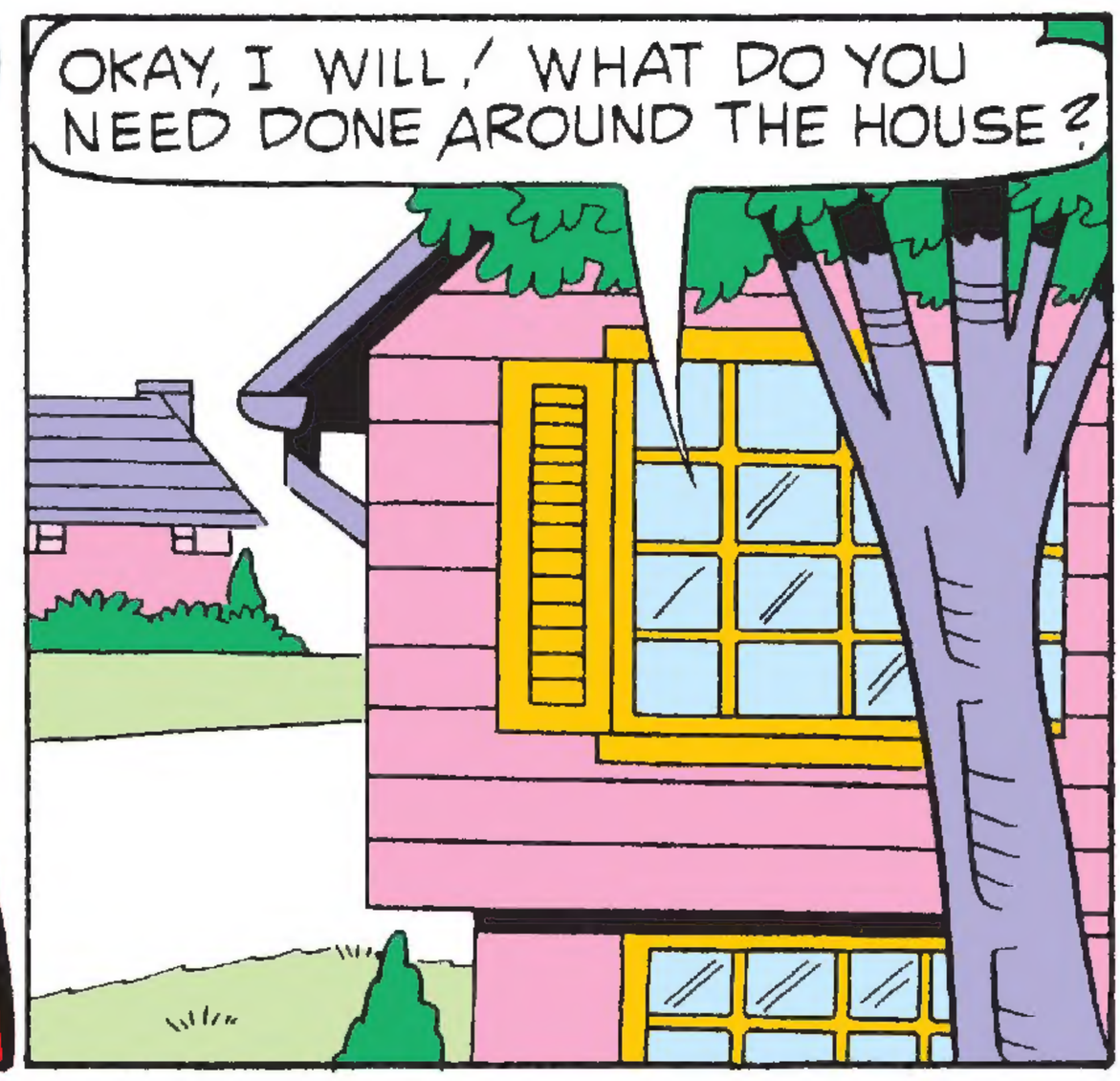




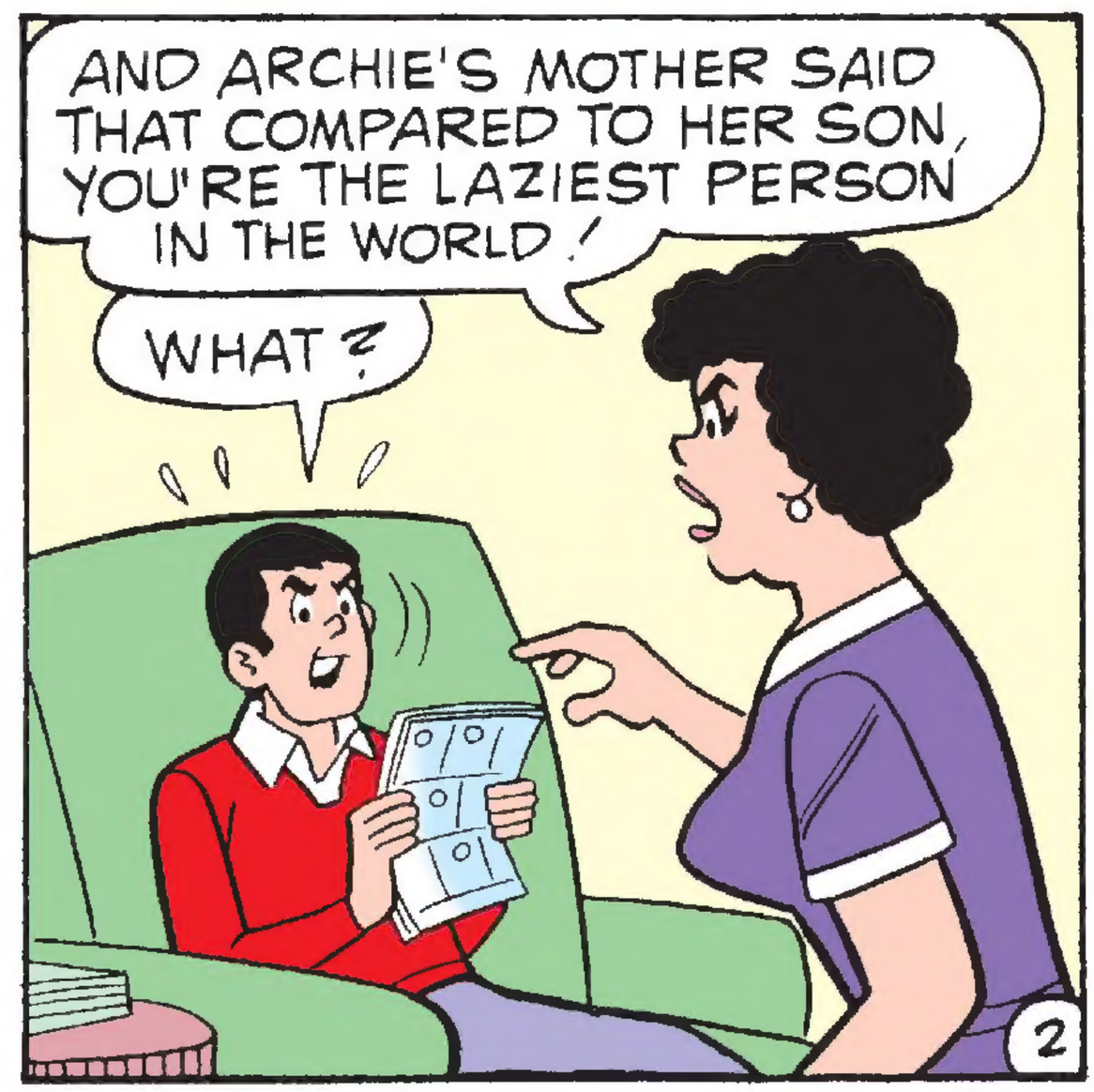

SHE ACCUSED YOU OF BEING LAZY!
SHE DID? WHAT NERVE!


HOW CAN SHE ACCUSE ME OF BEING LAZY WHEN SHE HAS A SON LIKE REGGIE?

THAT'S WHAT I SAID, AND SHE SAID YOU'LL HAVE TO PROVE HE'S LAZIER!

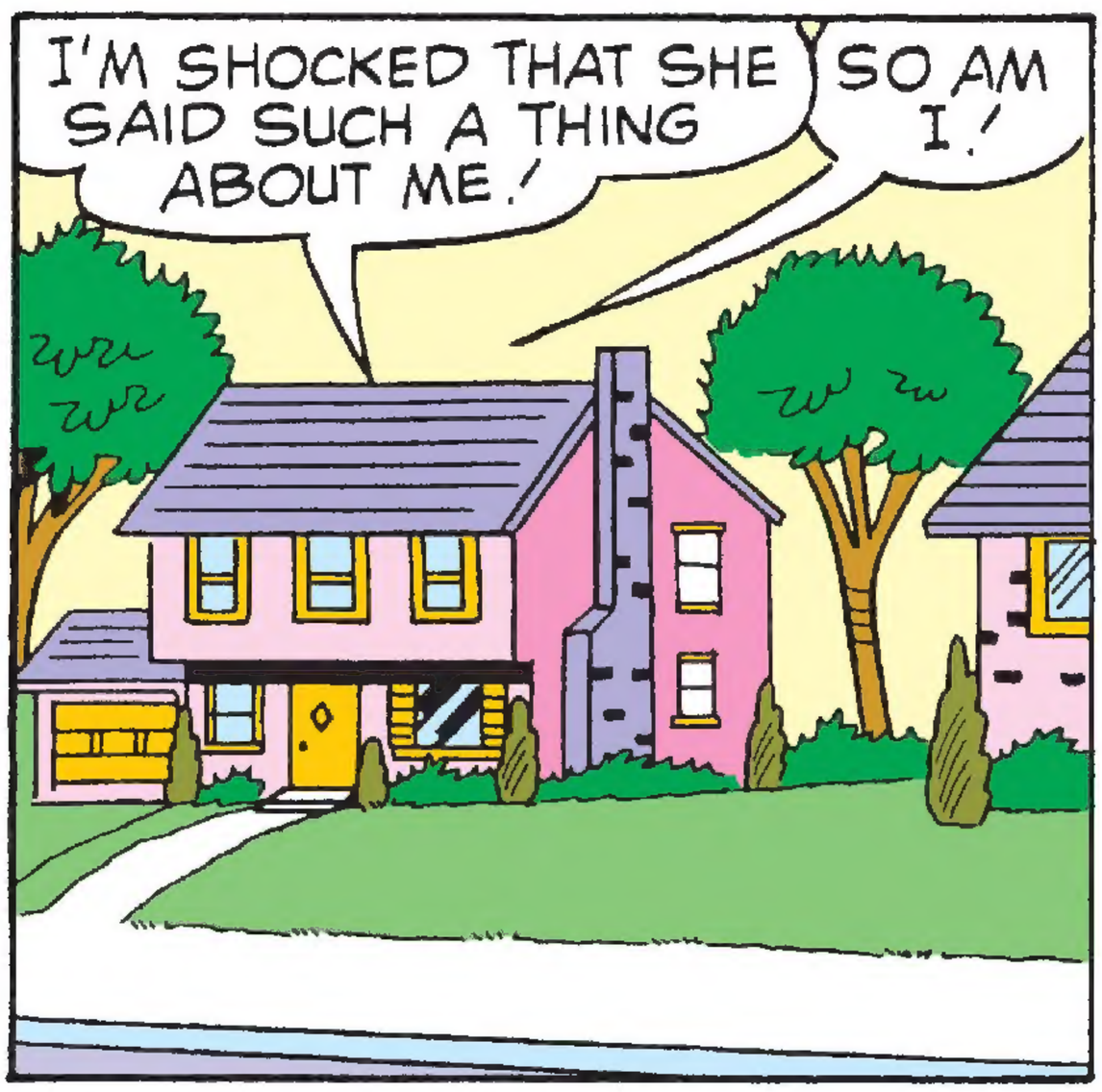

OKAY, I WILL! WHAT DO YOU NEED DONE AROUND THE HOUSE?

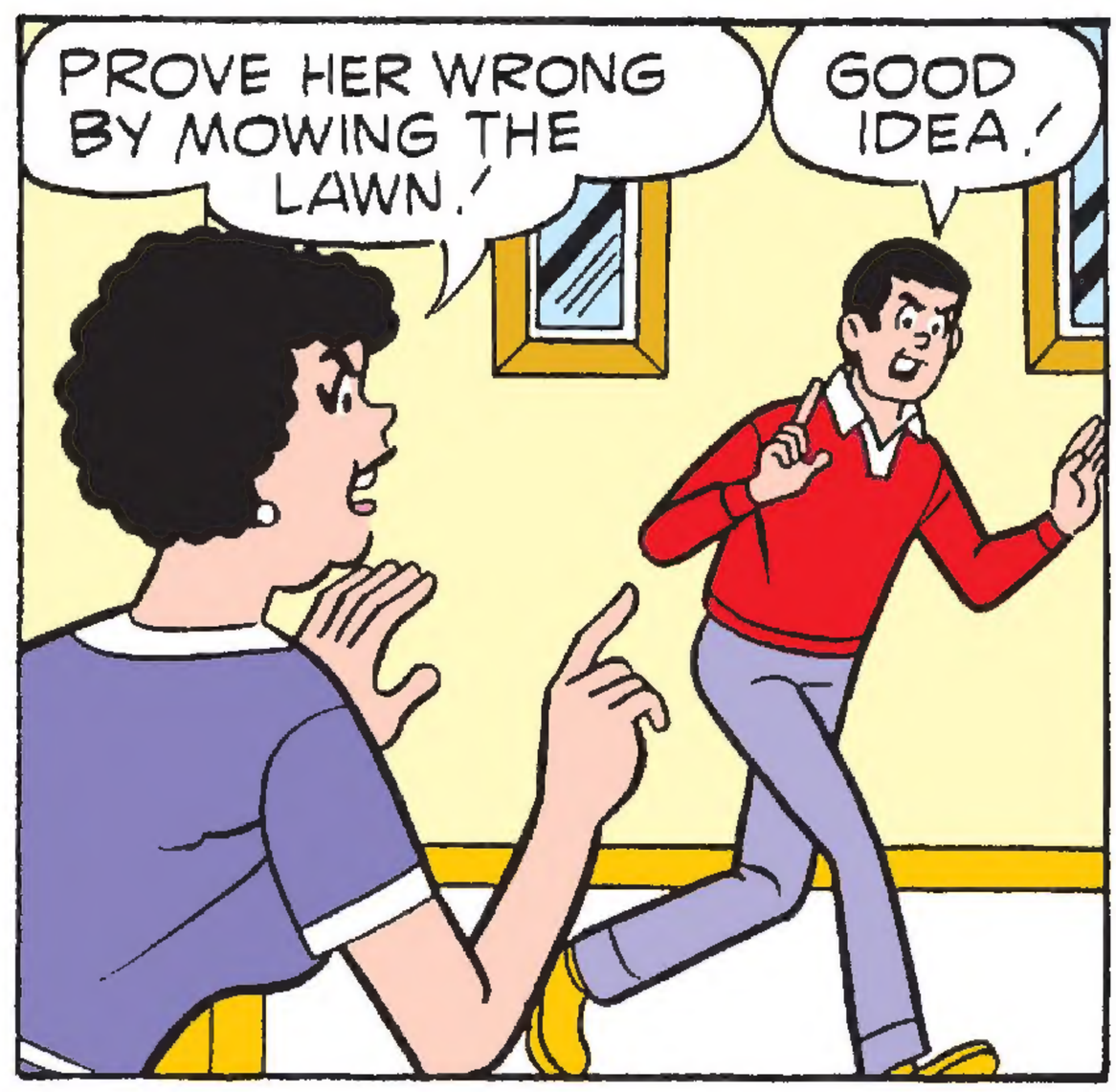
YOU CAN CLEAN OUT THE GARAGE!
CHECK!


AND ARCHIE'S MOTHER SAID THAT COMPARED TO HER SON, YOU'RE THE LAZIEST PERSON IN THE WORLD!
WHAT?

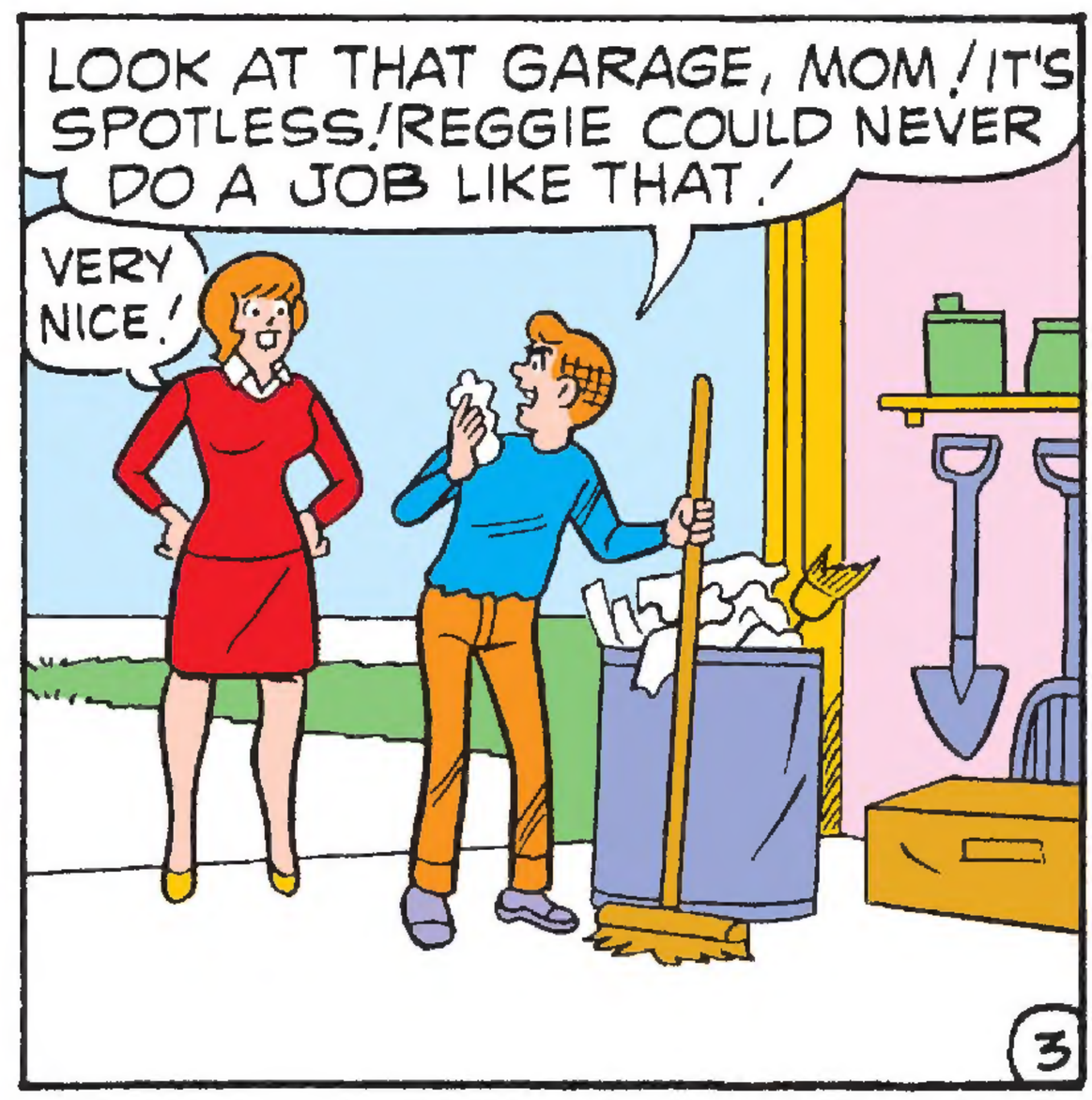
THAT'S A LOT OF BALONEY! NOBODY IS AS LAZY AS CARROT-TOP!

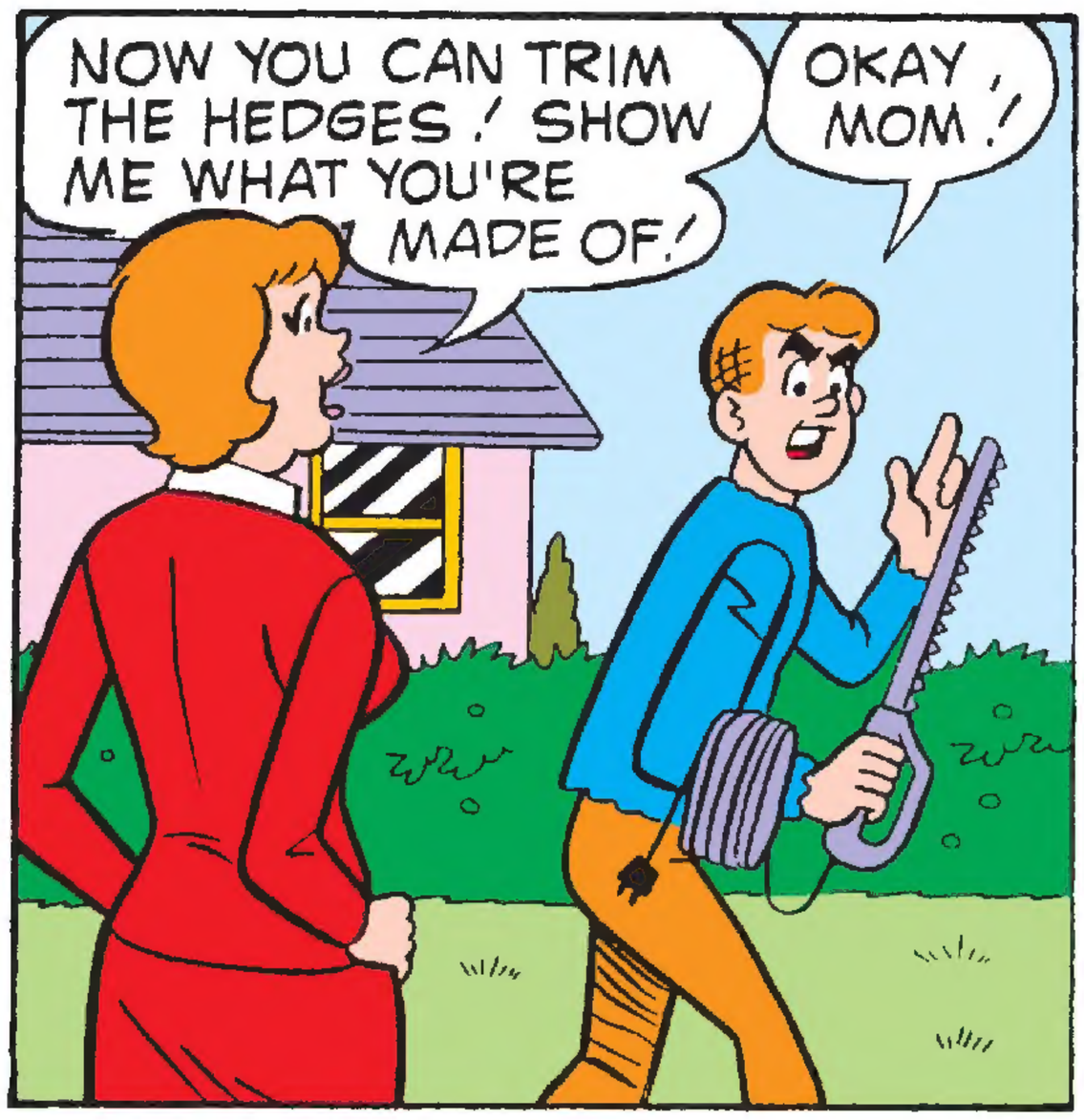
HIS BRAIN HAS BEEN ASLEEP FROM THE DAY HE WAS BORN!


I'M SHOCKED THAT SHE SAID SUCH A THING ABOUT ME!
SO AM I!


PROVE HER WRONG BY MOWING THE LAWN!
GOOD IDEA!

I DO MORE WORK IN ONE MINUTE THAN HE DOES IN A YEAR!


LOOK AT THAT GARAGE, MOM! IT'S SPOTLESS! REGGIE COULD NEVER DO A JOB LIKE THAT!
VERY NICE!


NOW YOU CAN TRIM THE HEDGES! SHOW ME WHAT YOU'RE MADE OF!
OKAY, MOM!

REGGIE'S NEVER DONE THIS MUCH WORK SINCE I'VE KNOWN HIM!
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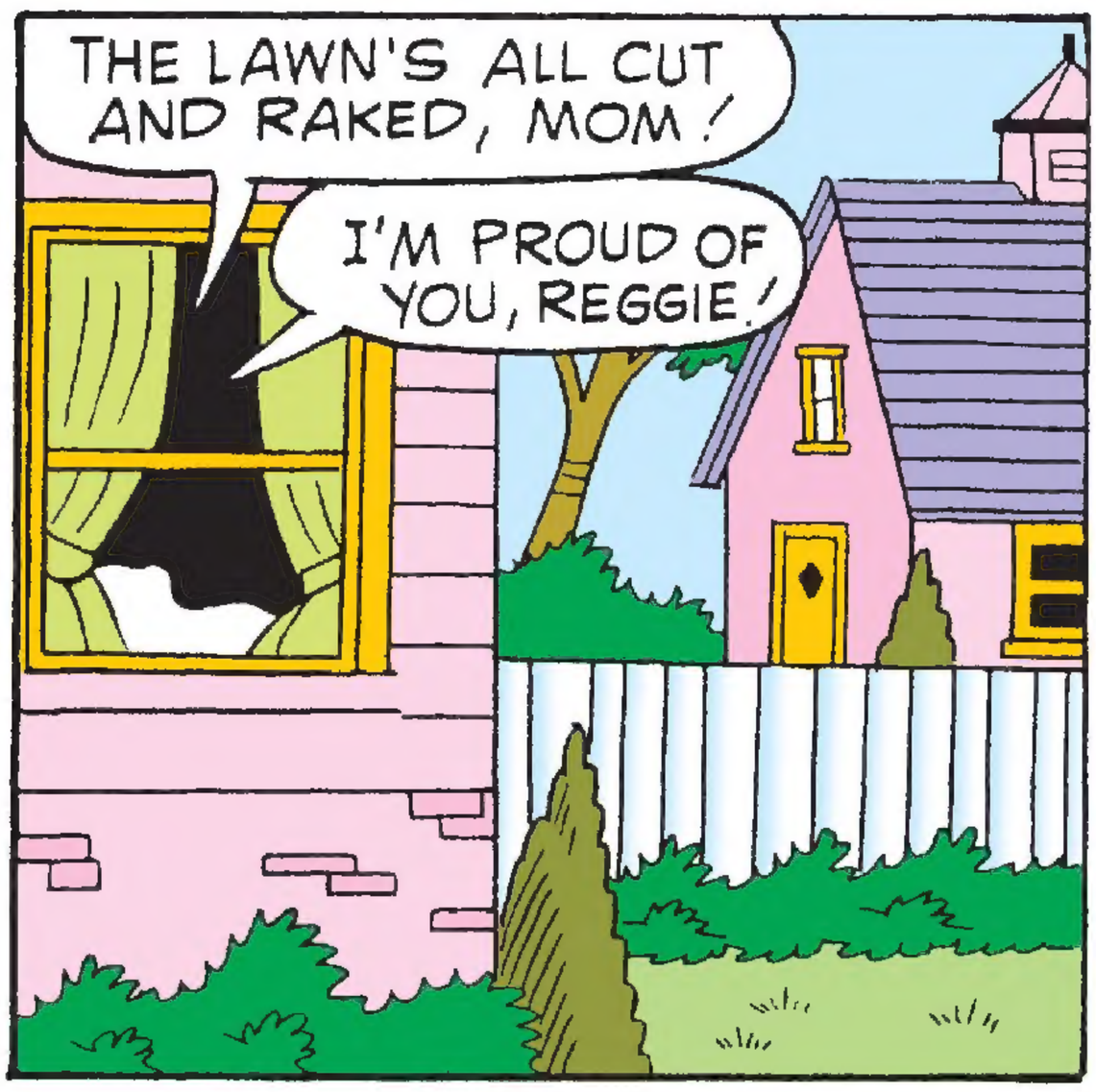
THE LAWN'S ALL CUT AND RAKED, MOM!
I'M PROUD OF YOU, REGGIE!

COULD YOU WASH THE WINDOWS FOR ME?
HUH?... OH, SURE THING, MOM!

AND WHEN YOU FINISH THAT I'LL GIVE YOU A LIST SO YOU CAN GO TO THE STORE!
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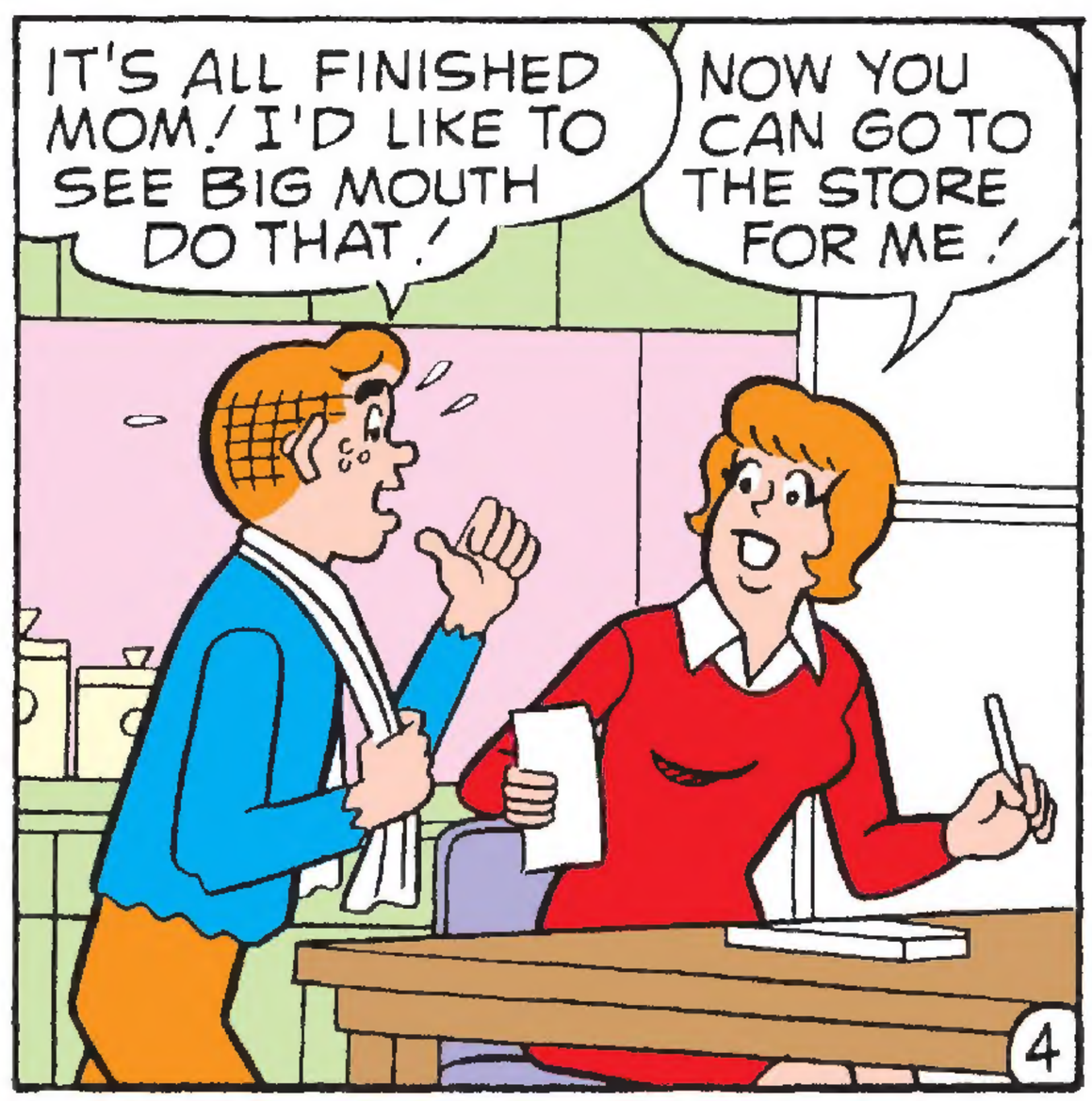
IT'S ALL FINISHED MOM! I'D LIKE TO SEE BIG MOUTH DO THAT!
NOW YOU CAN GO TO THE STORE FOR ME!

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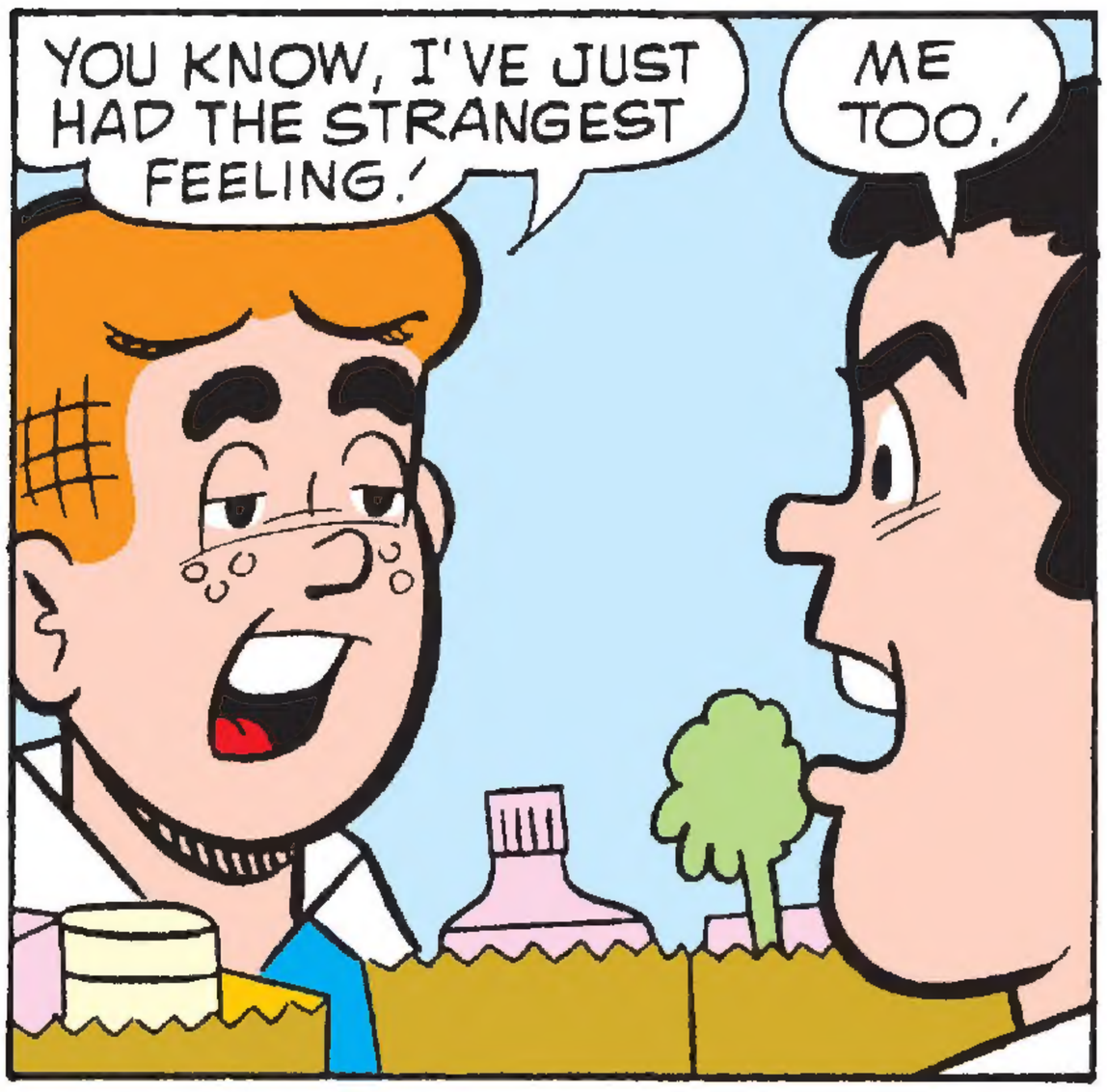
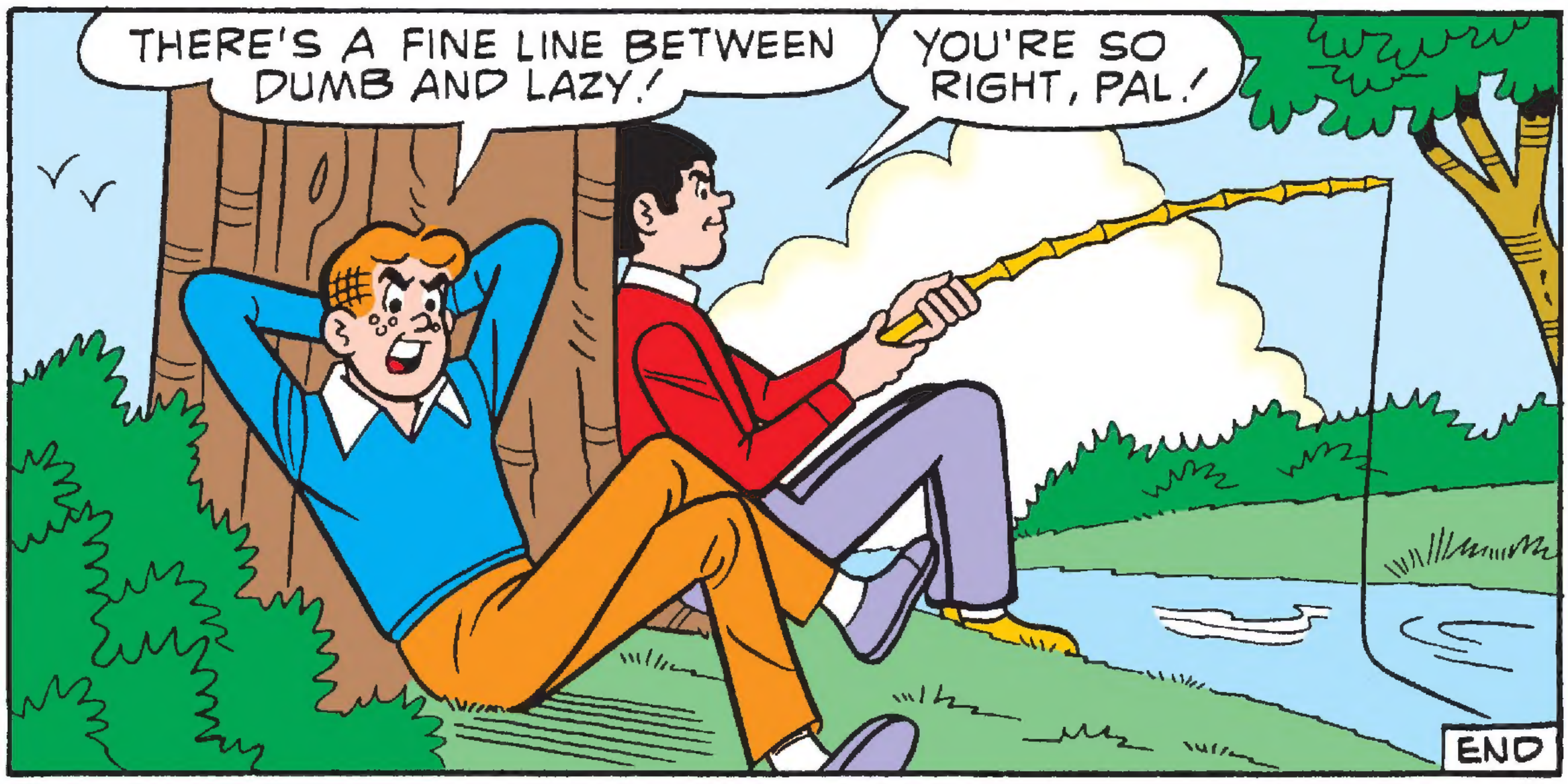
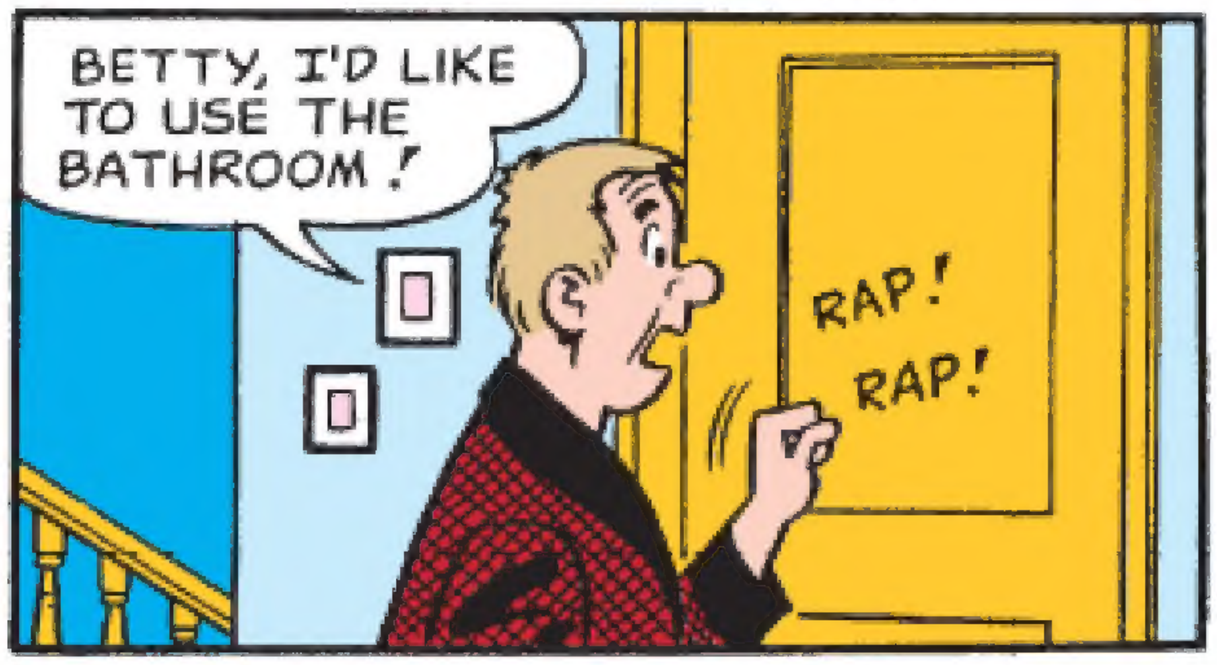
HEY, YOU DON'T USUALLY GO SHOPPING FOR YOUR MOM!
THE SAME GOES FOR YOU!

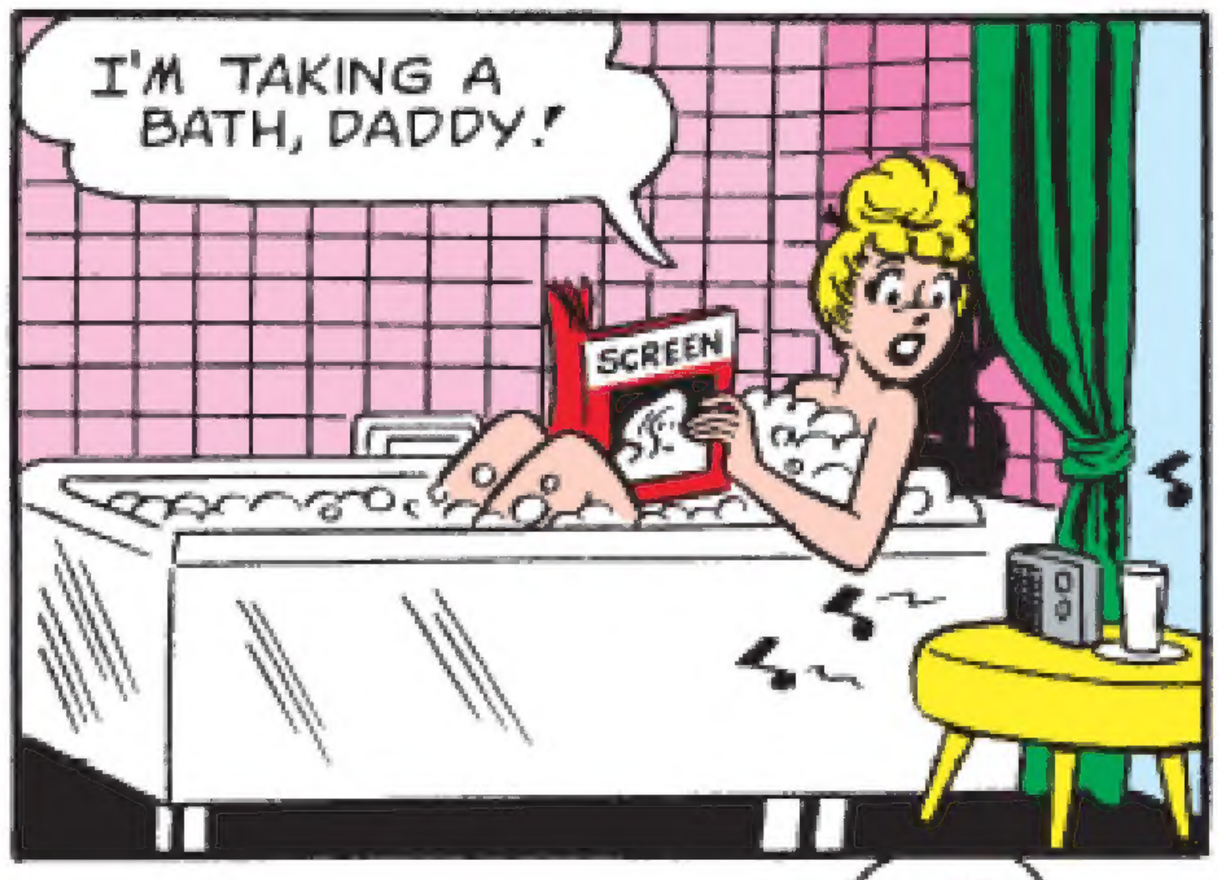

YOU KNOW, I'VE JUST HAD THE STRANGEST FEELING!
ME TOO!

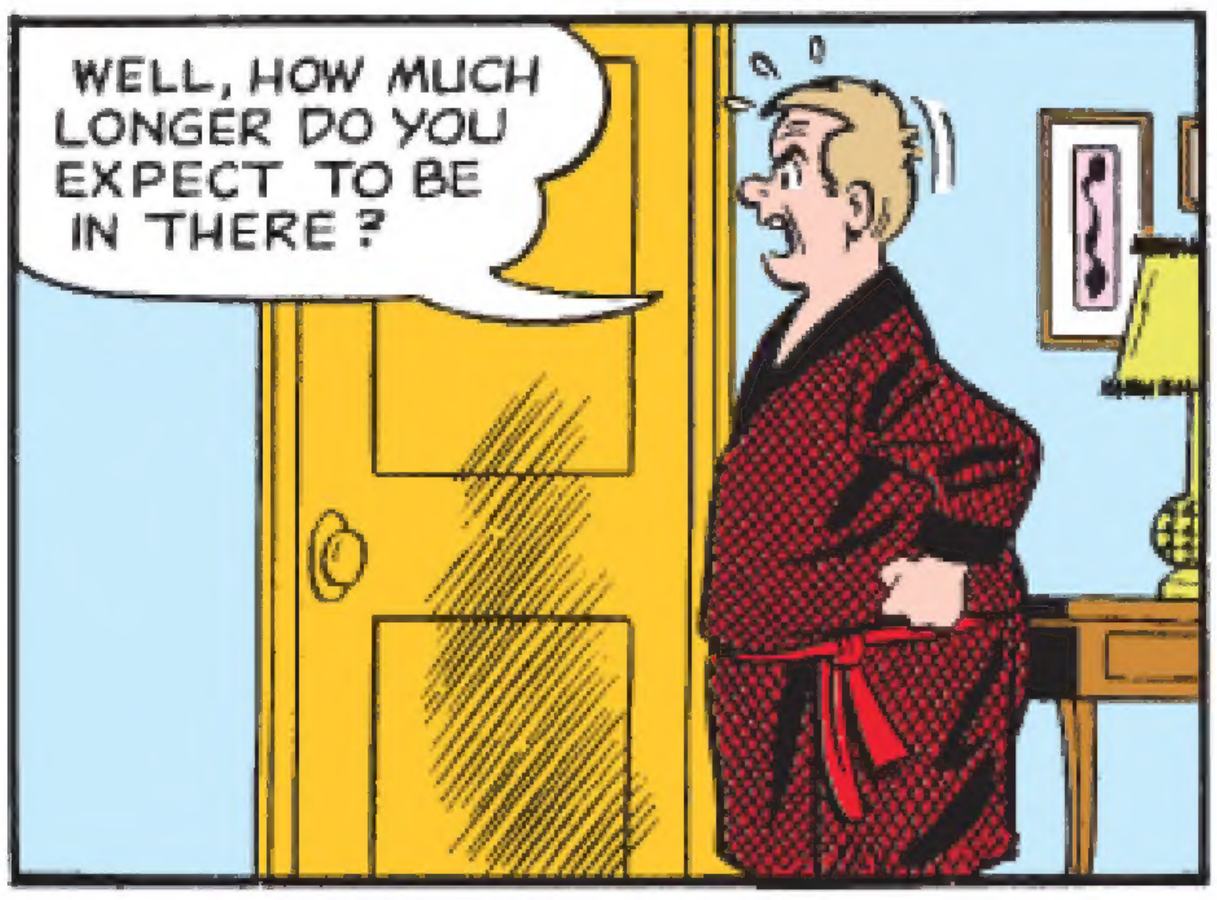
OUR LITTLE PLAN WORKED PERFECTLY!
IT WAS A STROKE OF GENIUS!

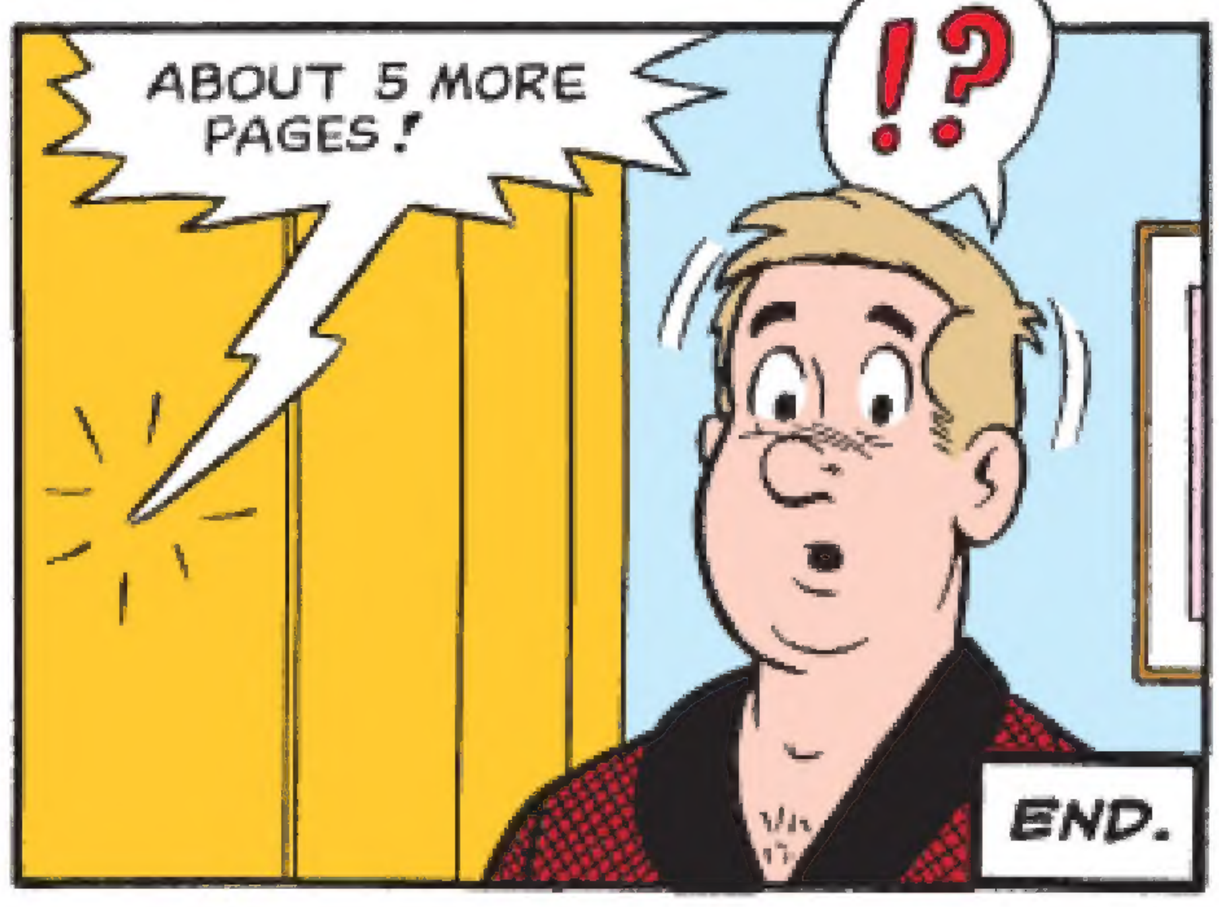

THERE'S A FINE LINE BETWEEN DUMB AND LAZY!
YOU'RE SO RIGHT, PAL!
END

Betty in "PIP OF A DIP"









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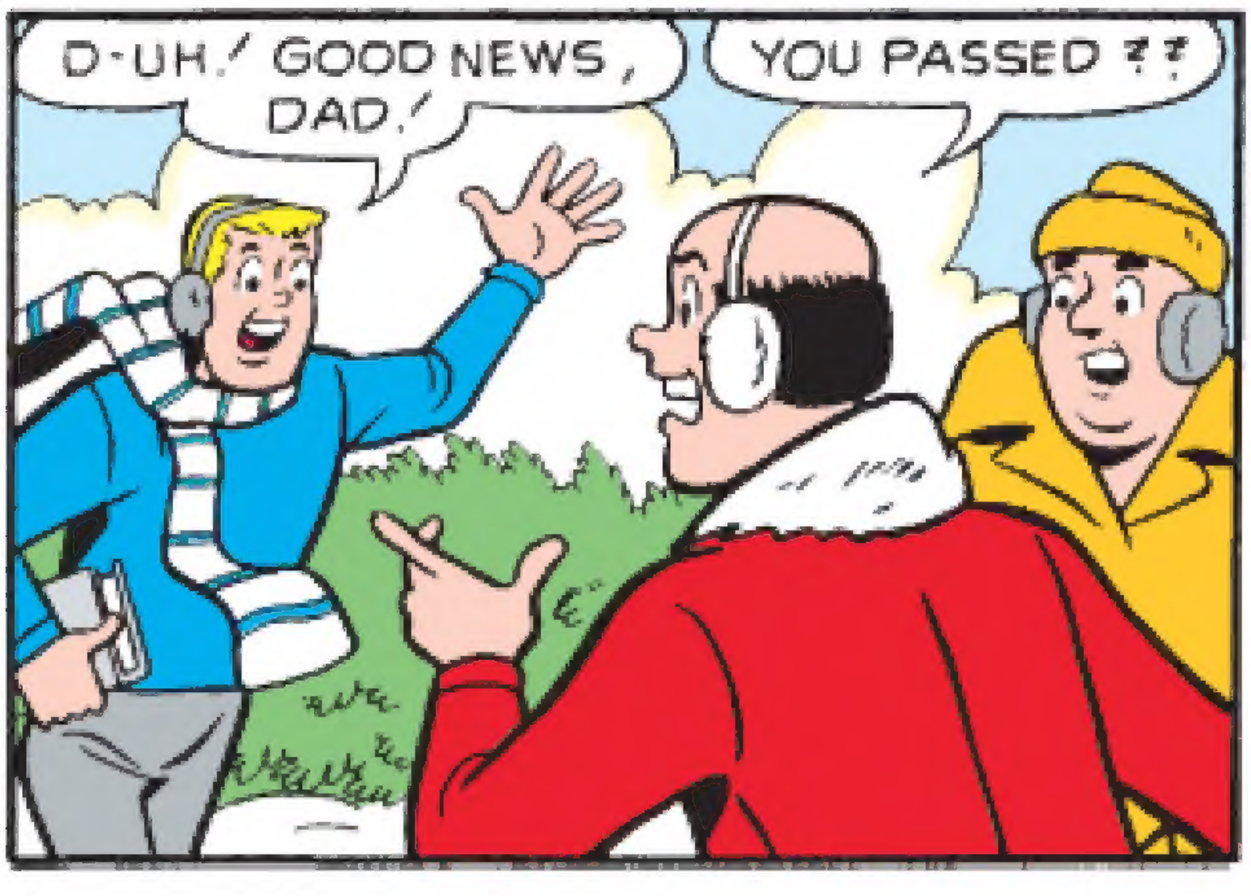
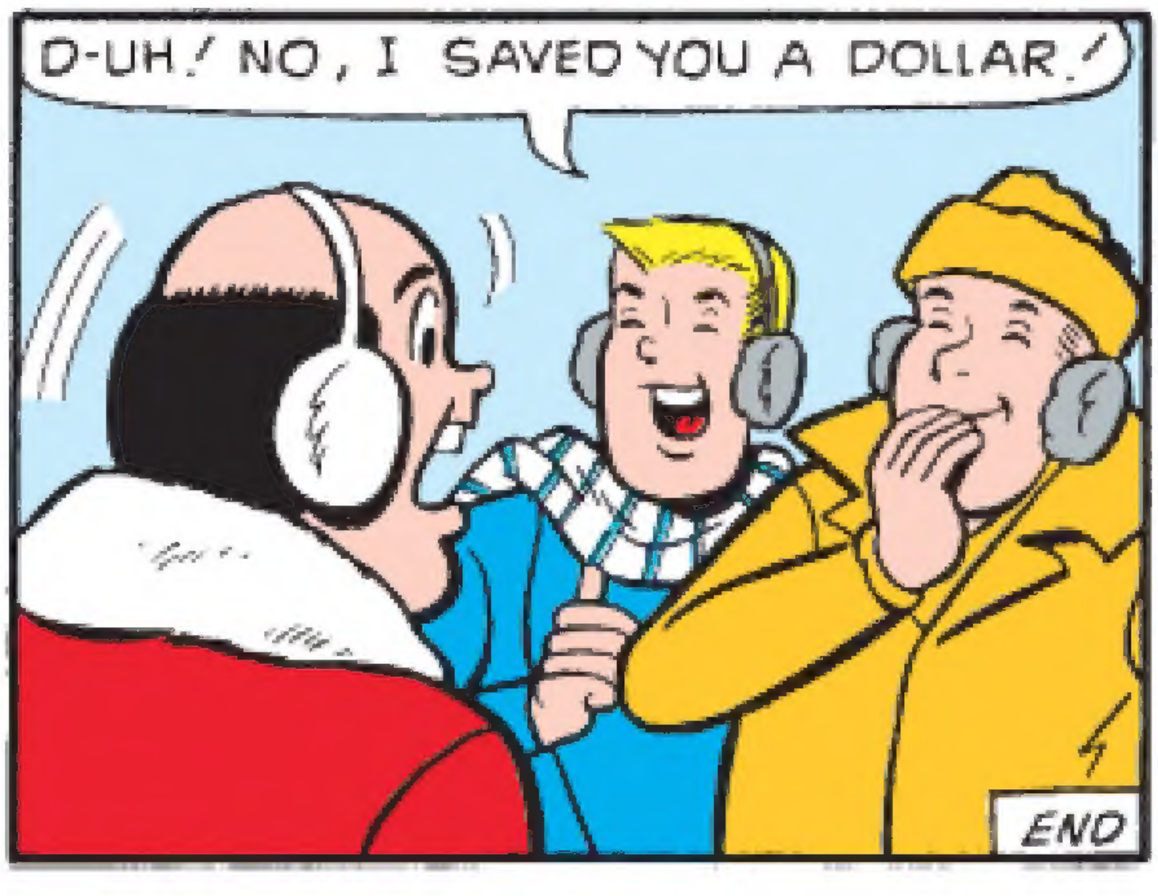


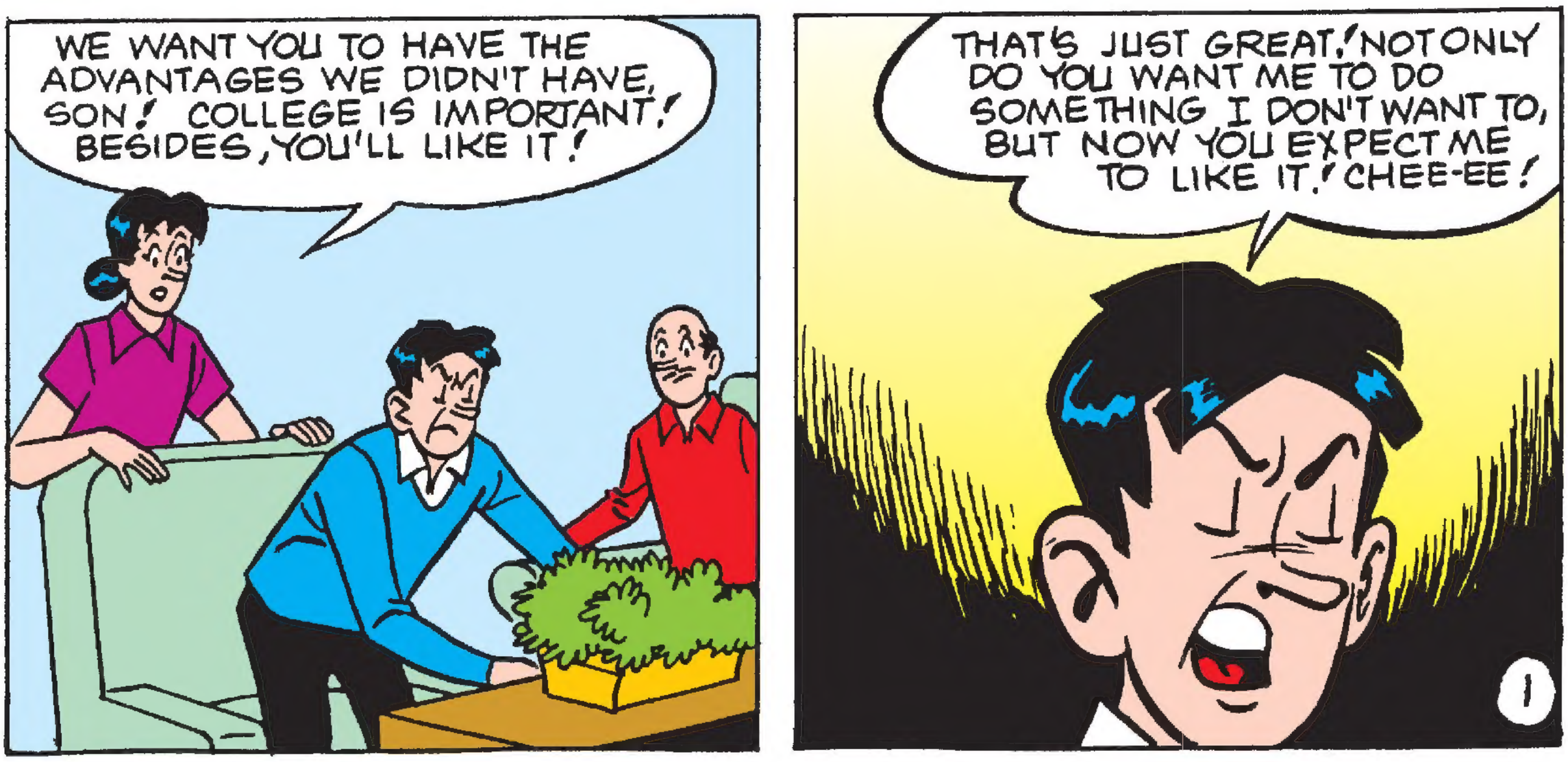


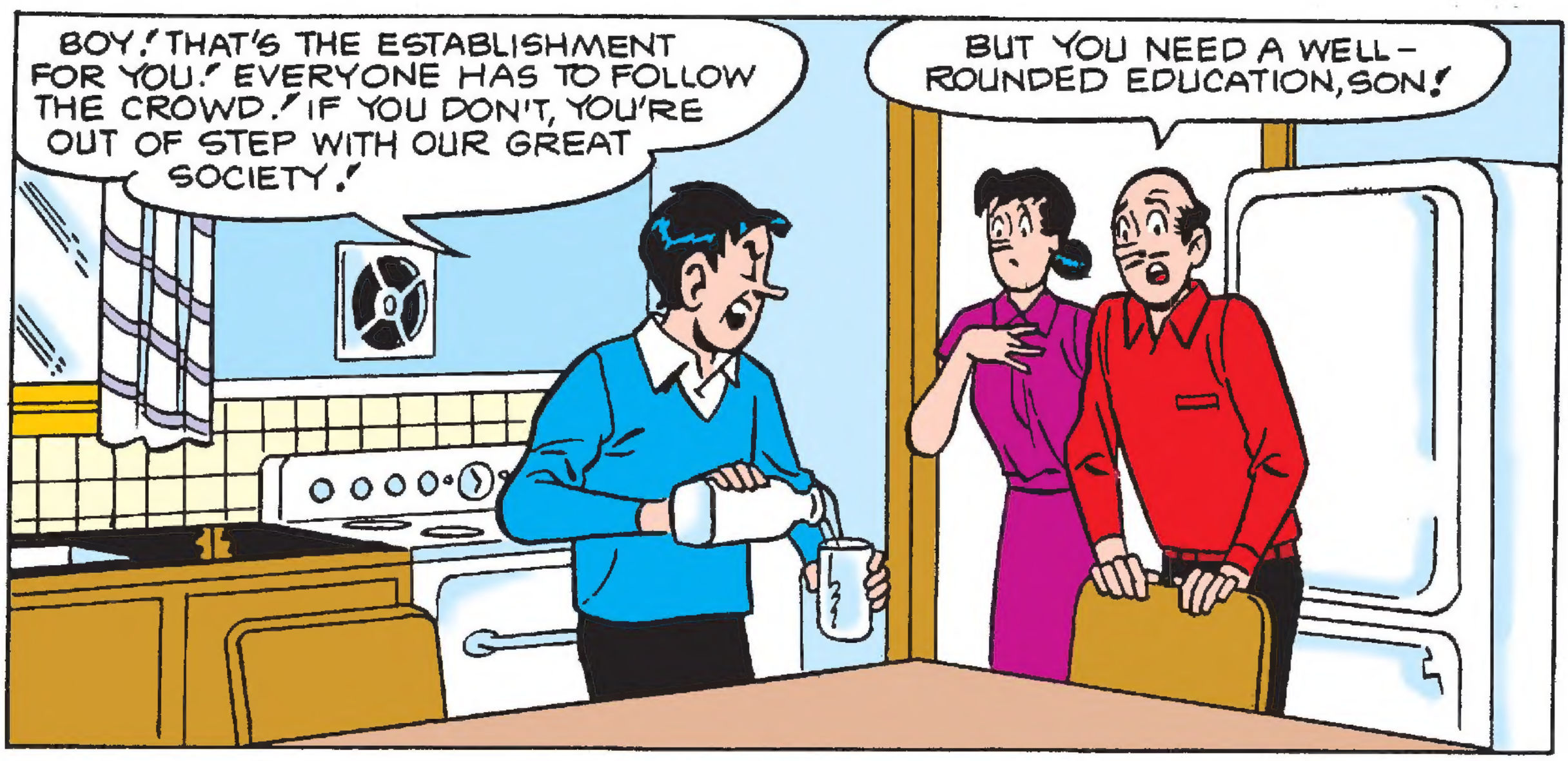
Jughead

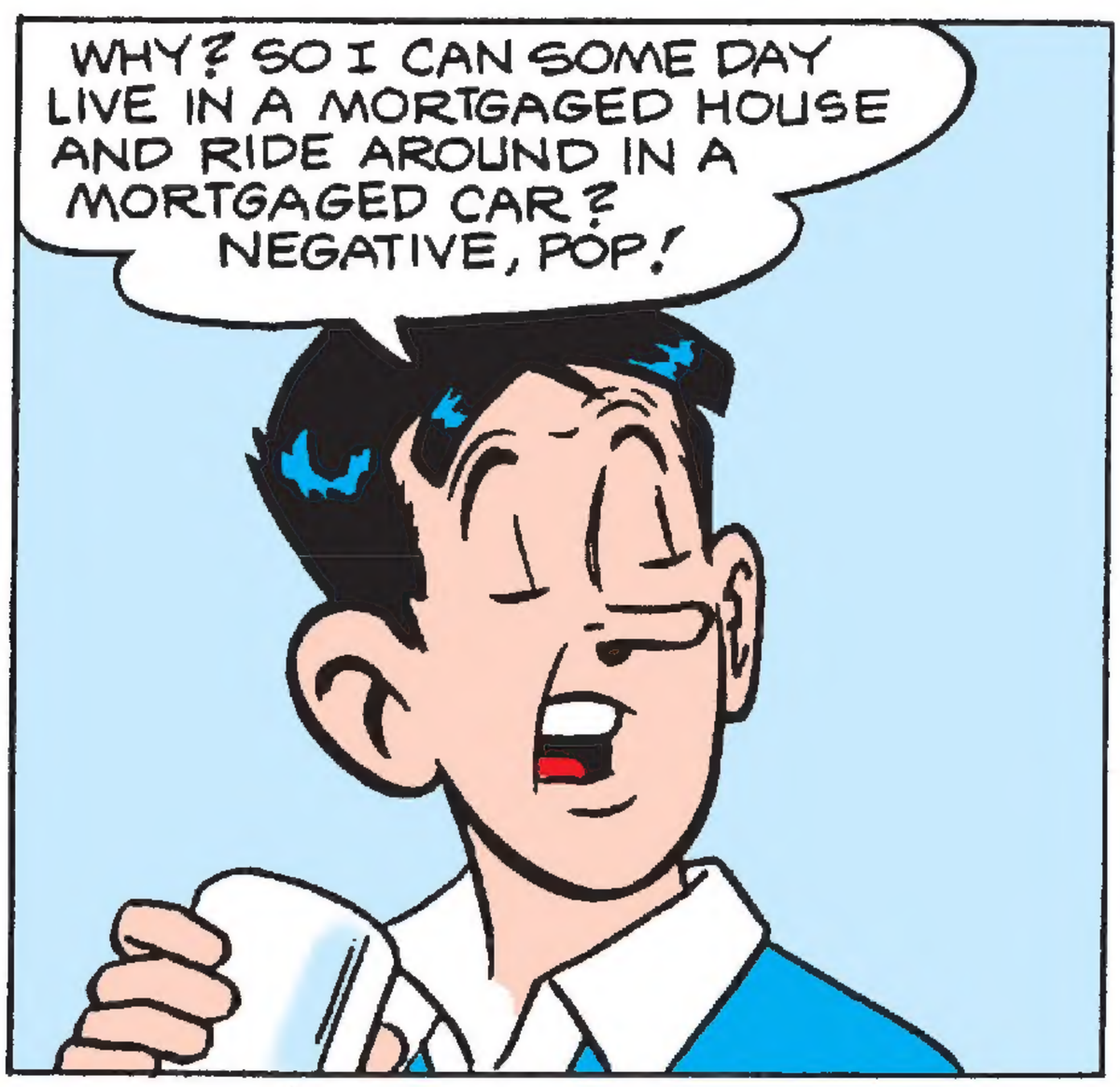
the PASSING FANCY

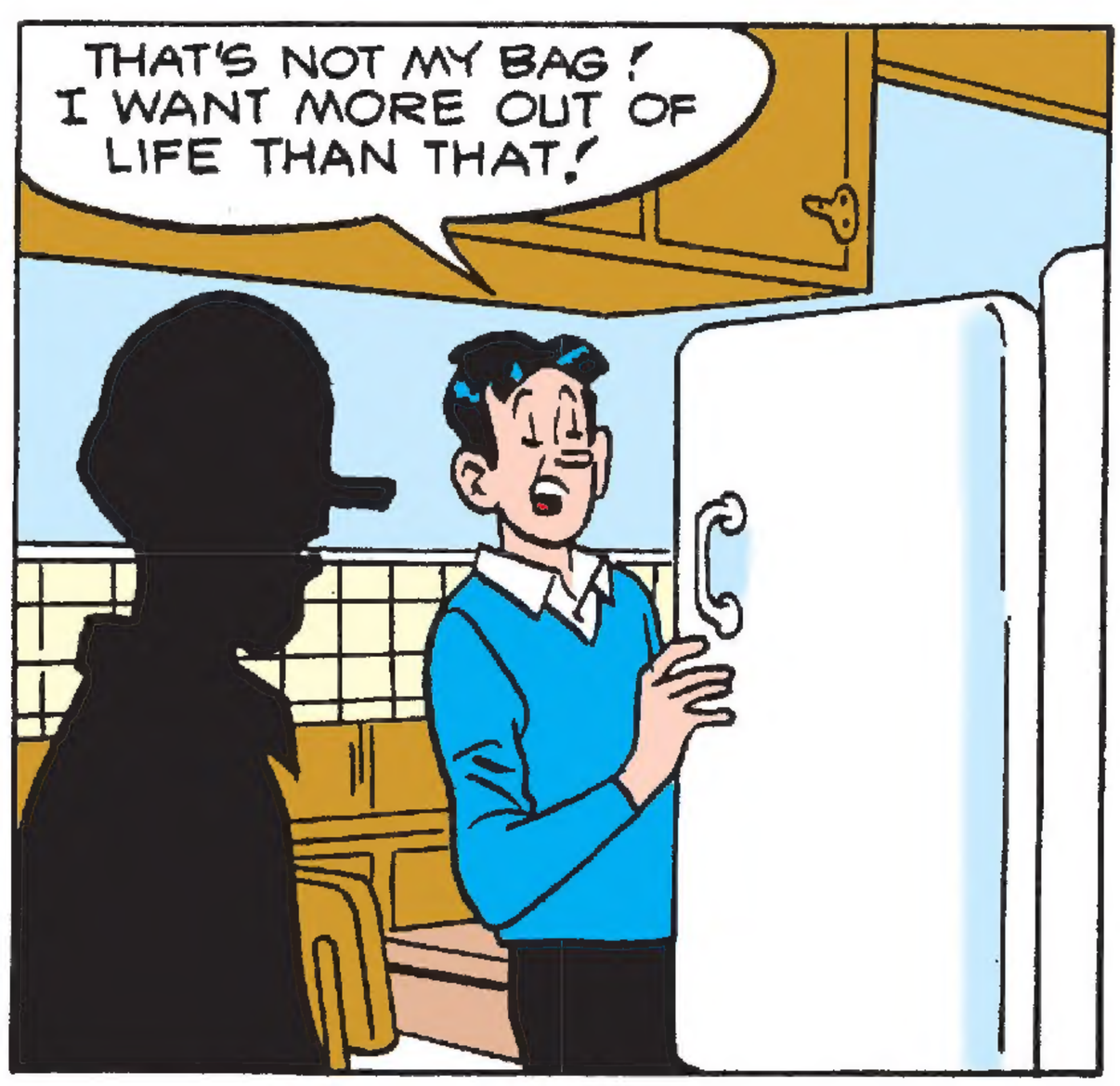
WHAT DO YOU MEAN YOU DON'T WANT TO GO TO COLLEGE? DON'T YOU REALIZE WHAT A LUXURY THAT IS? I WISH **MY** PARENTS COULD HAVE AFFORDED TO SEND **ME**!

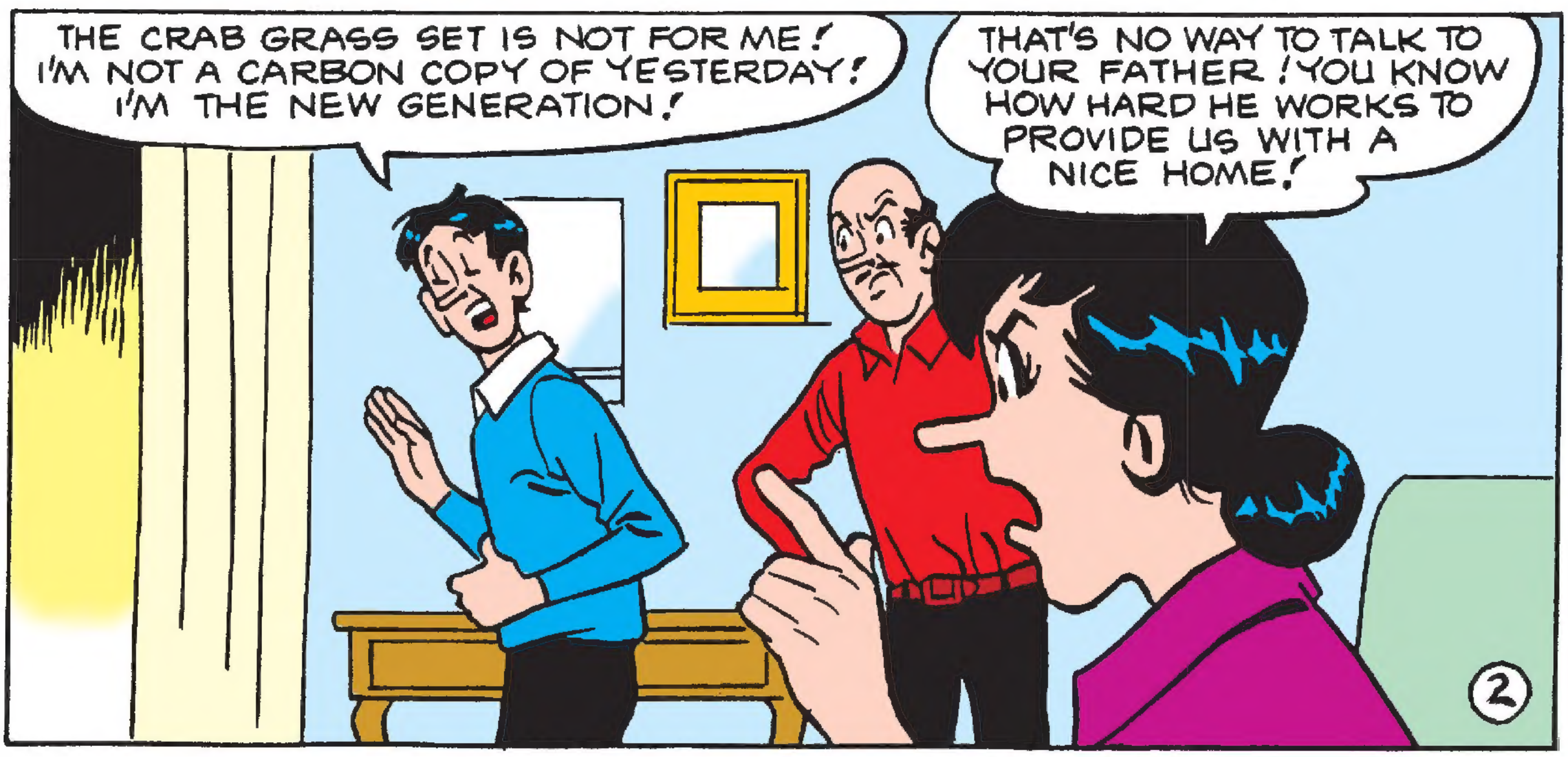
SO DOES THAT MEAN THAT **I** HAVE TO GO?




BOY! THAT'S THE ESTABLISHMENT FOR YOU! EVERYONE HAS TO FOLLOW THE CROWD! IF YOU DON'T, YOU'RE OUT OF STEP WITH OUR GREAT SOCIETY!
BUT YOU NEED A WELL-ROUNDED EDUCATION, SON!


WHY? SO I CAN SOME DAY LIVE IN A MORTGAGED HOUSE AND RIDE AROUND IN A MORTGAGED CAR? NEGATIVE, POP!


THAT'S NOT MY BAG! I WANT MORE OUT OF LIFE THAN THAT!


THE CRAB GRASS SET IS NOT FOR ME! I'M NOT A CARBON COPY OF YESTERDAY! I'M THE NEW GENERATION!
THAT'S NO WAY TO TALK TO YOUR FATHER! YOU KNOW HOW HARD HE WORKS TO PROVIDE US WITH A NICE HOME!
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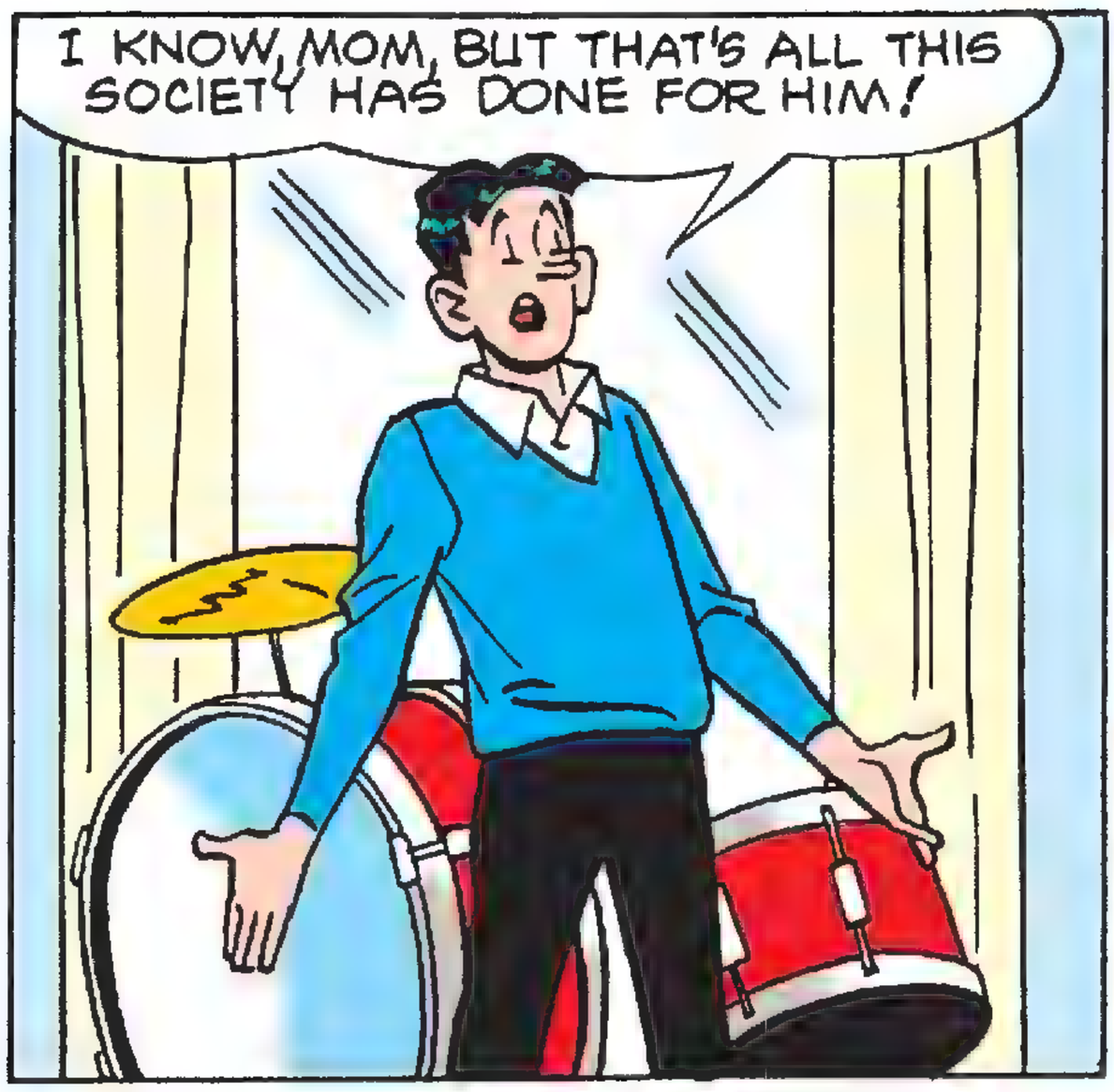
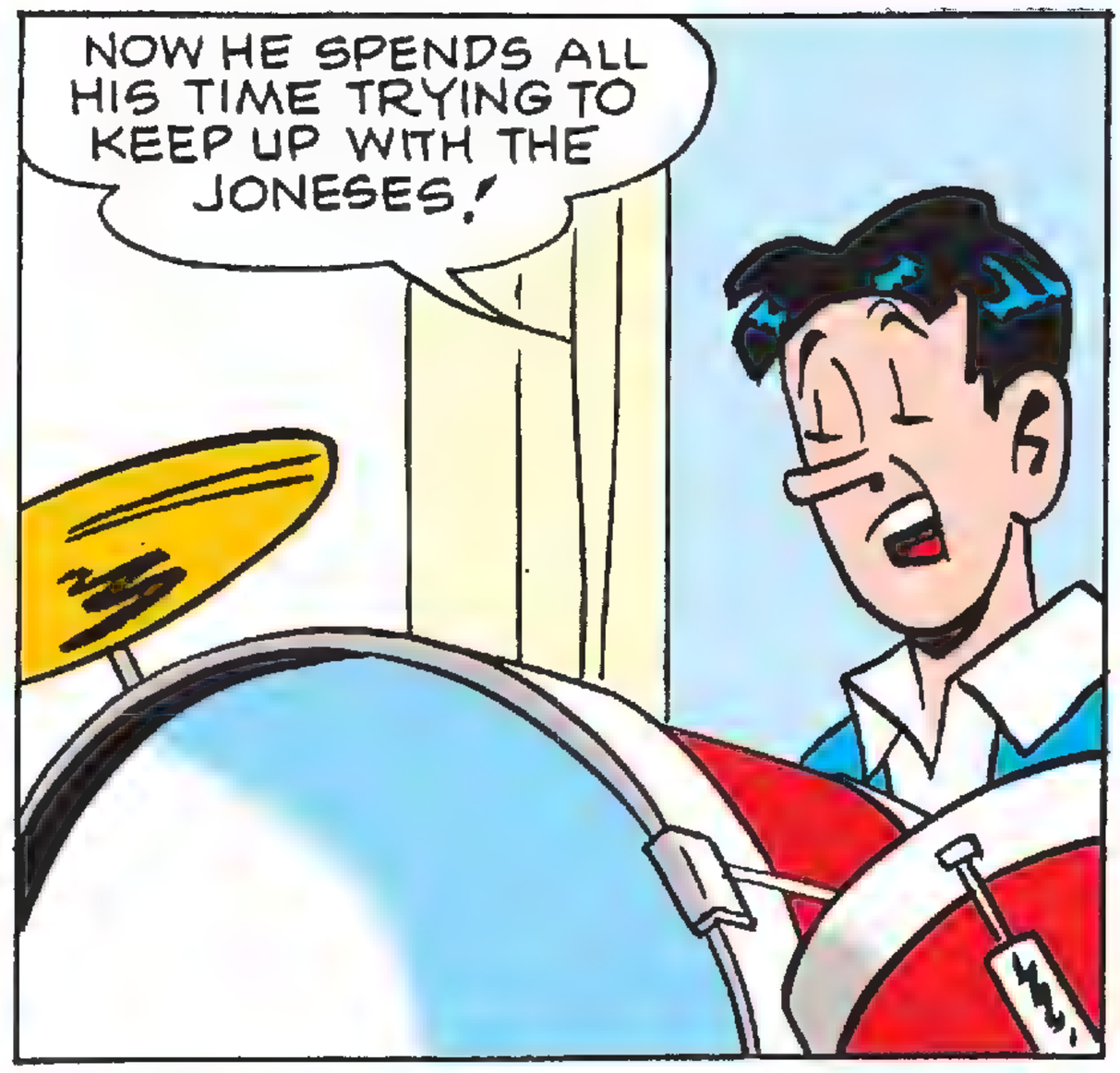

I KNOW, MOM, BUT THAT'S ALL THIS SOCIETY HAS DONE FOR HIM!


NOW HE SPENDS ALL HIS TIME TRYING TO KEEP UP WITH THE JONESES!

THAT'S NOT FOR ME! I'M GOING TO STICK WITH MY MUSIC! I BELIEVE IN TELLING IT LIKE IT IS! I DON'T NEED TO GO TO COLLEGE!
MUSIC IS FINE, SON, BUT IT'S NOT ENOUGH TO SURVIVE IN THIS WORLD TODAY!

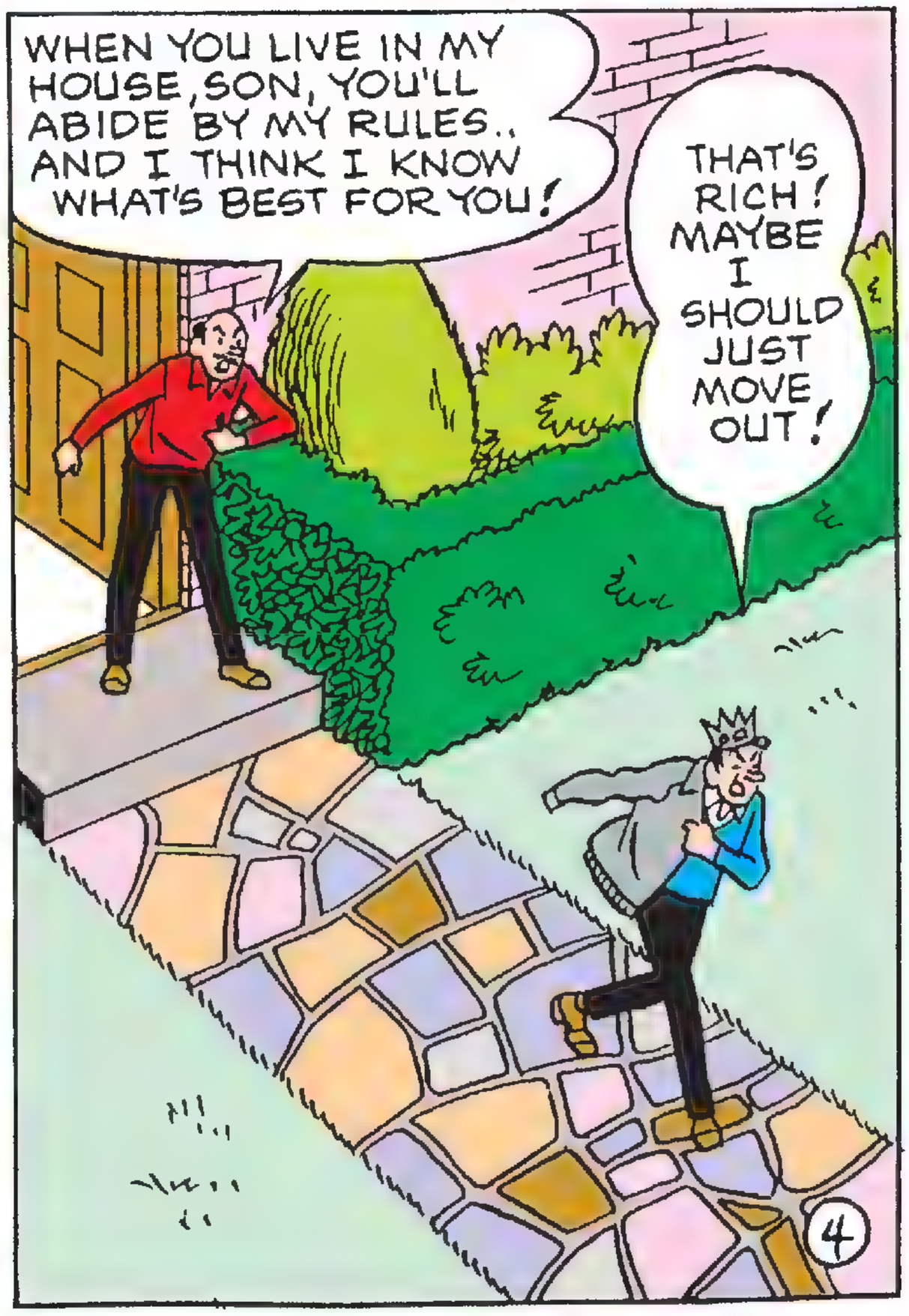
YOU CAN BE GREAT TODAY, BUT WHAT ABOUT TOMORROW?

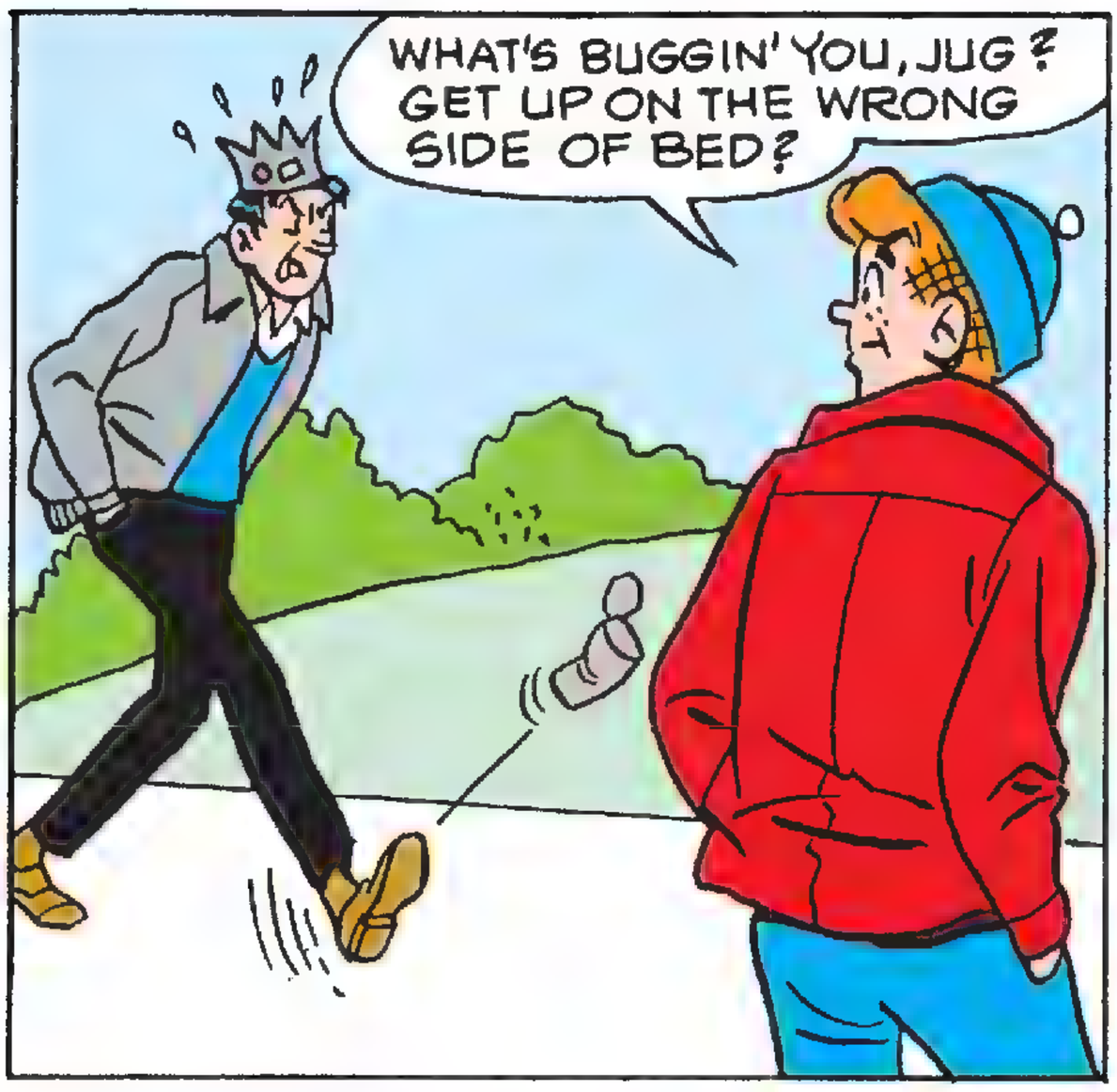
I'LL JUST MAKE ENOUGH SO I CAN SAVE UP SOME MONEY AND WON'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT THE FUTURE!

THAT ALL SOUNDS VERY NICE, SON, BUT YOU'VE STILL GOT A LOT TO LEARN ABOUT LIVING!
OH YEAH! WELL I'VE GOT A FRIEND WHO'S MAKING A BUNDLE OF MONEY PLAYING IN A COMBO, ... AND HE'S A HIGHSCHOOL DROP OUT!

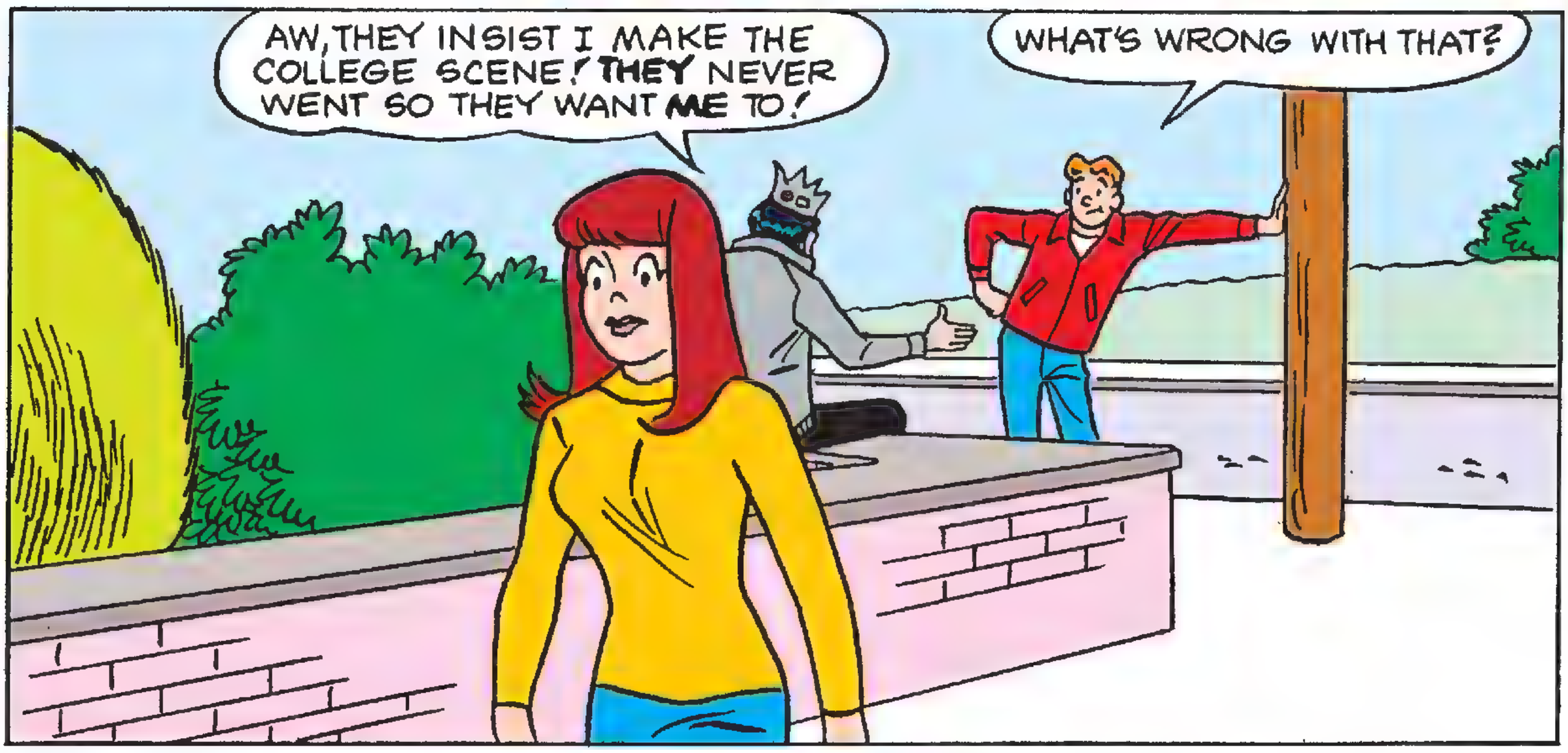
WELL I DON'T CARE ABOUT YOUR FRIENDS! I'M CON-CERNED WITH YOU... AND YOU'RE GOING TO COLLEGE!

BOY! PARENTS THINK THEY KNOW ALL THE ANSWERS!

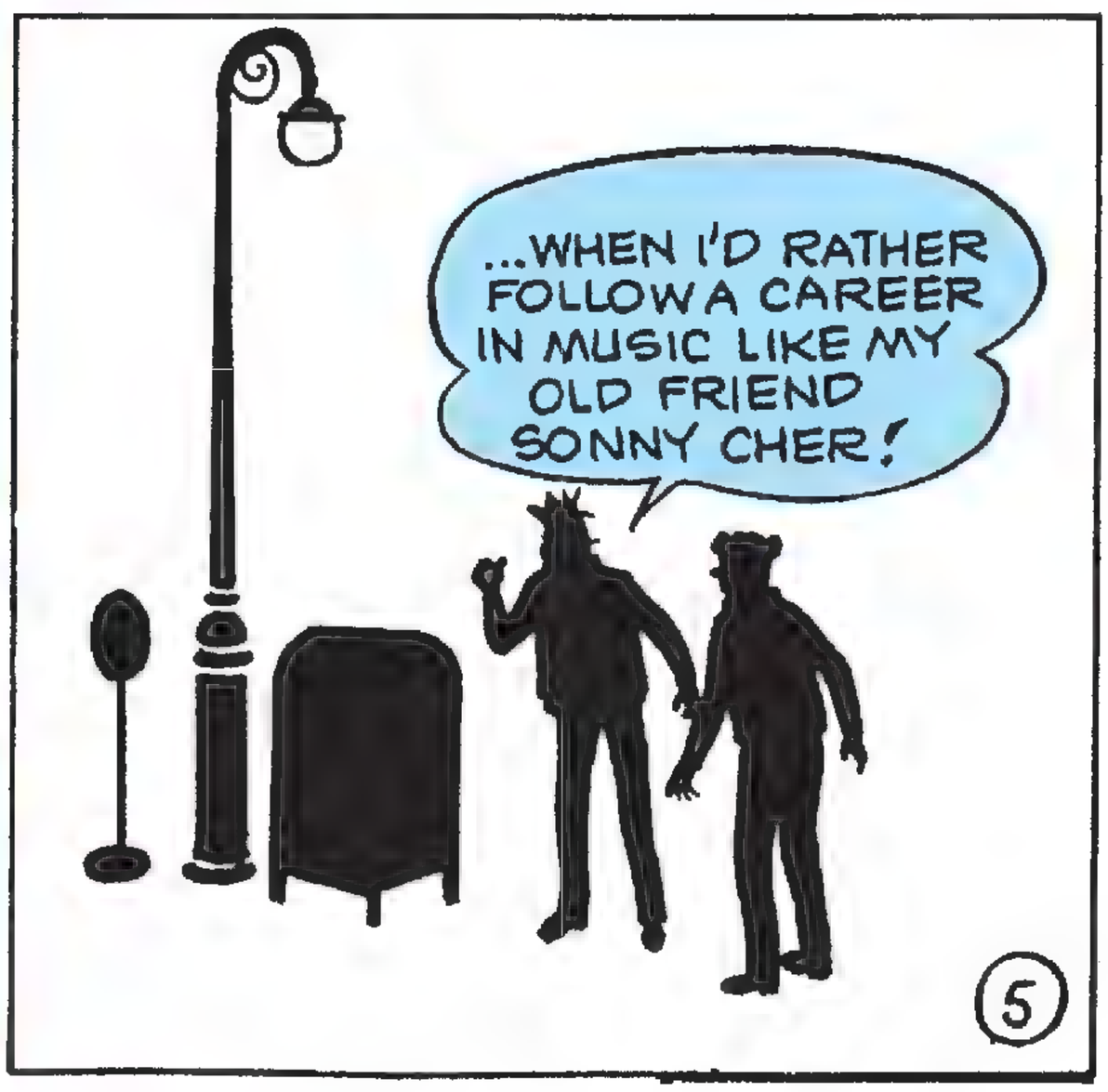

WHEN YOU LIVE IN MY HOUSE, SON, YOU'LL ABIDE BY MY RULES.. AND I THINK I KNOW WHAT'S BEST FOR YOU!
THAT'S RICH! MAYBE I SHOULD JUST MOVE OUT!

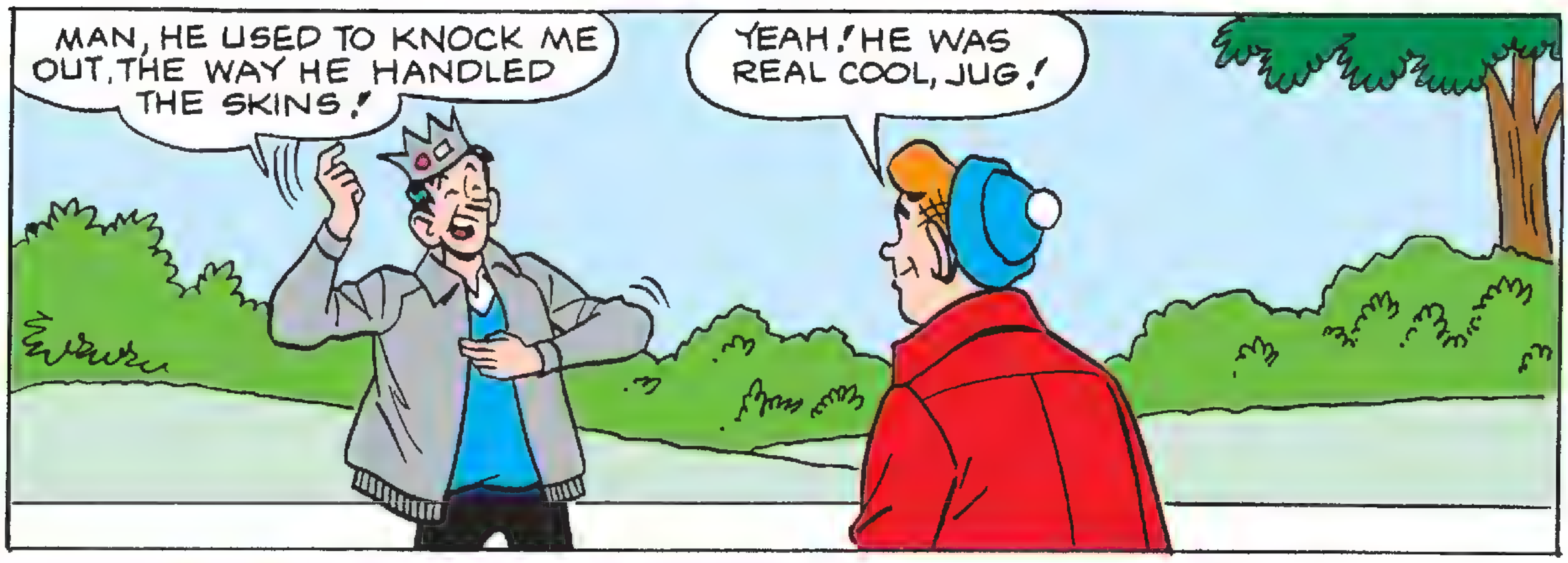

WHAT'S BUGGIN' YOU, JUG? GET UP ON THE WRONG SIDE OF BED?

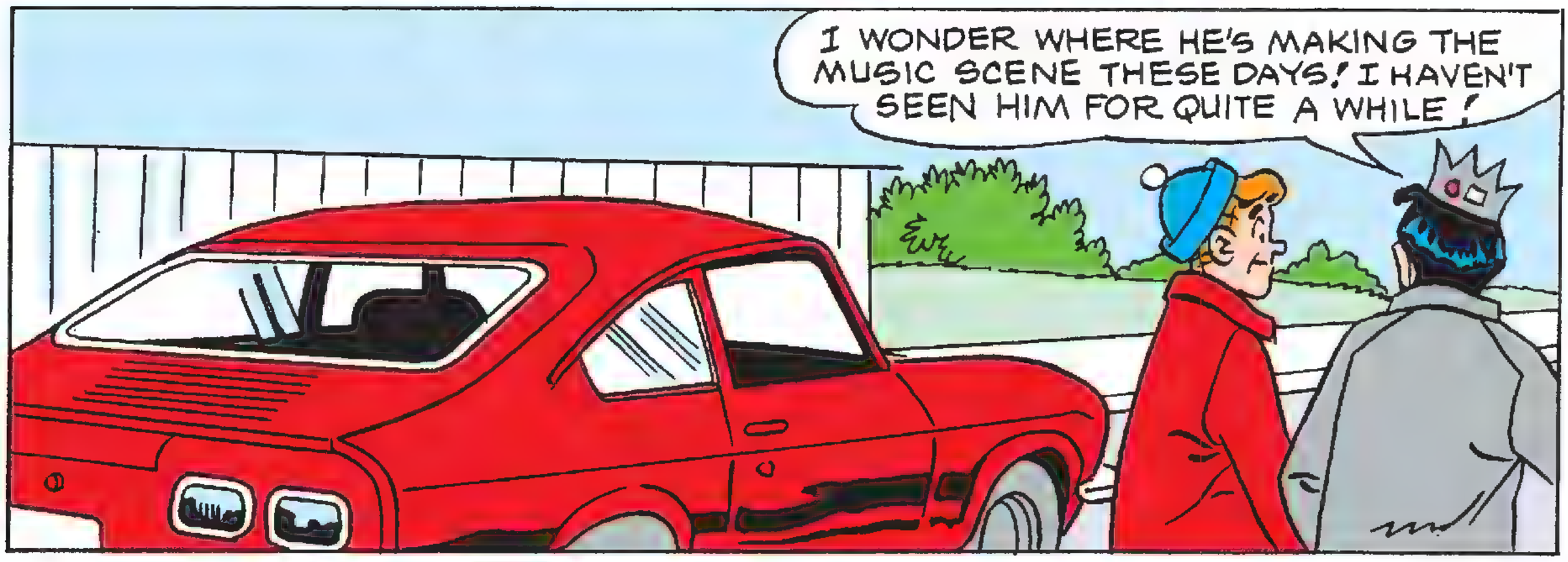
NO! THE WRONG SIDE OF MY PARENTS' AMBITIONS FOR ME!
WHAT DO THEY WANT?

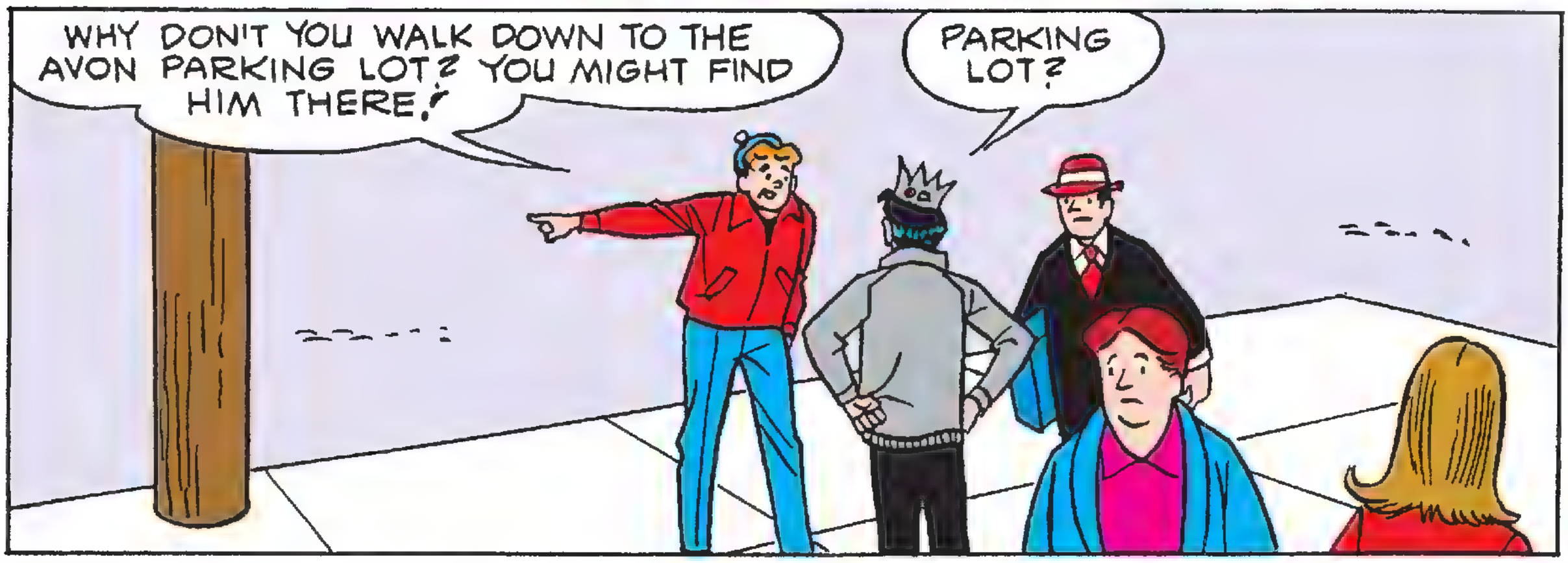

AW, THEY INSIST I MAKE THE COLLEGE SCENE! THEY NEVER WENT SO THEY WANT ME TO!
WHAT'S WRONG WITH THAT?

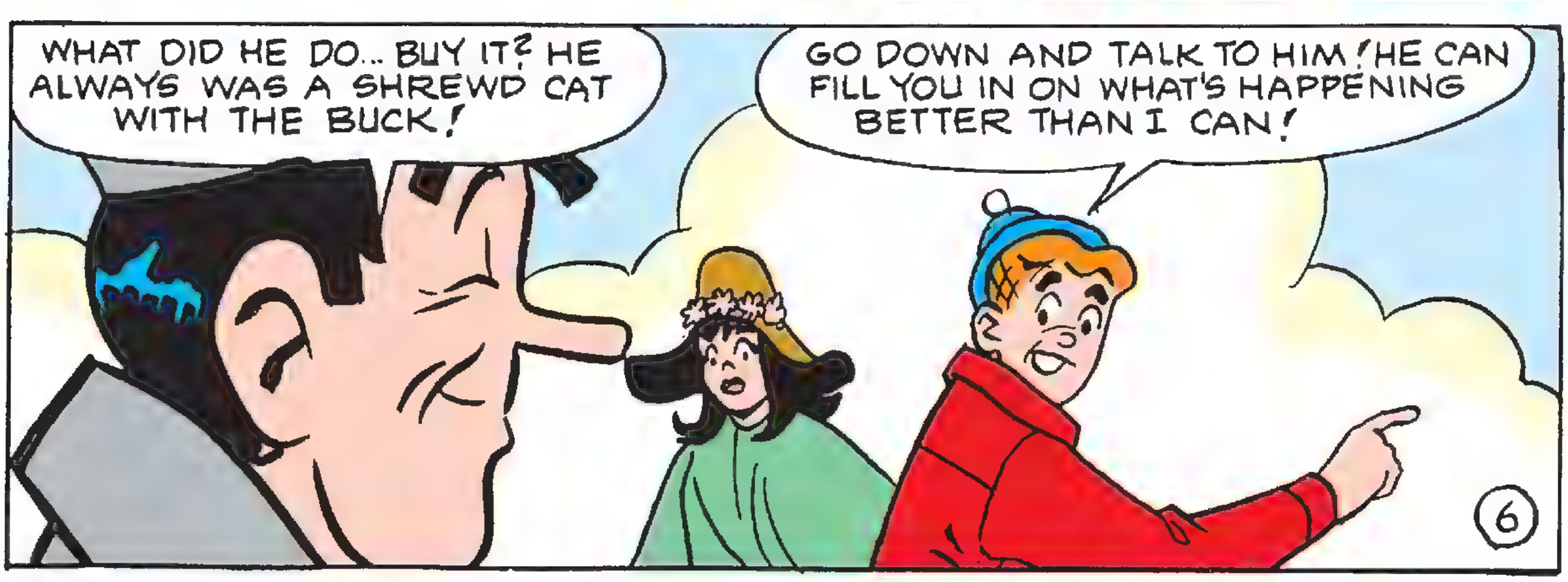
I JUST CAN'T SEE MYSELF SWEATING OUT FOUR YEARS OF COLLEGE LEARNING HOW TO BE ESTABLISHMENT...


...WHEN I'D RATHER FOLLOW A CAREER IN MUSIC LIKE MY OLD FRIEND SONNY CHER!

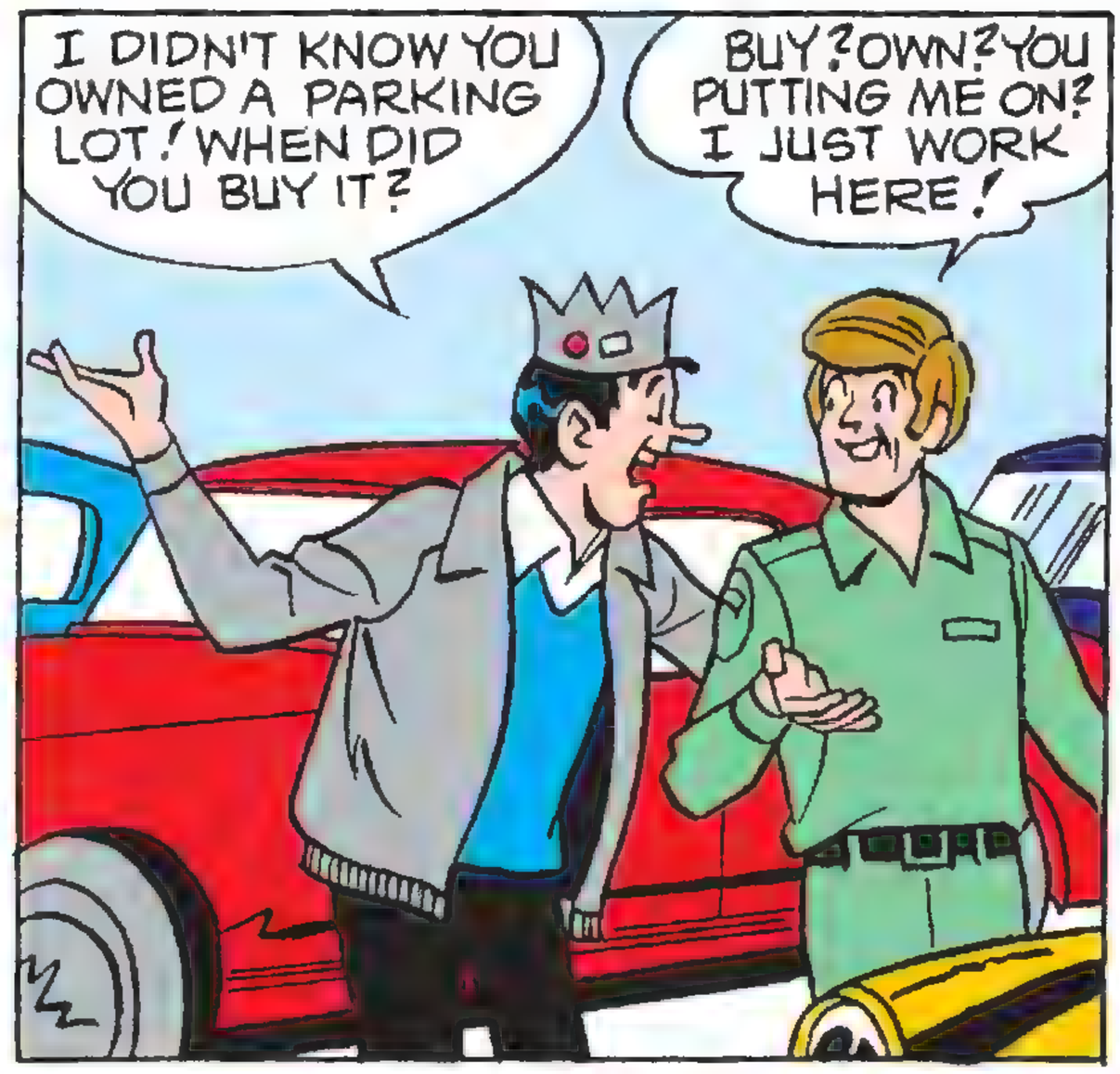

MAN, HE USED TO KNOCK ME OUT, THE WAY HE HANDLED THE SKINS!
YEAH! HE WAS REAL COOL, JUG!


I WONDER WHERE HE'S MAKING THE MUSIC SCENE THESE DAYS! I HAVEN'T SEEN HIM FOR QUITE A WHILE!

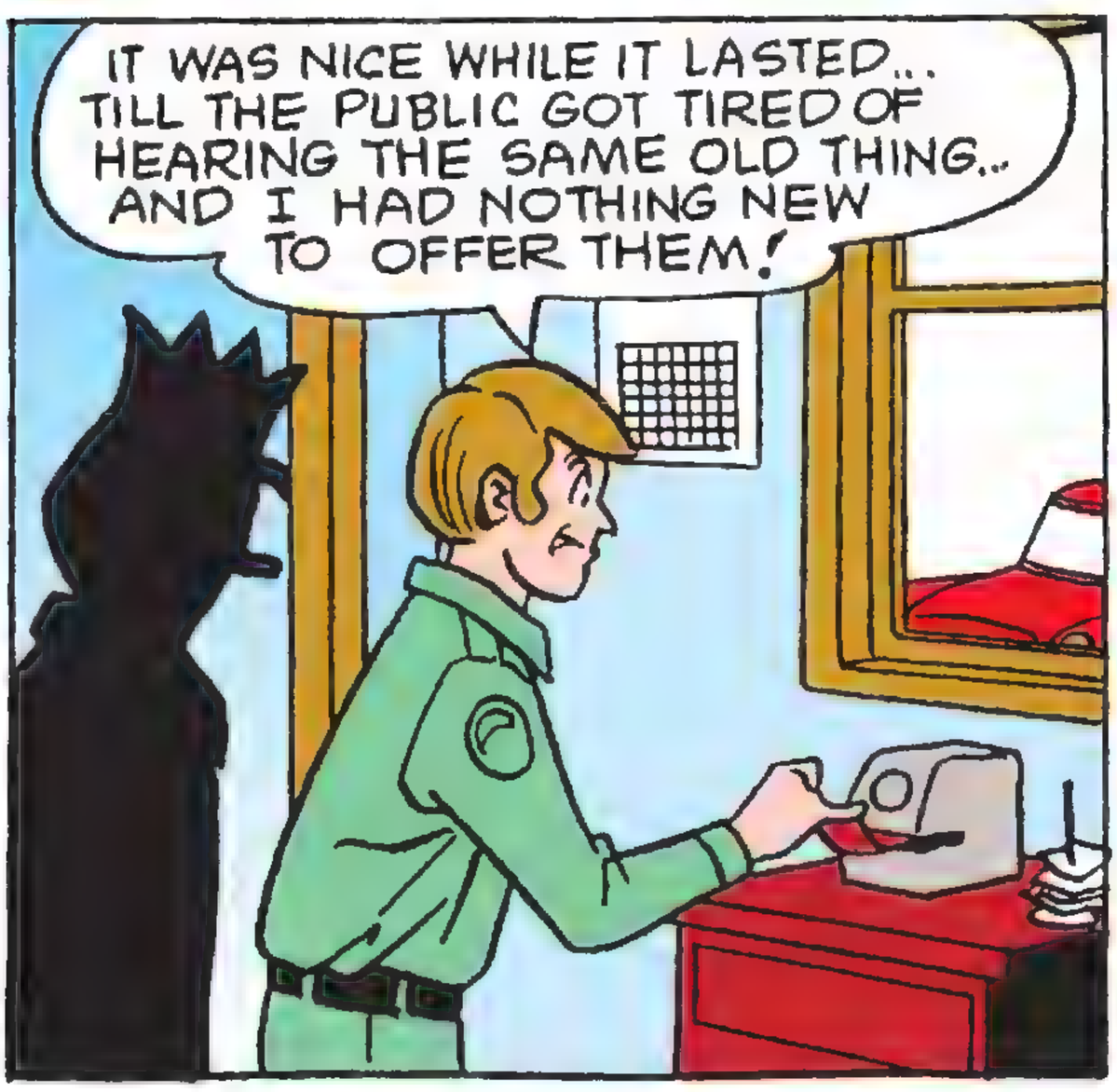

WHY DON'T YOU WALK DOWN TO THE AVON PARKING LOT? YOU MIGHT FIND HIM THERE!
PARKING LOT?


WHAT DID HE DO... BUY IT? HE ALWAYS WAS A SHREWD CAT WITH THE BUCK!
GO DOWN AND TALK TO HIM! HE CAN FILL YOU IN ON WHAT'S HAPPENING BETTER THAN I CAN!

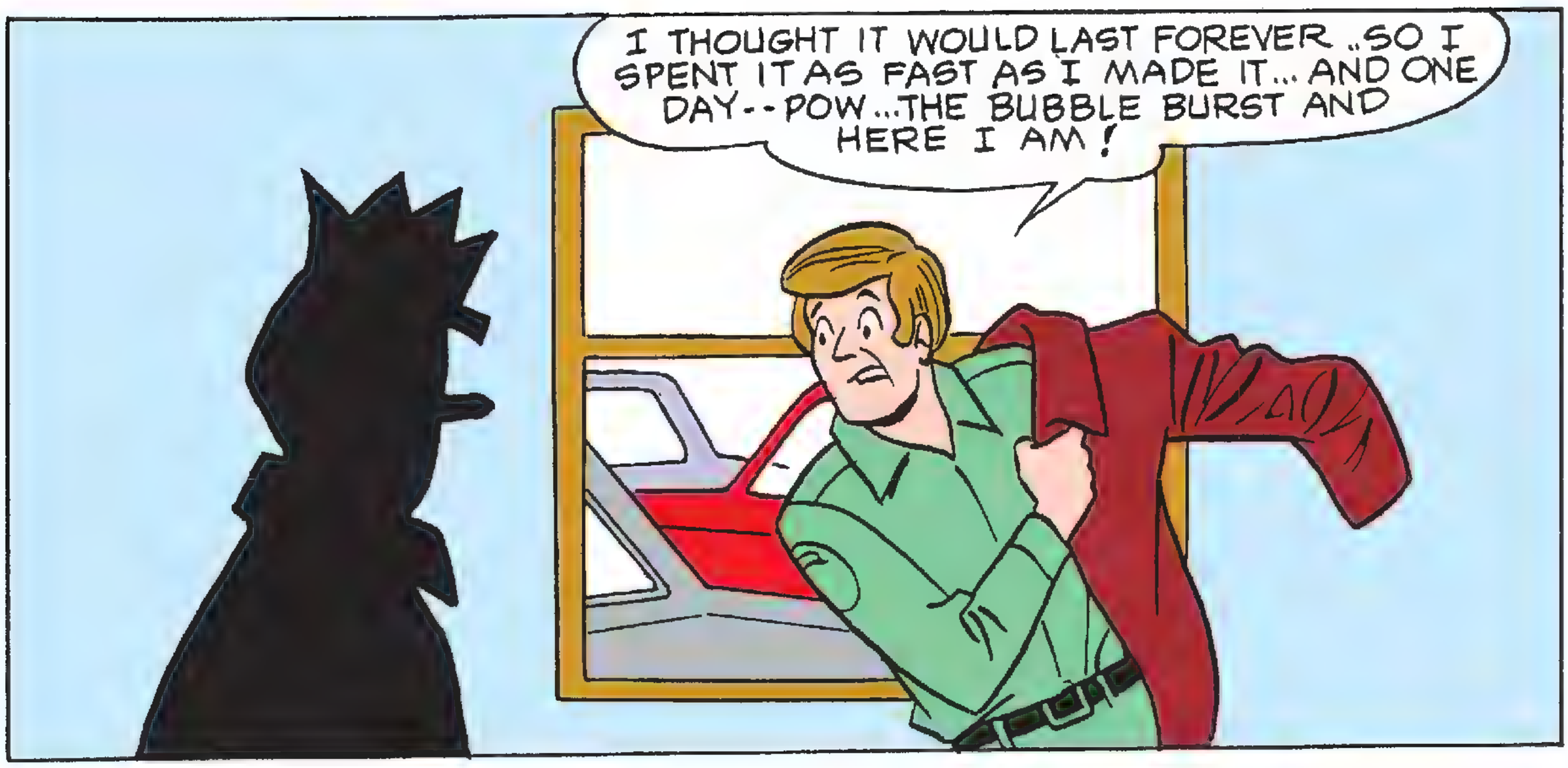
HEY! SONNY! HOW ARE YA, FELLA?
HEY, JUG! LONG TIME NO SEE!
OFF

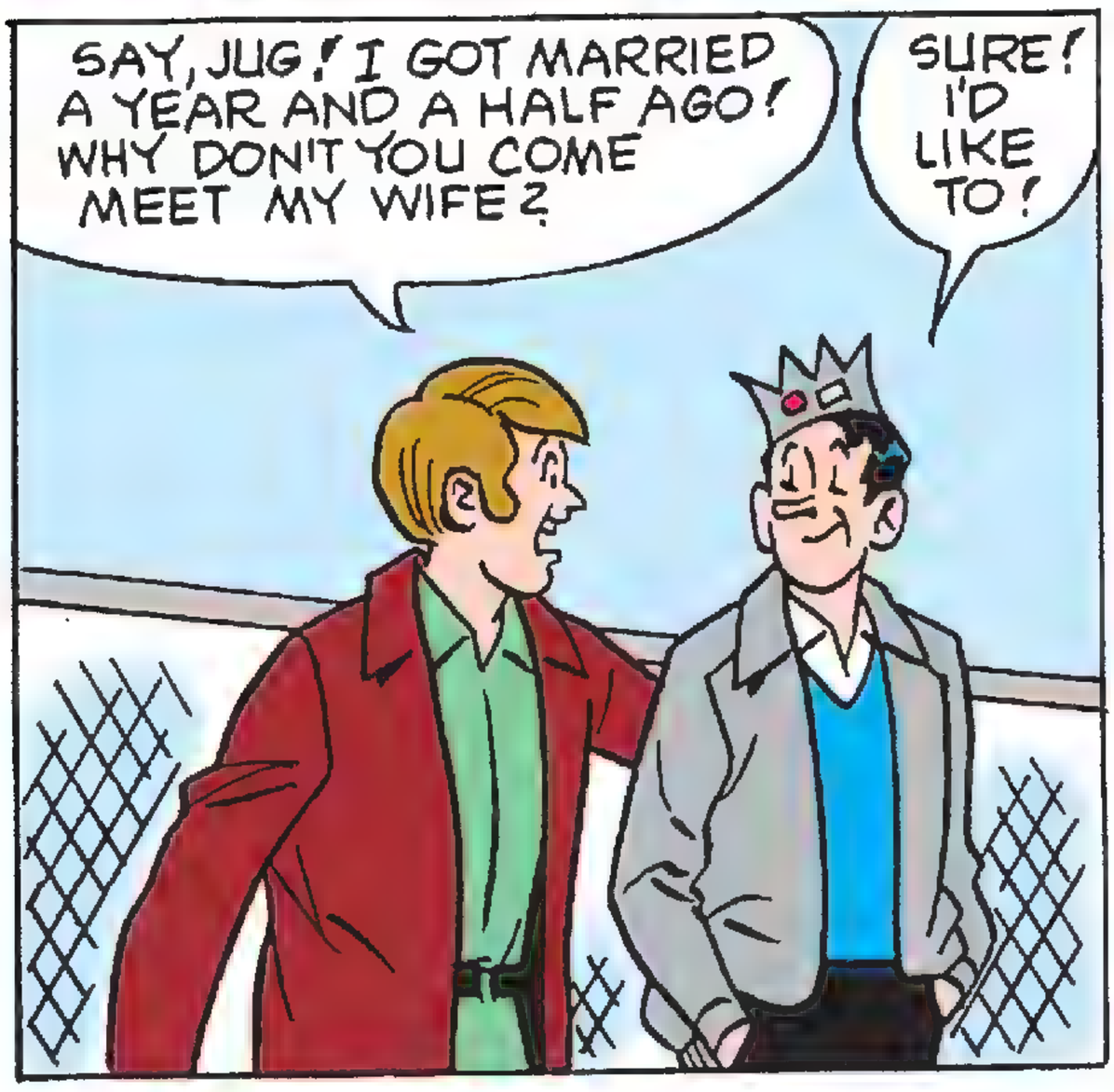

I DIDN'T KNOW YOU OWNED A PARKING LOT! WHEN DID YOU BUY IT?
BUY? OWN? YOU PUTTING ME ON? I JUST WORK HERE!

YOU WORK HERE? YOU A PARKING LOT ATTENDANT? WHAT HAPPENED TO ALL THE MONEY YOU MADE WITH YOUR COMBO AND HIT RECORDS?
YOU KNOW HOW IT IS! EASY COME, EASY GO!

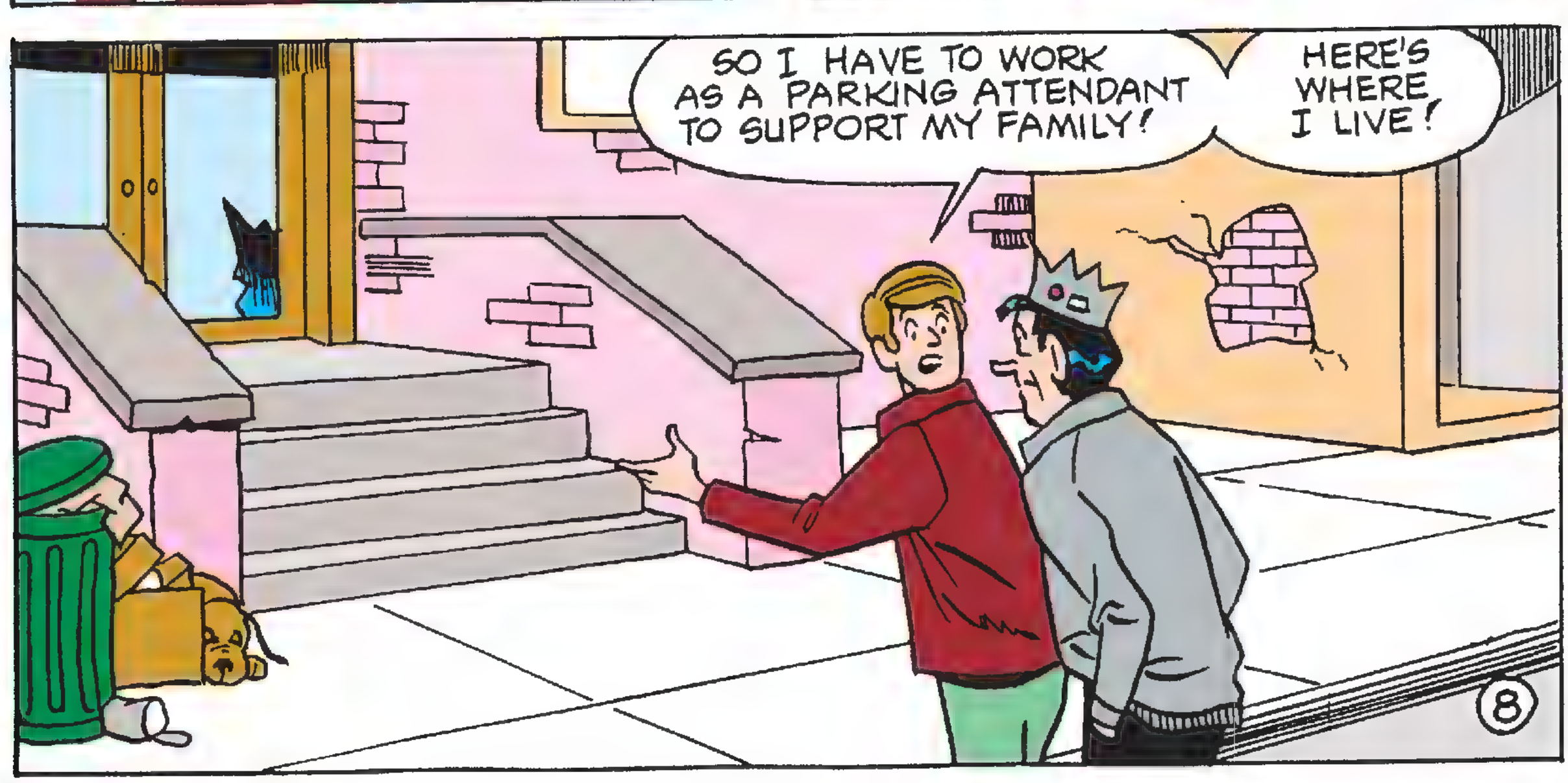

IT WAS NICE WHILE IT LASTED... TILL THE PUBLIC GOT TIRED OF HEARING THE SAME OLD THING... AND I HAD NOTHING NEW TO OFFER THEM!

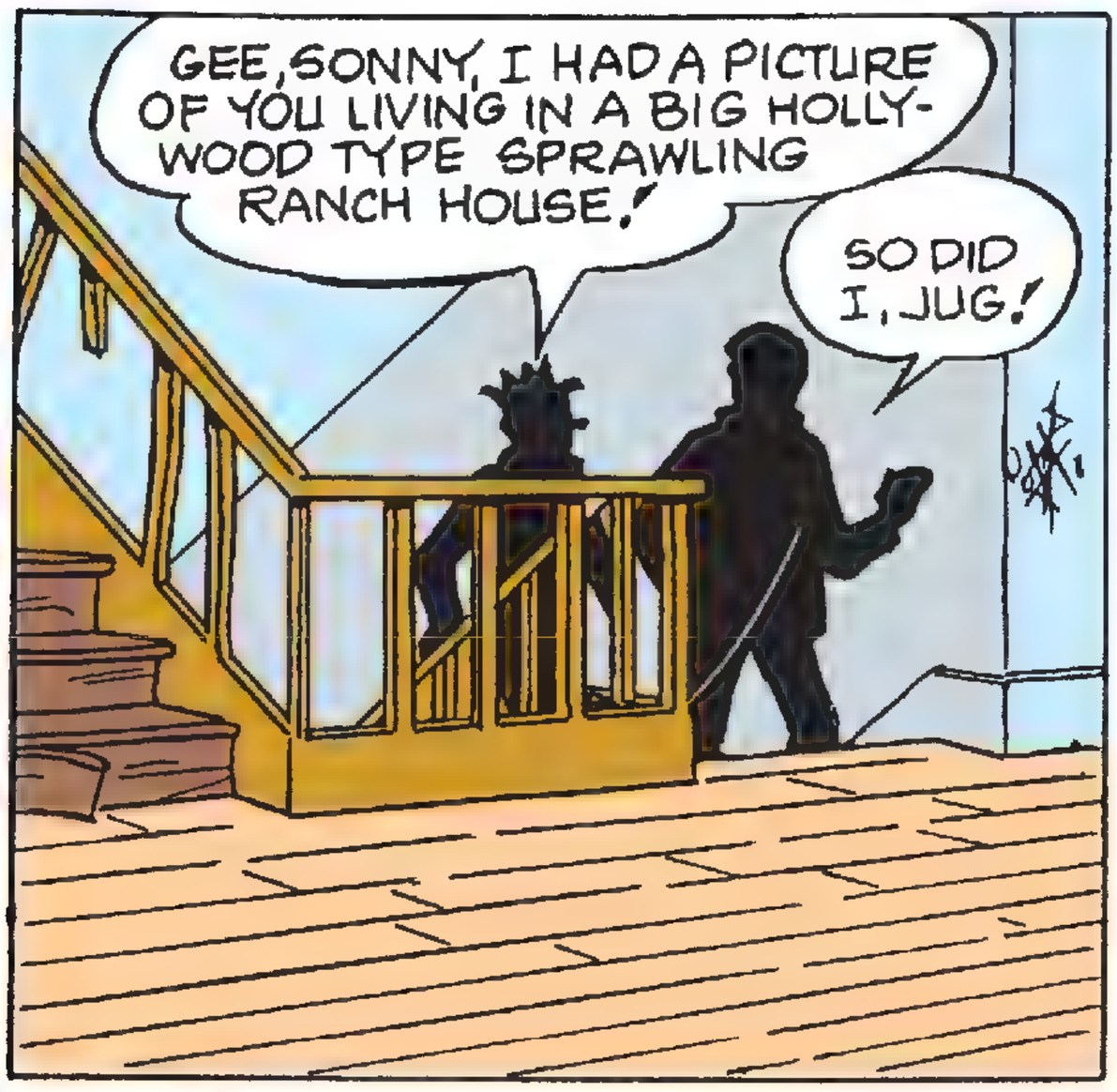
BUT WHAT HAPPENED WITH ALL THE MONEY YOU MADE? DIDN'T YOU INVEST IT?
NO! I WASN'T THAT SMART!


I THOUGHT IT WOULD LAST FOREVER ..SO I SPENT IT AS FAST AS I MADE IT... AND ONE DAY--POW...THE BUBBLE BURST AND HERE I AM!

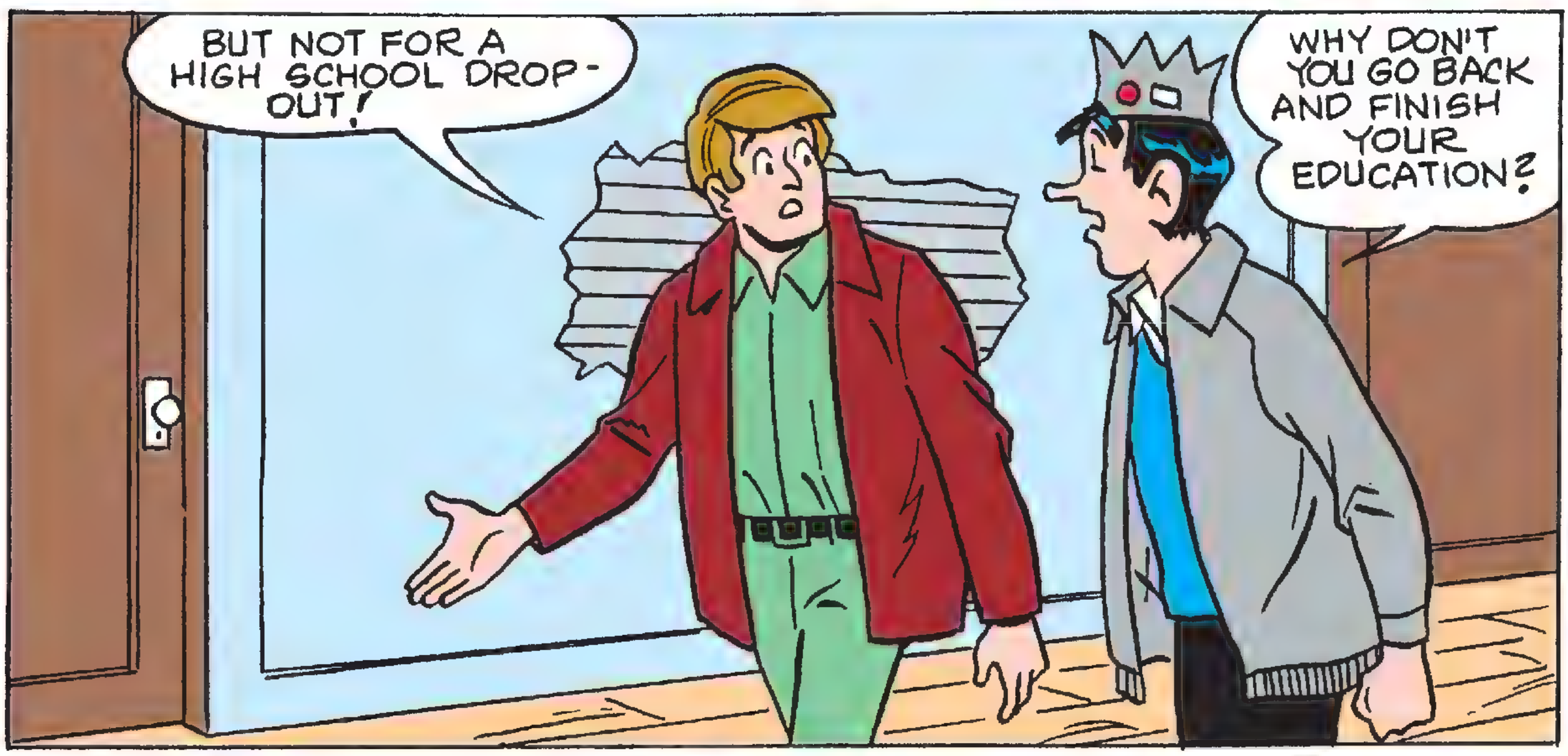

SAY, JUG! I GOT MARRIED A YEAR AND A HALF AGO! WHY DON'T YOU COME MEET MY WIFE?
SURE! I'D LIKE TO!

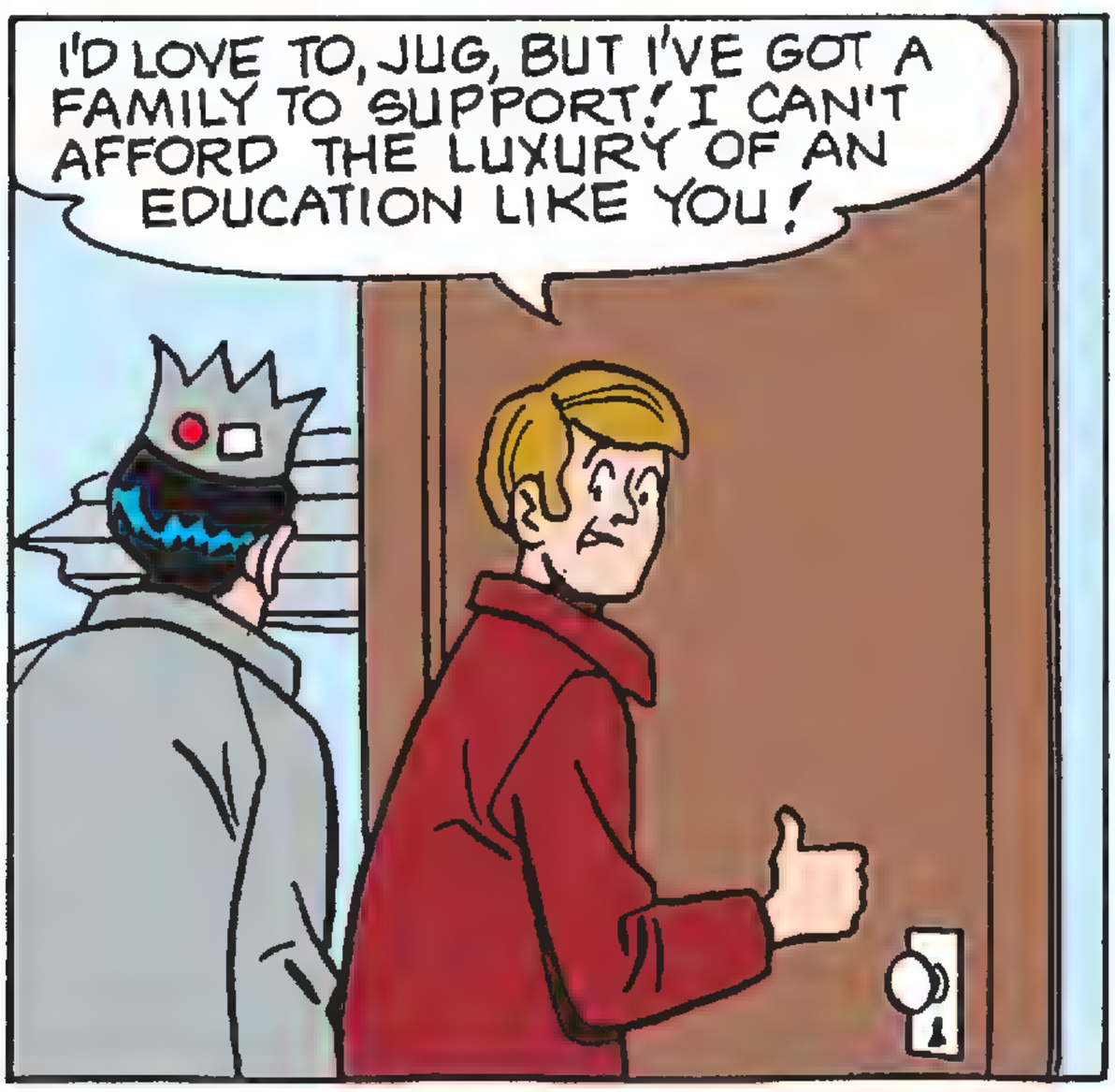
SO YOU DON'T PLAY THE DRUMS ANYMORE?
OH, I GET A BOOKING ONCE IN AWHILE, BUT NOTHING LIKE IT USED TO BE!

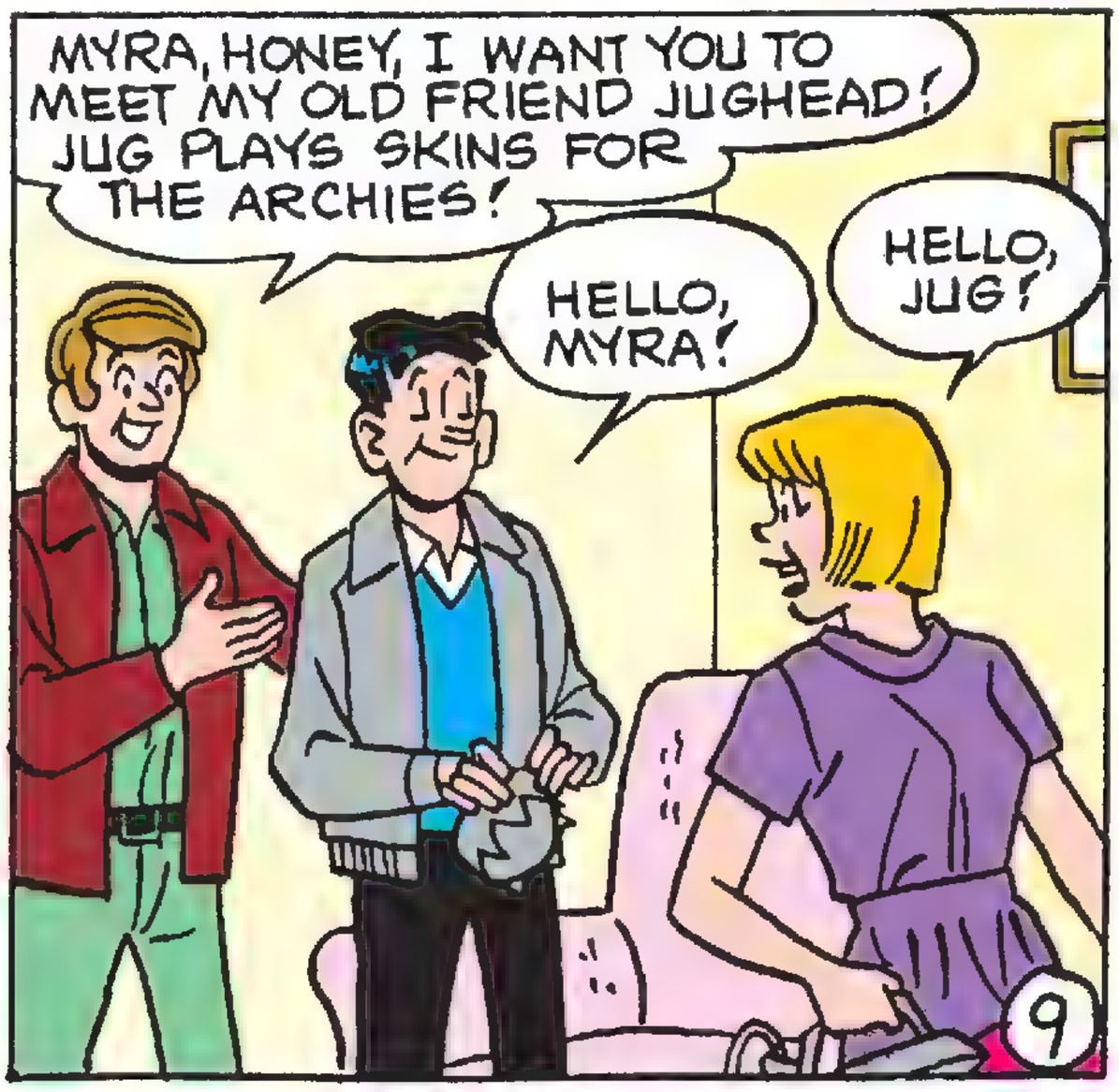

SO I HAVE TO WORK AS A PARKING ATTENDANT TO SUPPORT MY FAMILY!
HERE'S WHERE I LIVE!

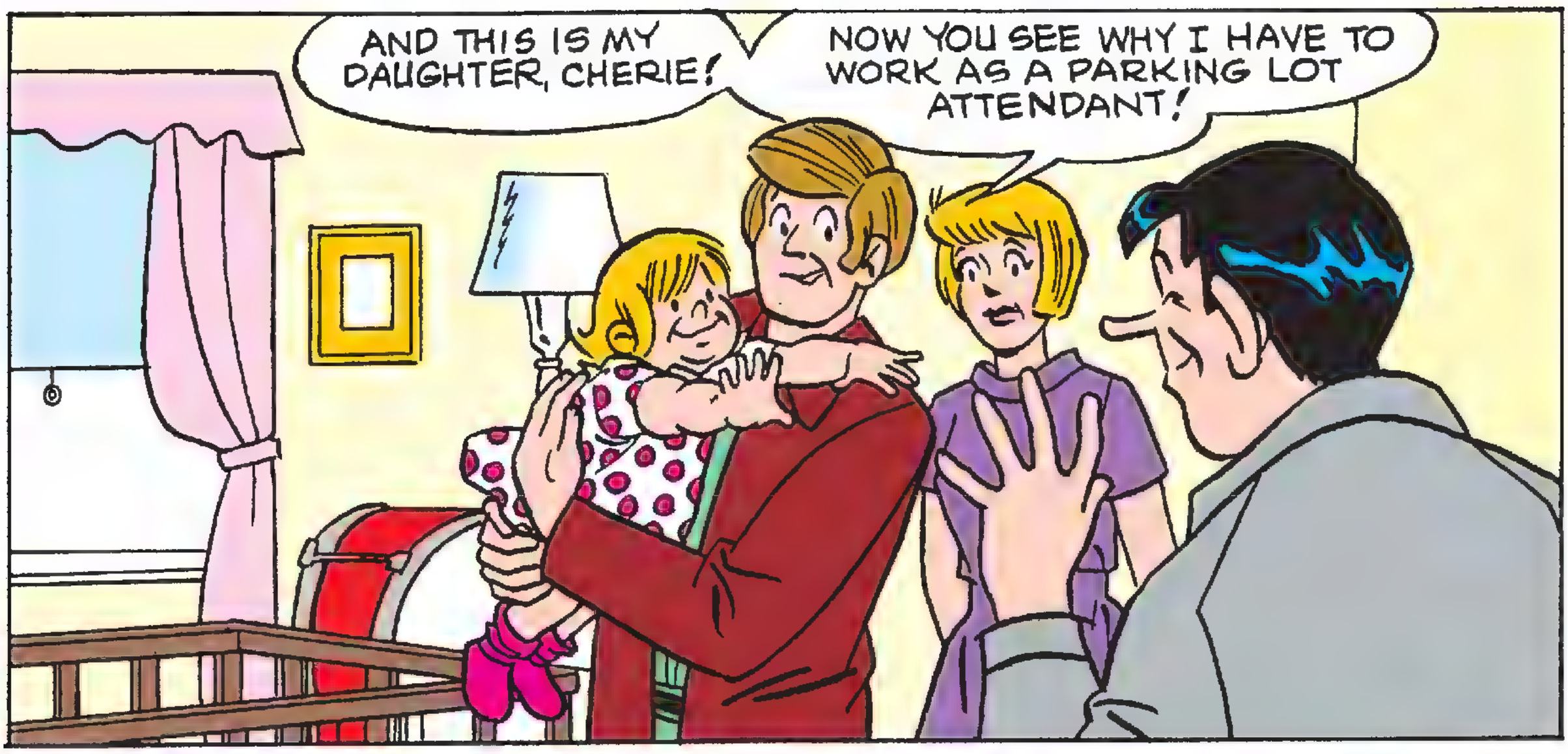

GEE, SONNY, I HAD A PICTURE OF YOU LIVING IN A BIG HOLLYWOOD TYPE SPRAWLING RANCH HOUSE!
SO DID I, JUG!

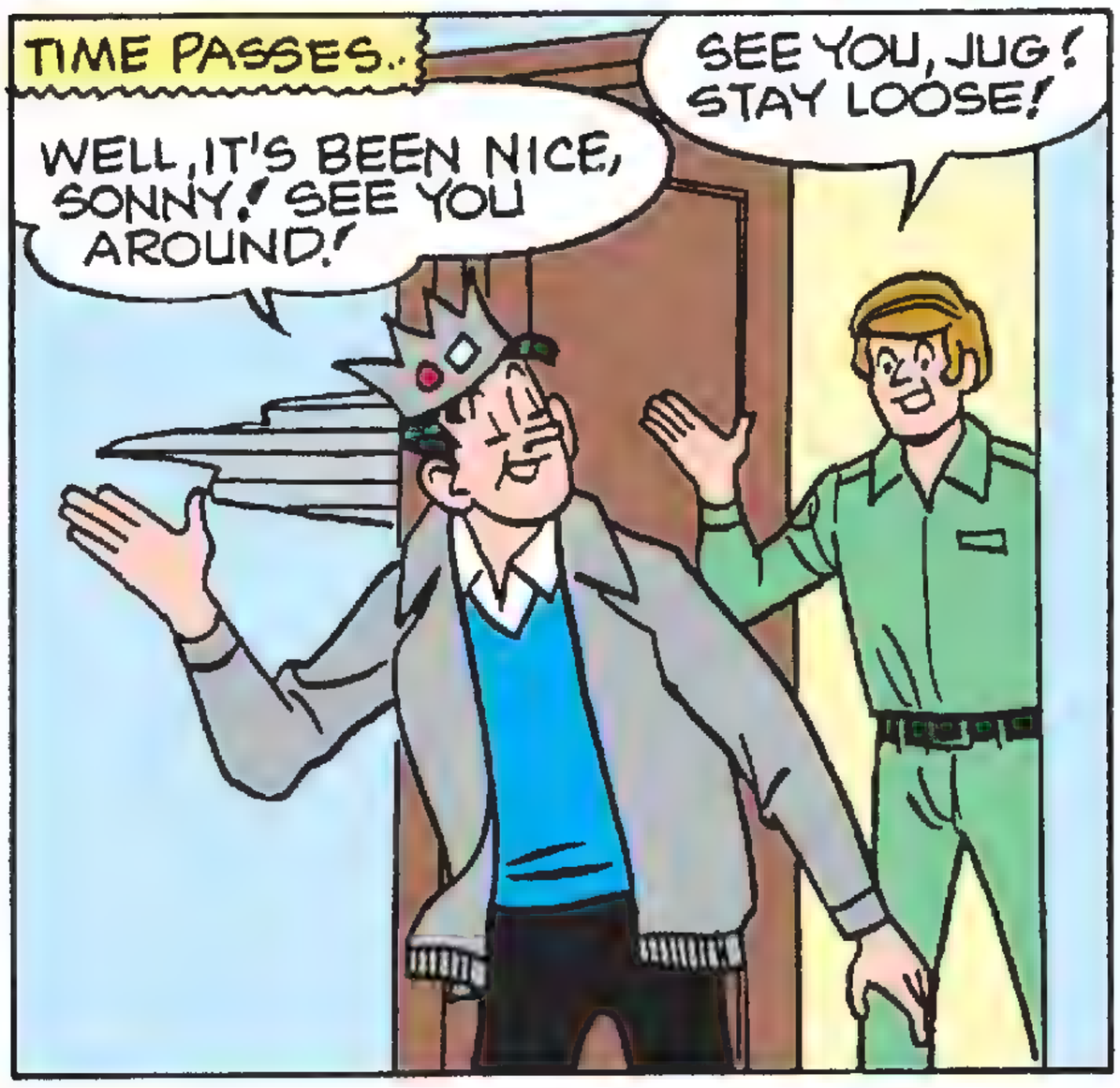
BUT THERE MUST BE BETTER JOBS THAN BEING A PARKING LOT ATTENDANT!
SURE THERE ARE, JUG!

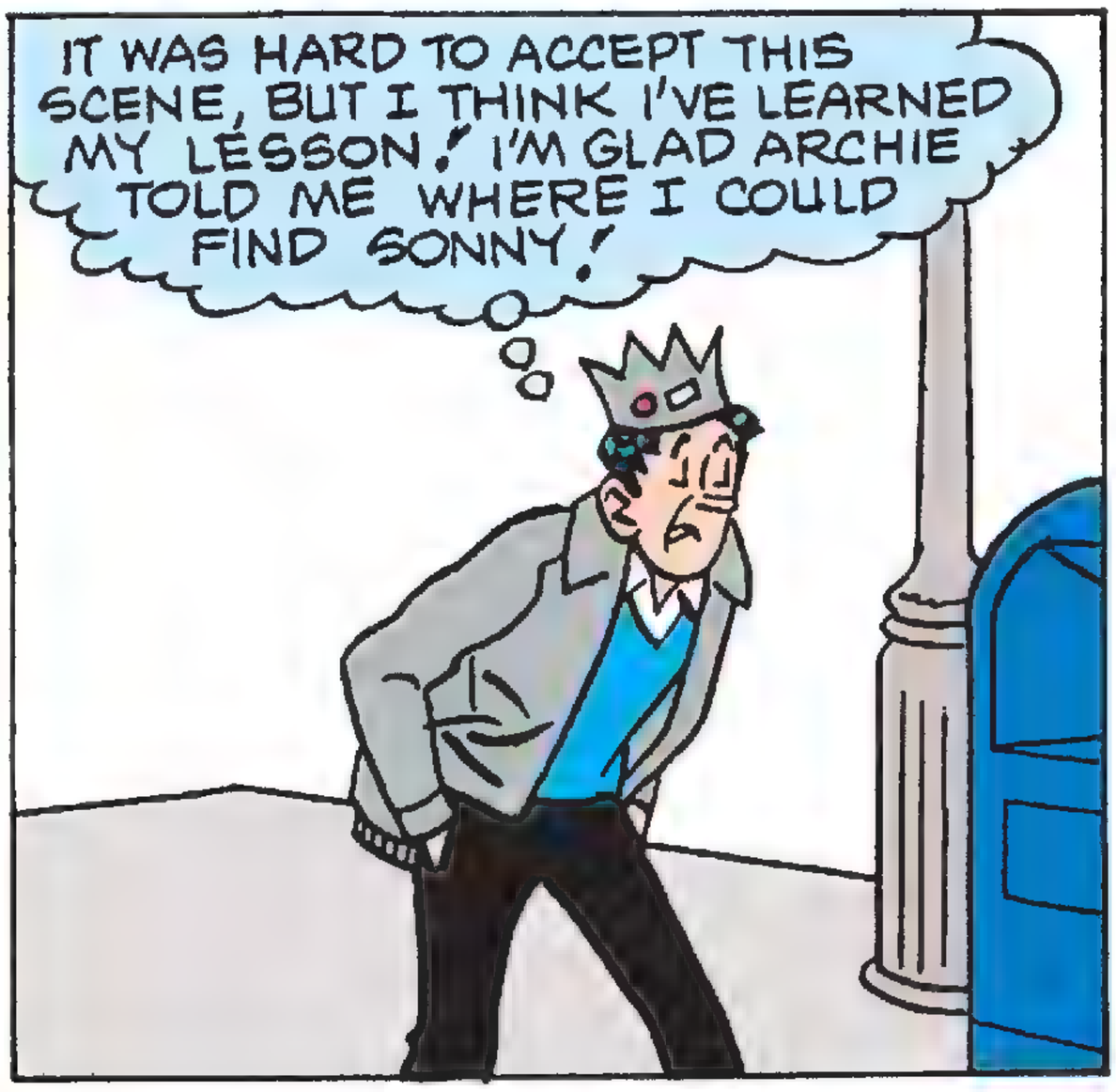

BUT NOT FOR A HIGH SCHOOL DROP-OUT!
WHY DON'T YOU GO BACK AND FINISH YOUR EDUCATION?

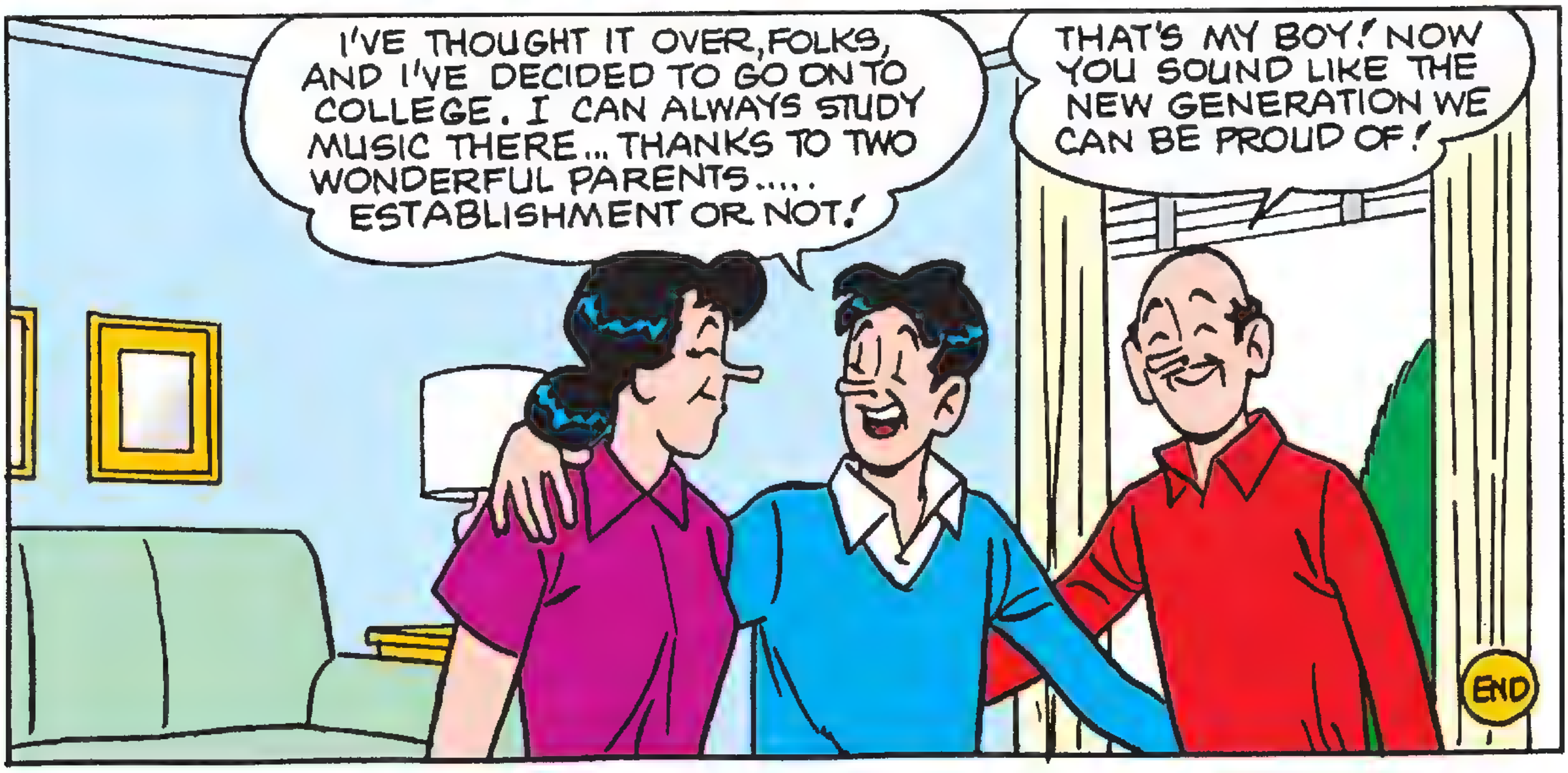

I'D LOVE TO, JUG, BUT I'VE GOT A FAMILY TO SUPPORT! I CAN'T AFFORD THE LUXURY OF AN EDUCATION LIKE YOU!


MYRA, HONEY, I WANT YOU TO MEET MY OLD FRIEND JUGHEAD! JUG PLAYS SKINS FOR THE ARCHIES!
HELLO, MYRA!
HELLO, JUG!


AND THIS IS MY DAUGHTER, CHERIE!
NOW YOU SEE WHY I HAVE TO WORK AS A PARKING LOT ATTENDANT!


TIME PASSES..
WELL, IT'S BEEN NICE, SONNY! SEE YOU AROUND!
SEE YOU, JUG! STAY LOOSE!


IT WAS HARD TO ACCEPT THIS SCENE, BUT I THINK I'VE LEARNED MY LESSON! I'M GLAD ARCHIE TOLD ME WHERE I COULD FIND SONNY!


I'VE THOUGHT IT OVER, FOLKS, AND I'VE DECIDED TO GO ON TO COLLEGE. I CAN ALWAYS STUDY MUSIC THERE... THANKS TO TWO WONDERFUL PARENTS..... ESTABLISHMENT OR NOT!
THAT'S MY BOY! NOW YOU SOUND LIKE THE NEW GENERATION WE CAN BE PROUD OF!
END

WHO IS THE NEW GIRL IN RIVERDALE HIGH SCHOOL? AND IF SHE'S SO PRETTY, WHY ARE ARCHIE AND REGGIE RUNNING AWAY FROM HER? FINALLY, ALL YOUR QUESTIONS WILL BE ANSWERED...
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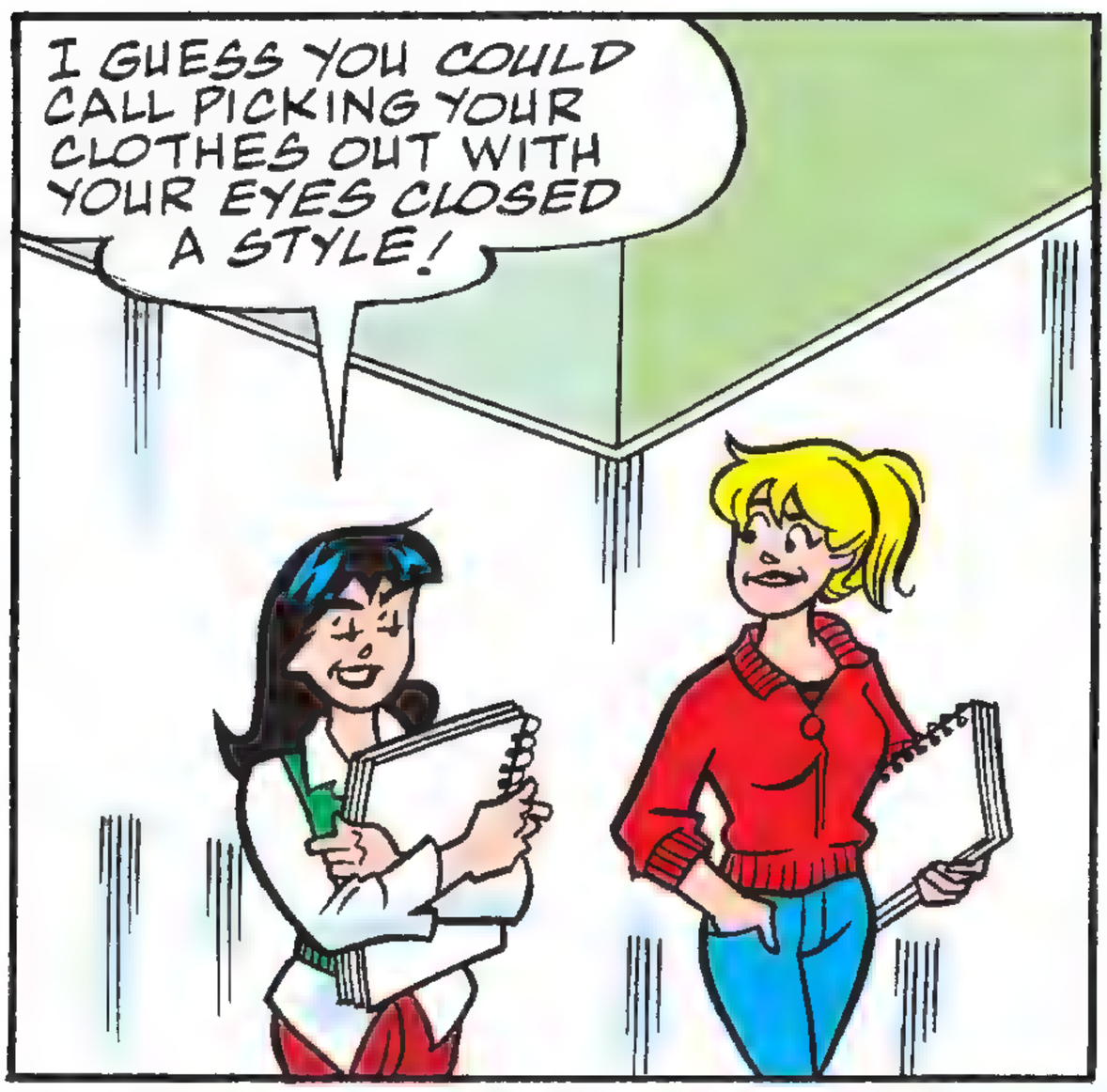
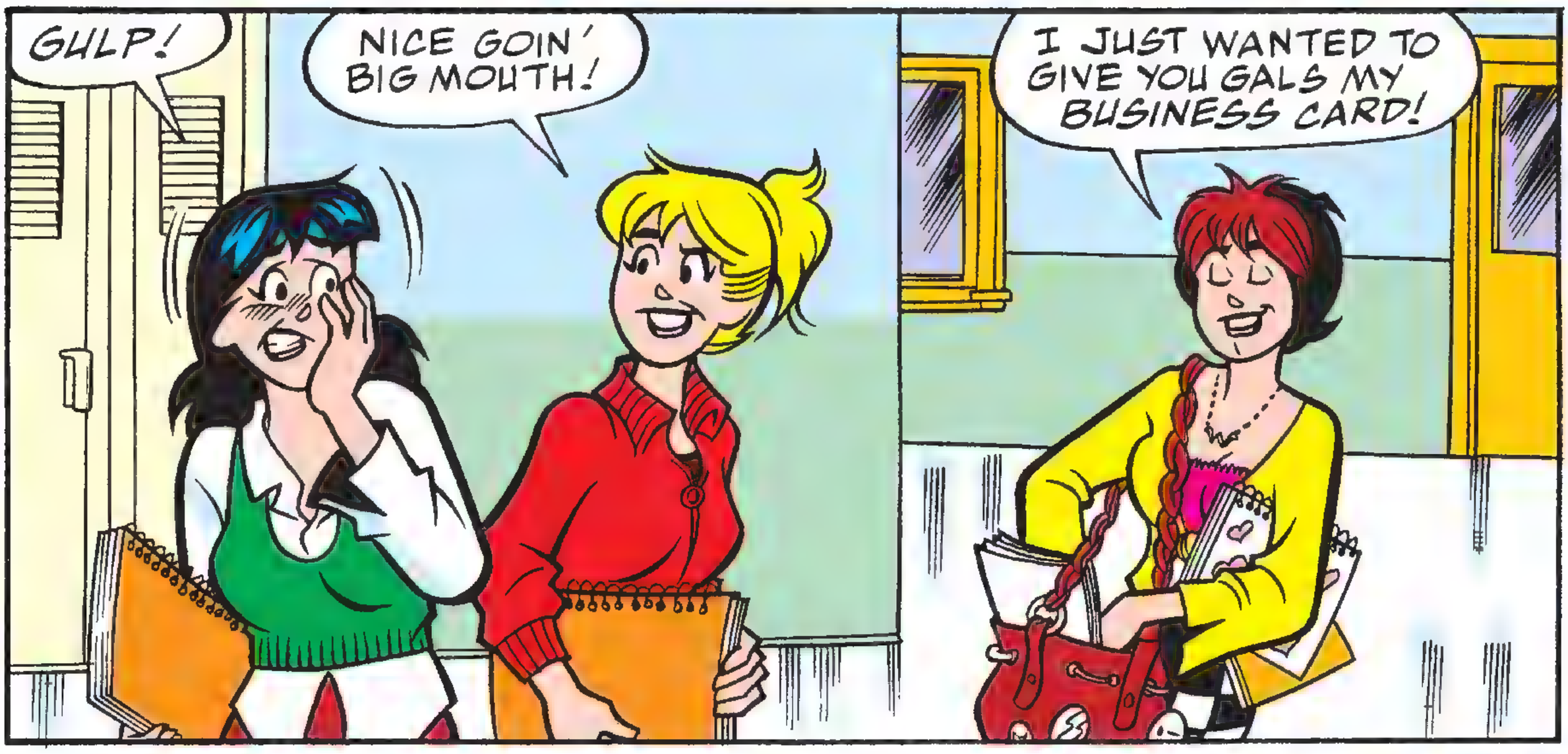
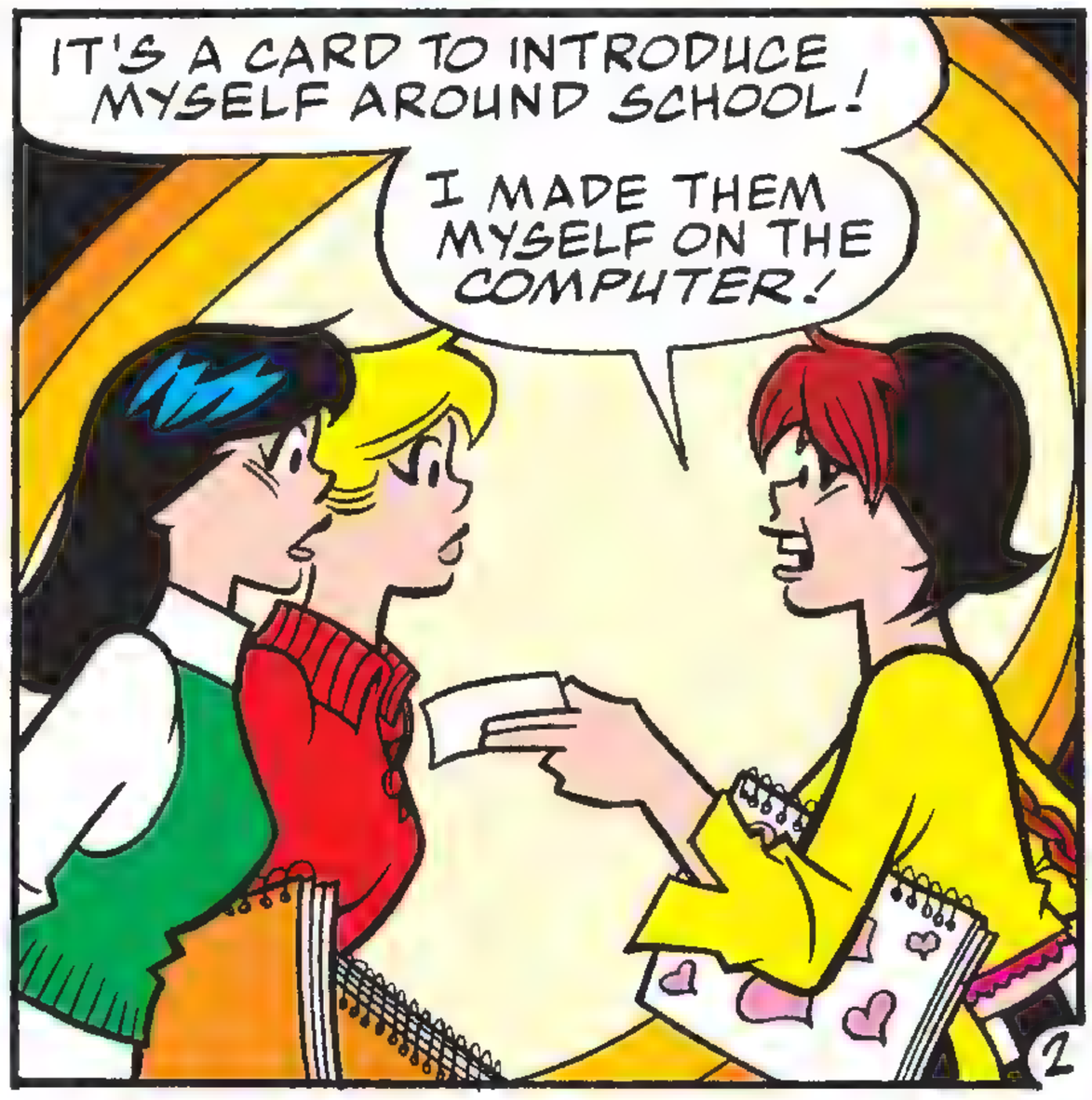
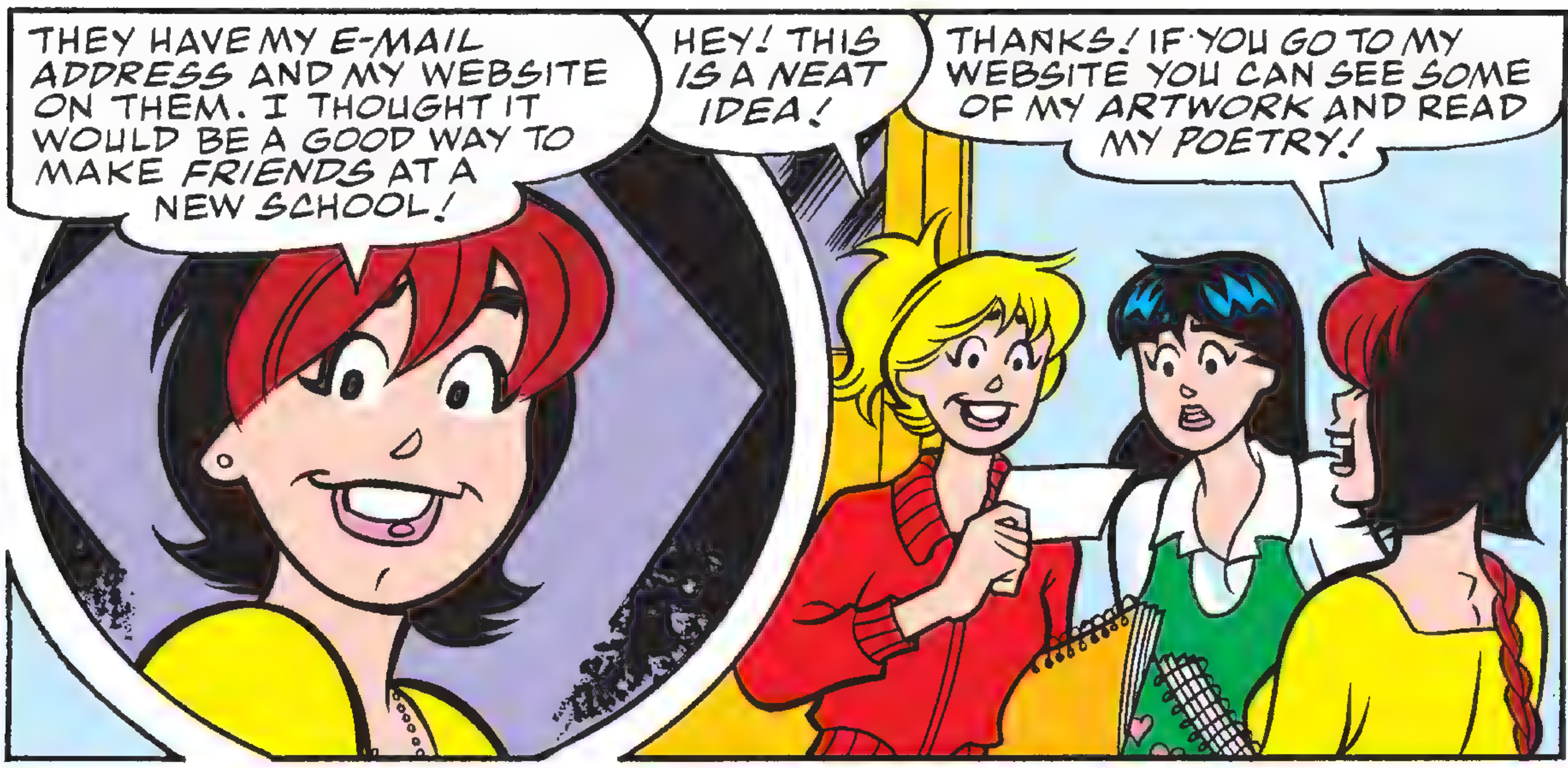

I GUESS YOU COULD CALL PICKING YOUR CLOTHES OUT WITH YOUR EYES CLOSED A STYLE!

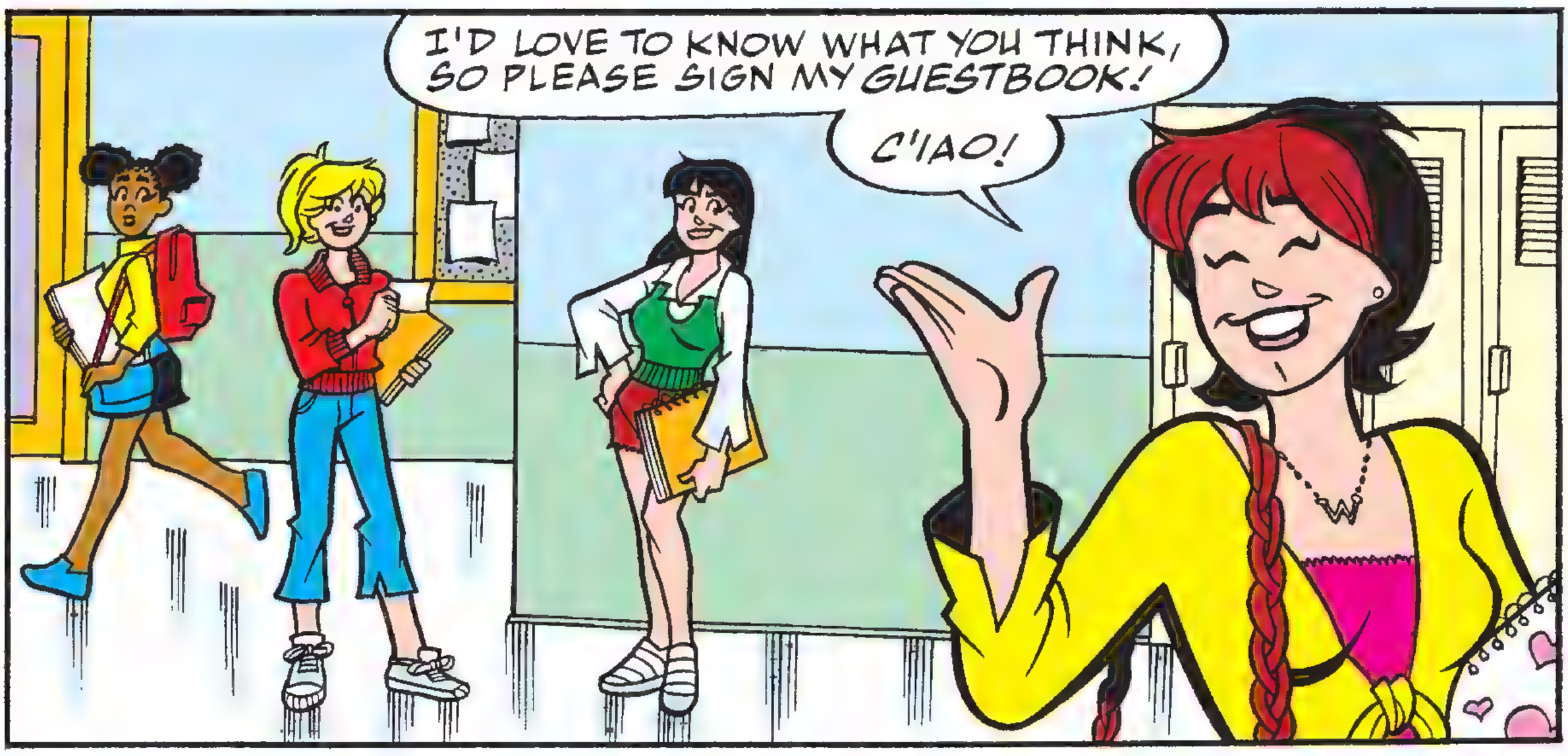
AND WHAT'S WITH THAT WEIRD NICKNAME? WHAT DOES SHE CALL HERSELF? T? U? V?
ACTUALLY... IT'S W.W.!

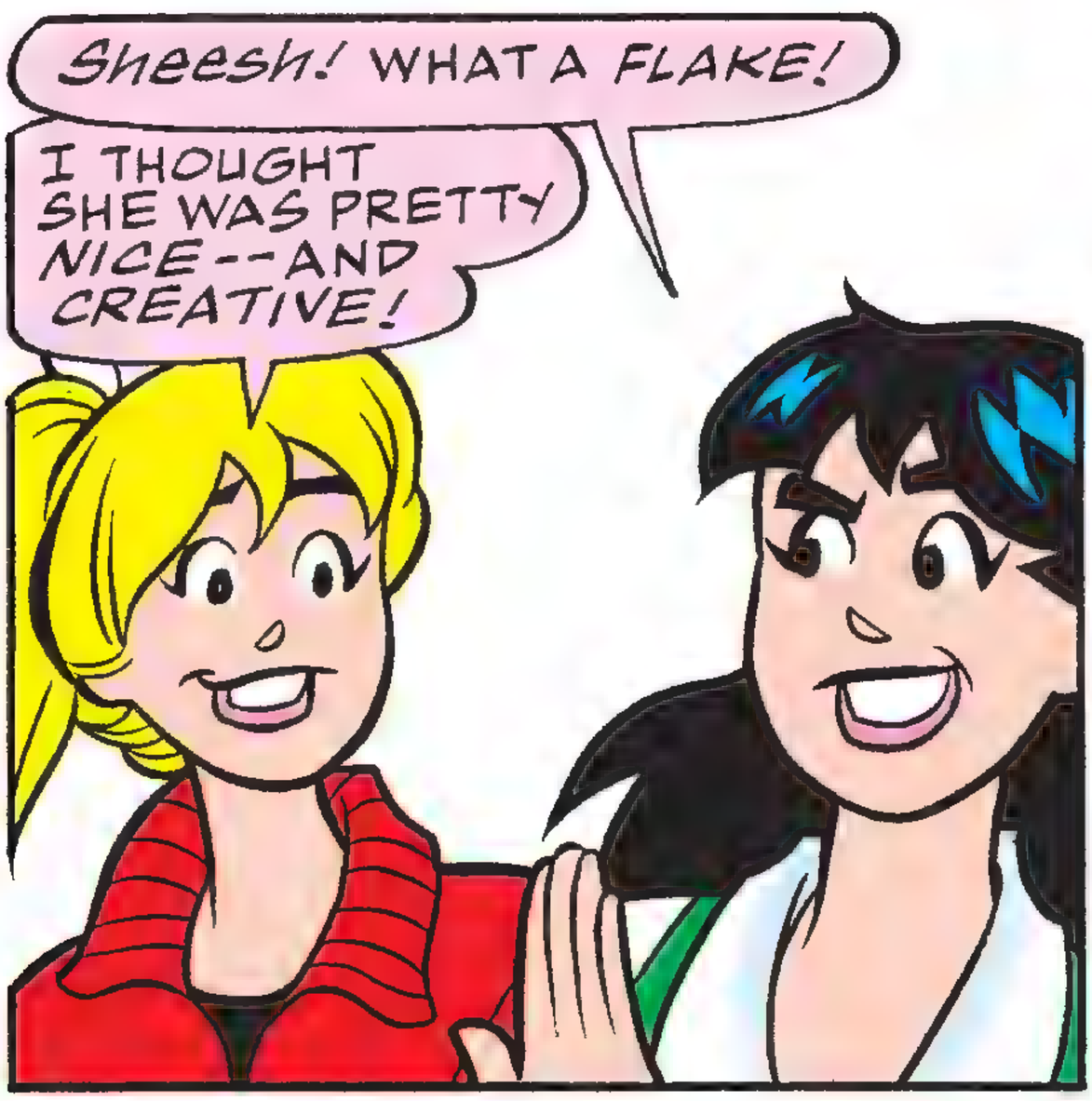

GULP!
NICE GOIN', BIG MOUTH!
I JUST WANTED TO GIVE YOU GALS MY BUSINESS CARD!

THANKS, BUT I ALREADY HAVE A HOUSE KEEPER!
IT'S NOT THAT KIND OF CARD!


IT'S A CARD TO INTRODUCE MYSELF AROUND SCHOOL!
I MADE THEM MYSELF ON THE COMPUTER!


THEY HAVE MY E-MAIL ADDRESS AND MY WEBSITE ON THEM. I THOUGHT IT WOULD BE A GOOD WAY TO MAKE FRIENDS AT A NEW SCHOOL!
HEY! THIS IS A NEAT IDEA!
THANKS! IF YOU GO TO MY WEBSITE YOU CAN SEE SOME OF MY ARTWORK AND READ MY POETRY!


I'D LOVE TO KNOW WHAT YOU THINK, SO PLEASE SIGN MY GUESTBOOK!
C'IAO!


Sheesh! WHAT A FLAKE!
I THOUGHT SHE WAS PRETTY NICE--AND CREATIVE!

EEY-OWW!!

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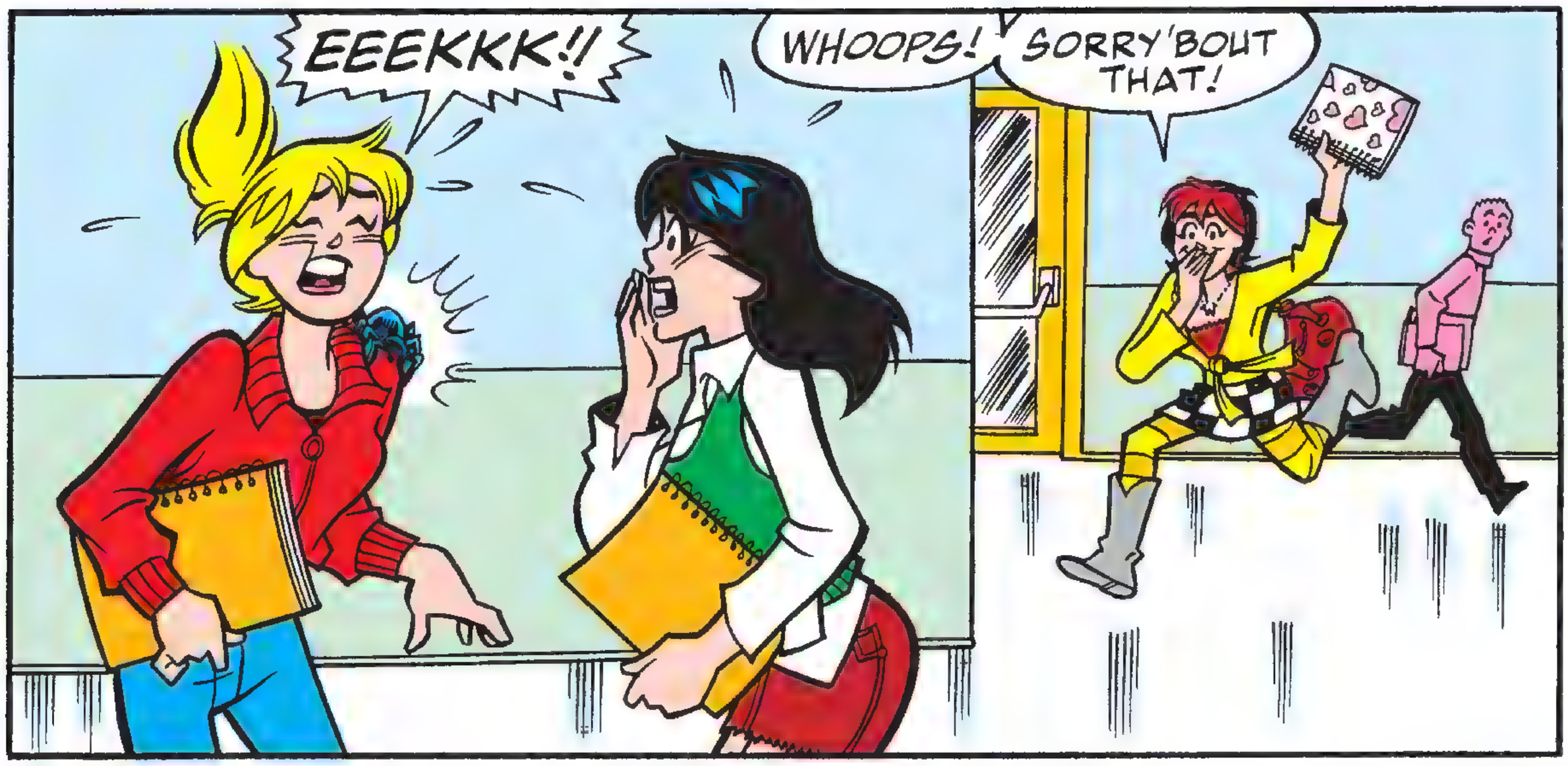
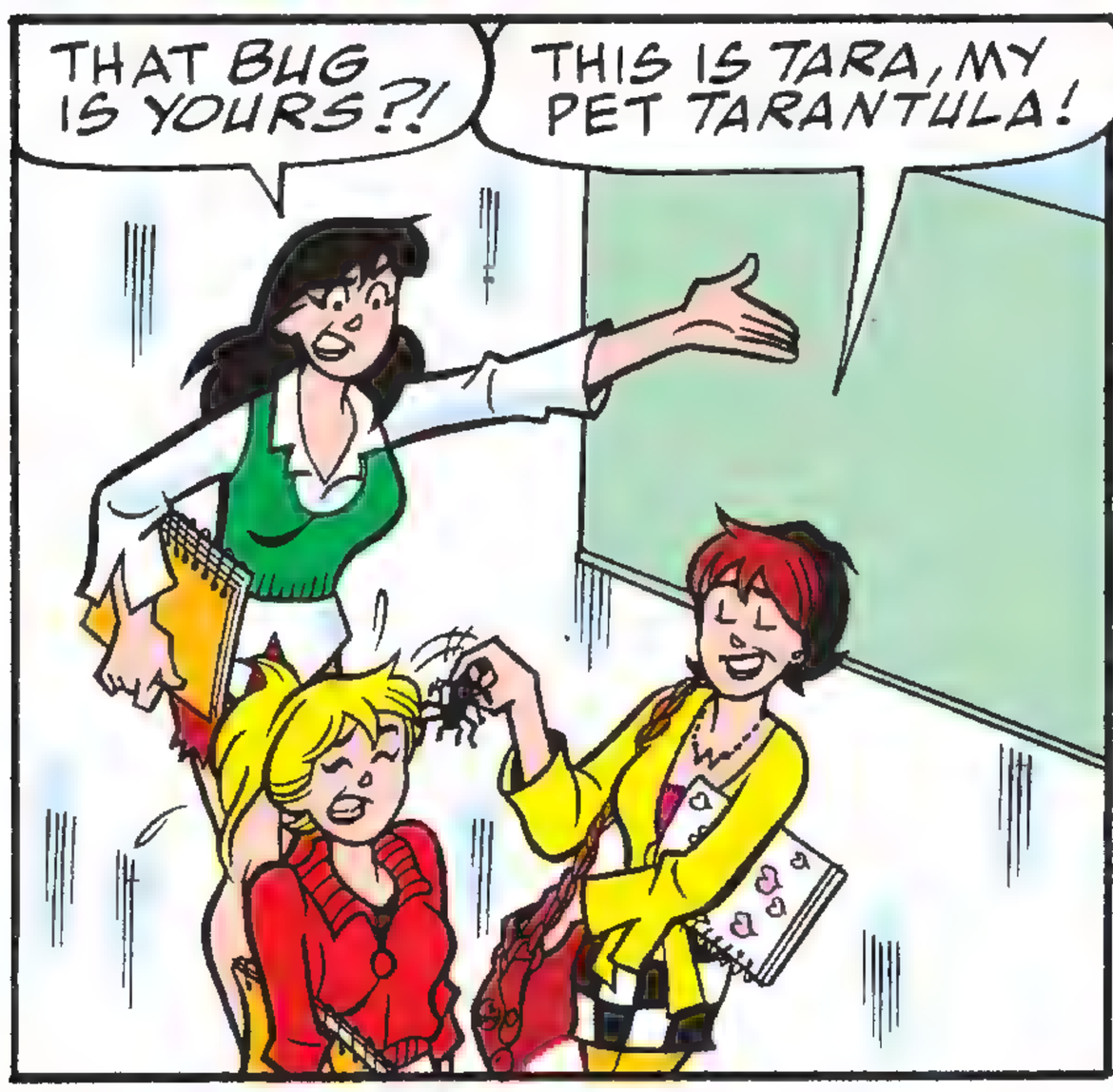
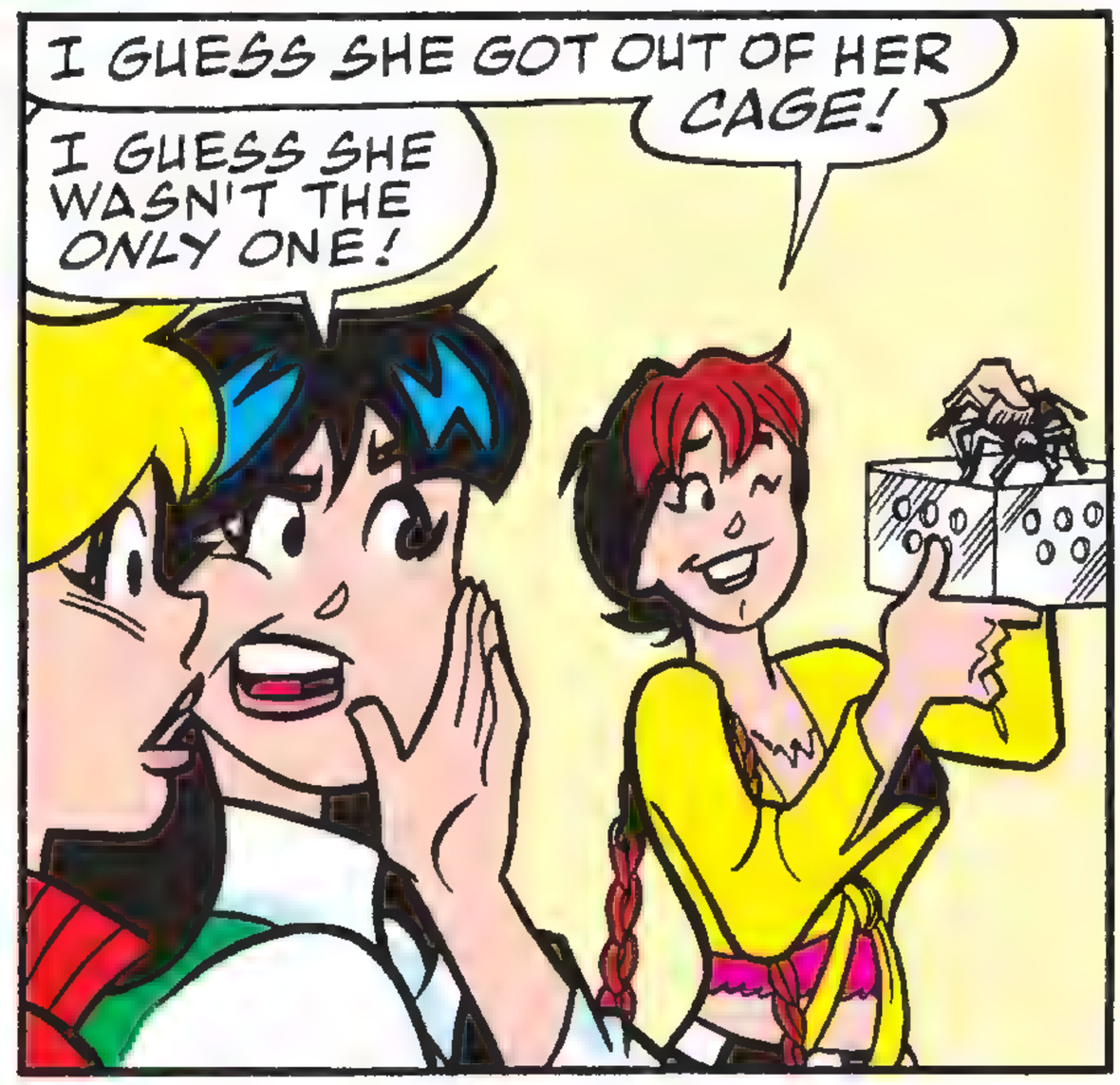
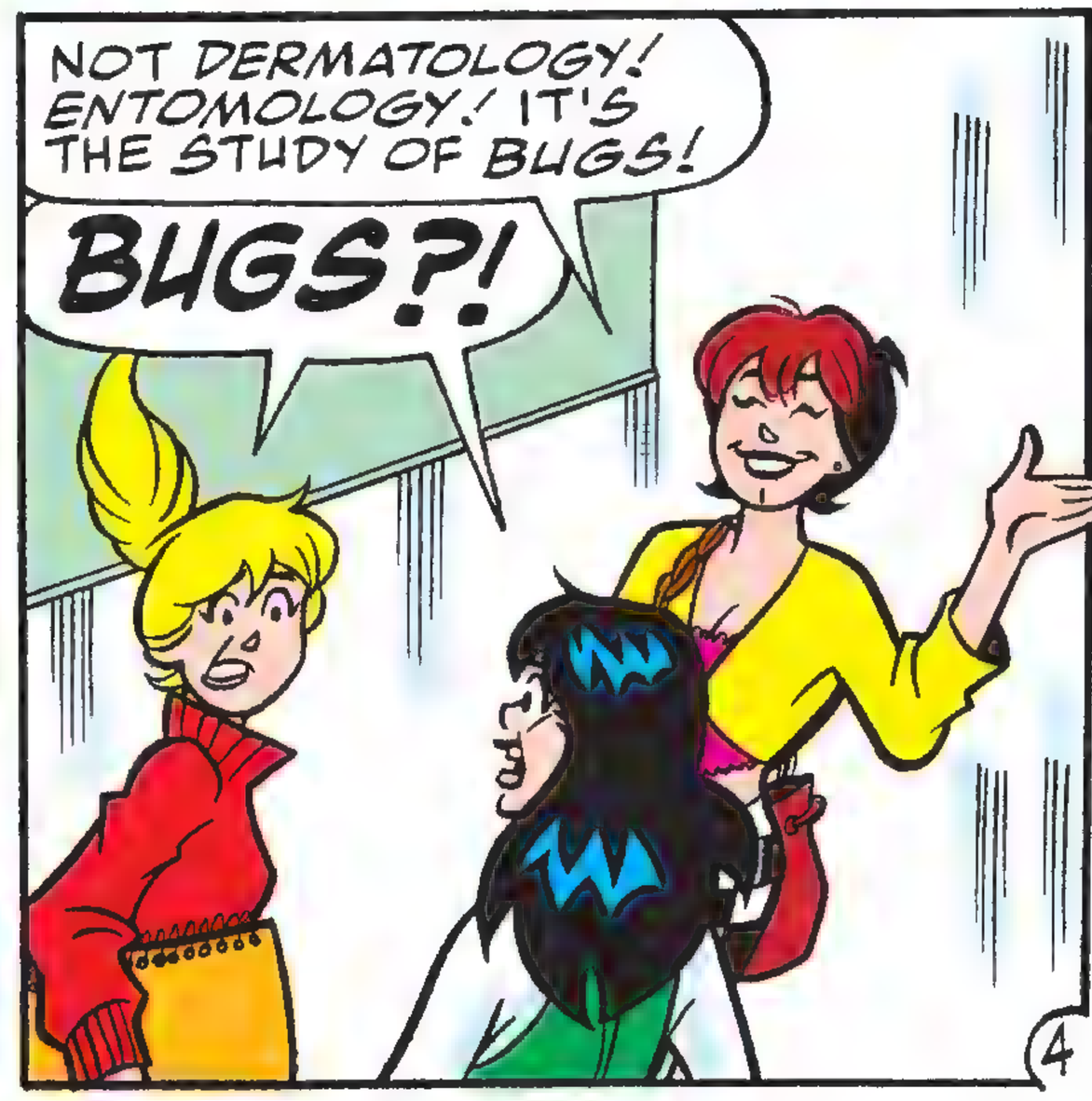
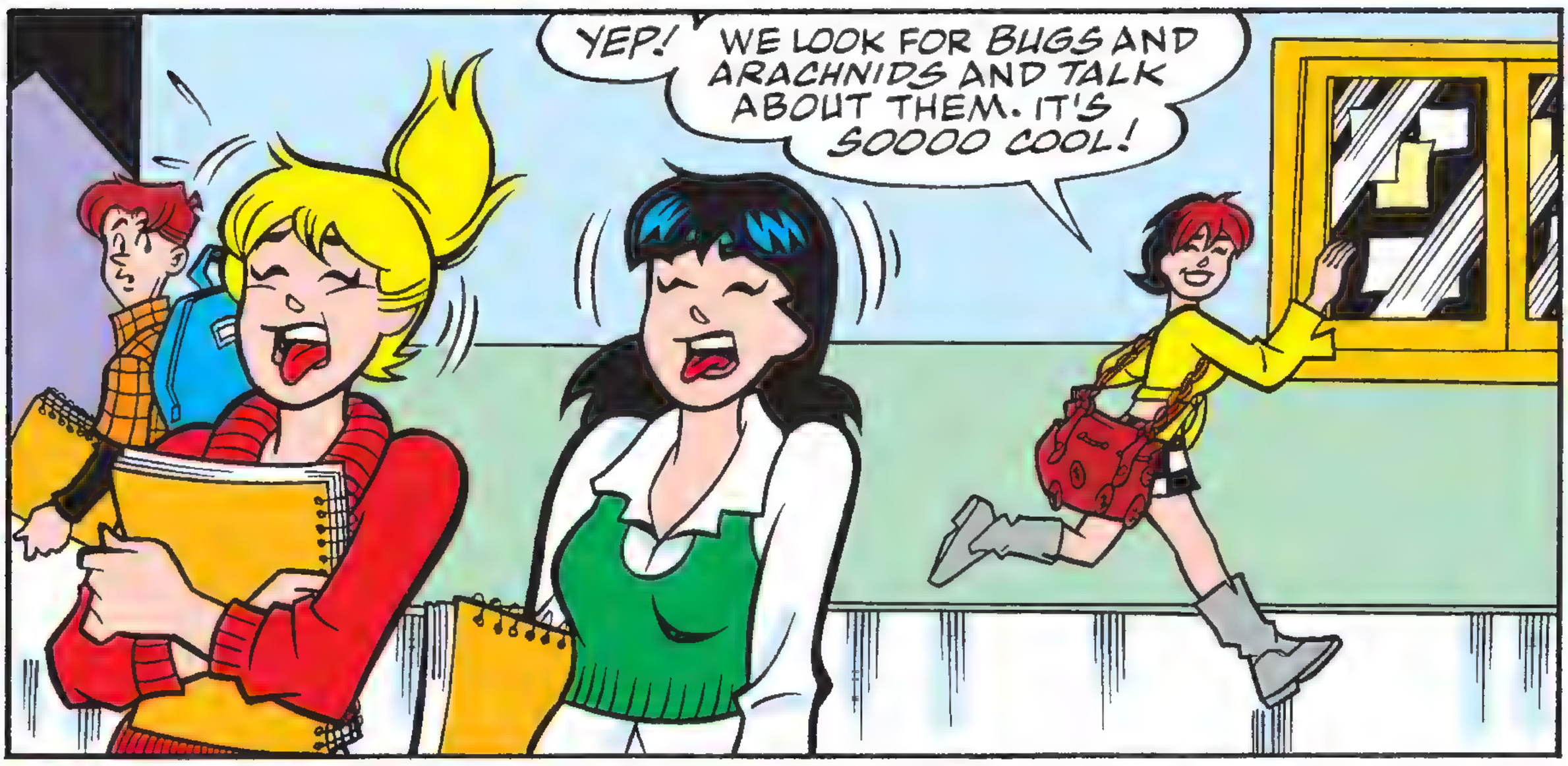

EEEKKK!!
WHOOPS!
SORRY 'BOUT THAT!

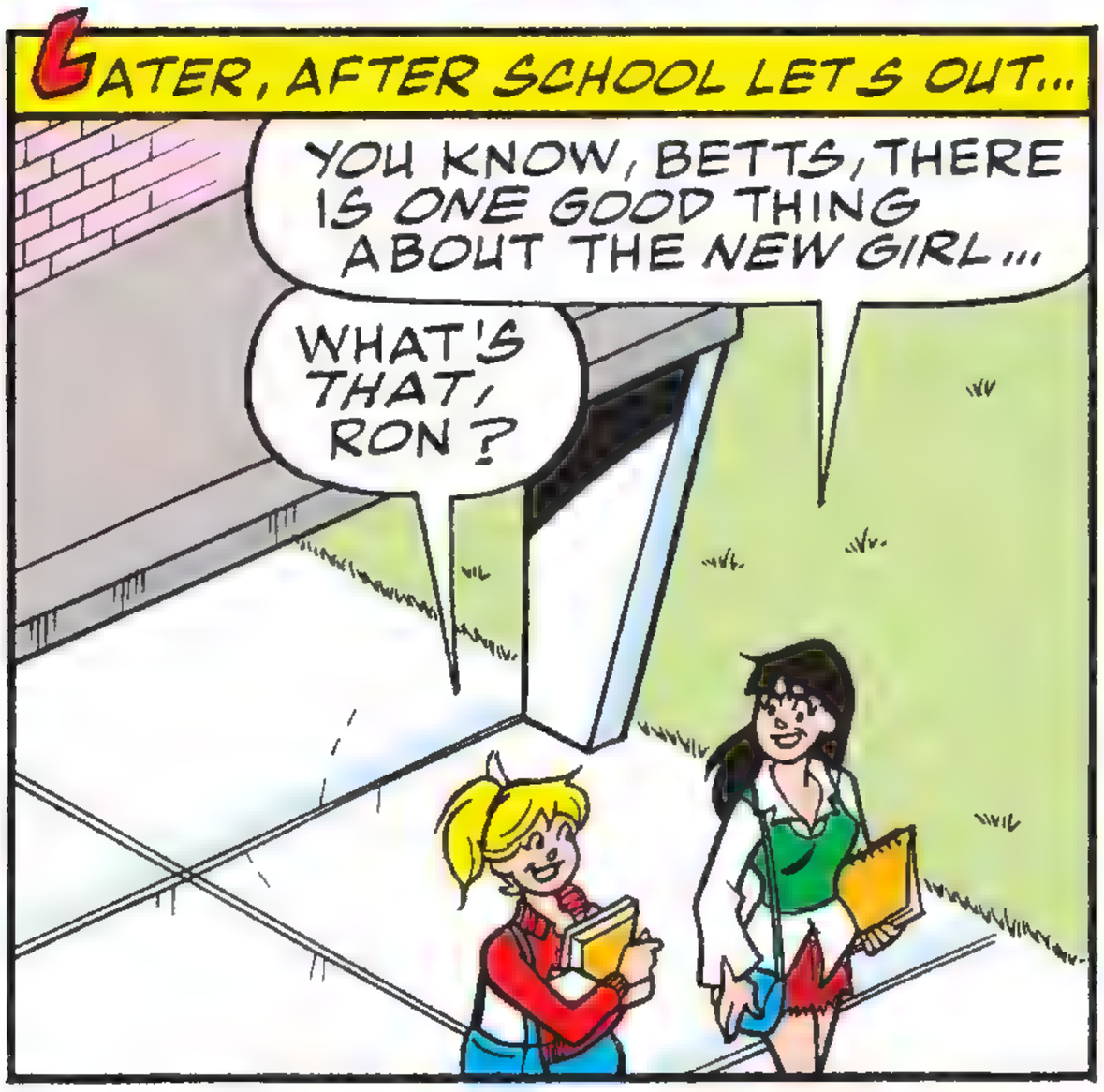

THAT BUG IS YOURS?!
THIS IS TARA, MY PET TARANTULA!

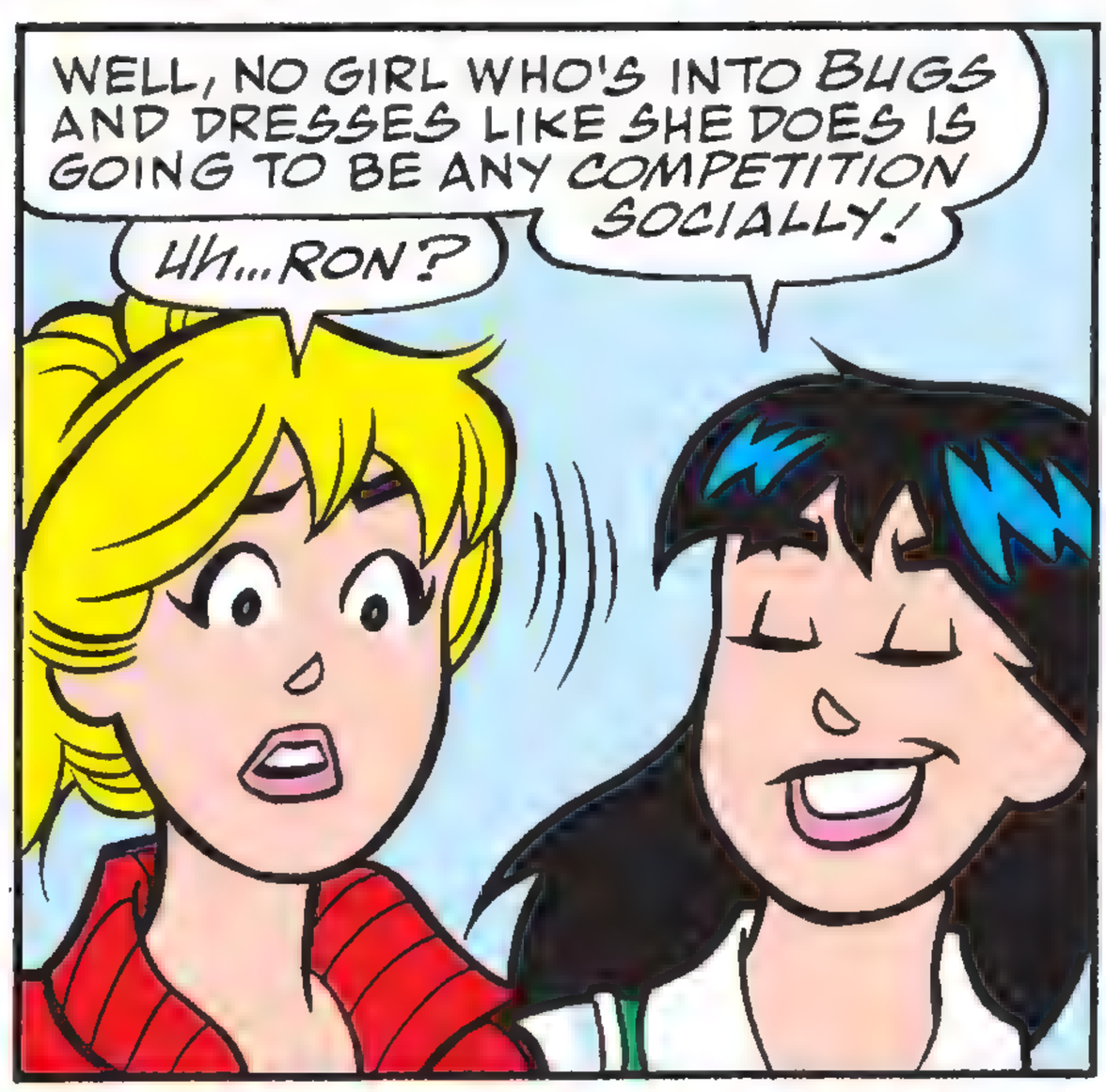

I GUESS SHE GOT OUT OF HER CAGE!
I GUESS SHE WASN'T THE ONLY ONE!

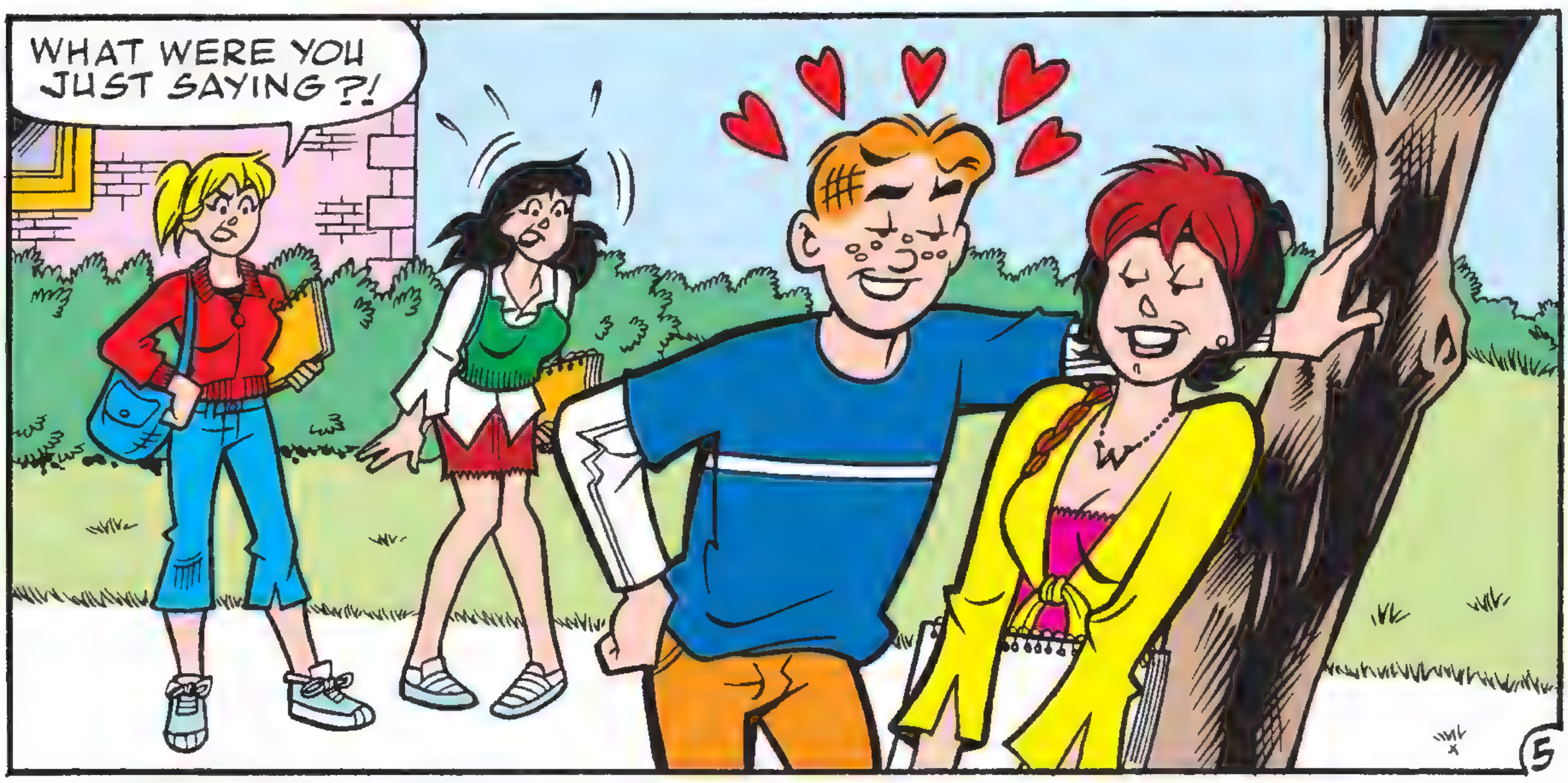
WELL, I'VE GOT TO RUN TO MY ENTOMOLOGY CLUB MEETING!
YOU BELONG TO A CLUB FOR SKIN CARE?!


NOT DERMATOLOGY! ENTOMOLOGY! IT'S THE STUDY OF BUGS!
BUGS?!


YEP!
WE LOOK FOR BUGS AND ARACHNIDS AND TALK ABOUT THEM. IT'S SOOOO COOL!

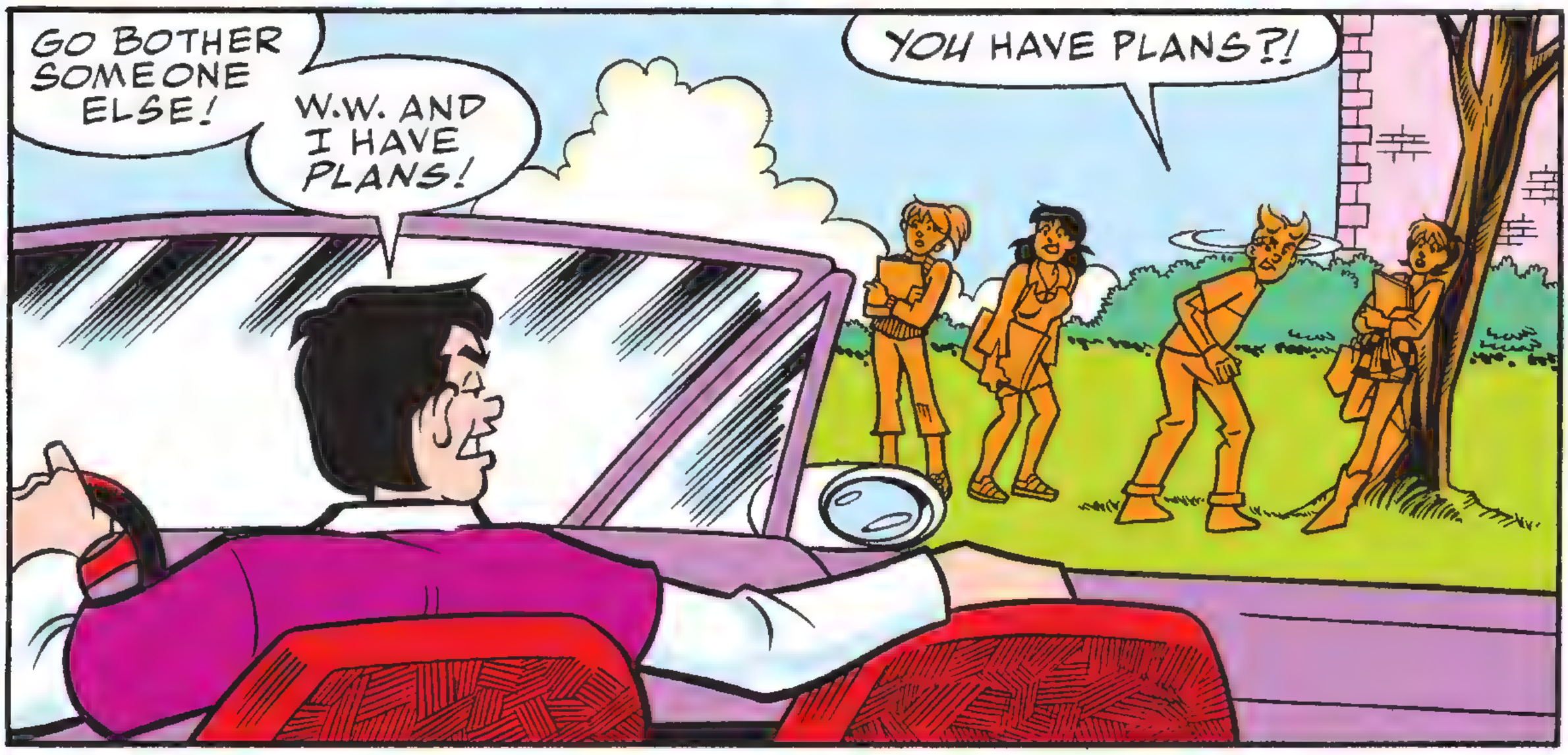

LATER, AFTER SCHOOL LET'S OUT...
YOU KNOW, BETTS, THERE IS ONE GOOD THING ABOUT THE NEW GIRL...
WHAT'S THAT, RON?

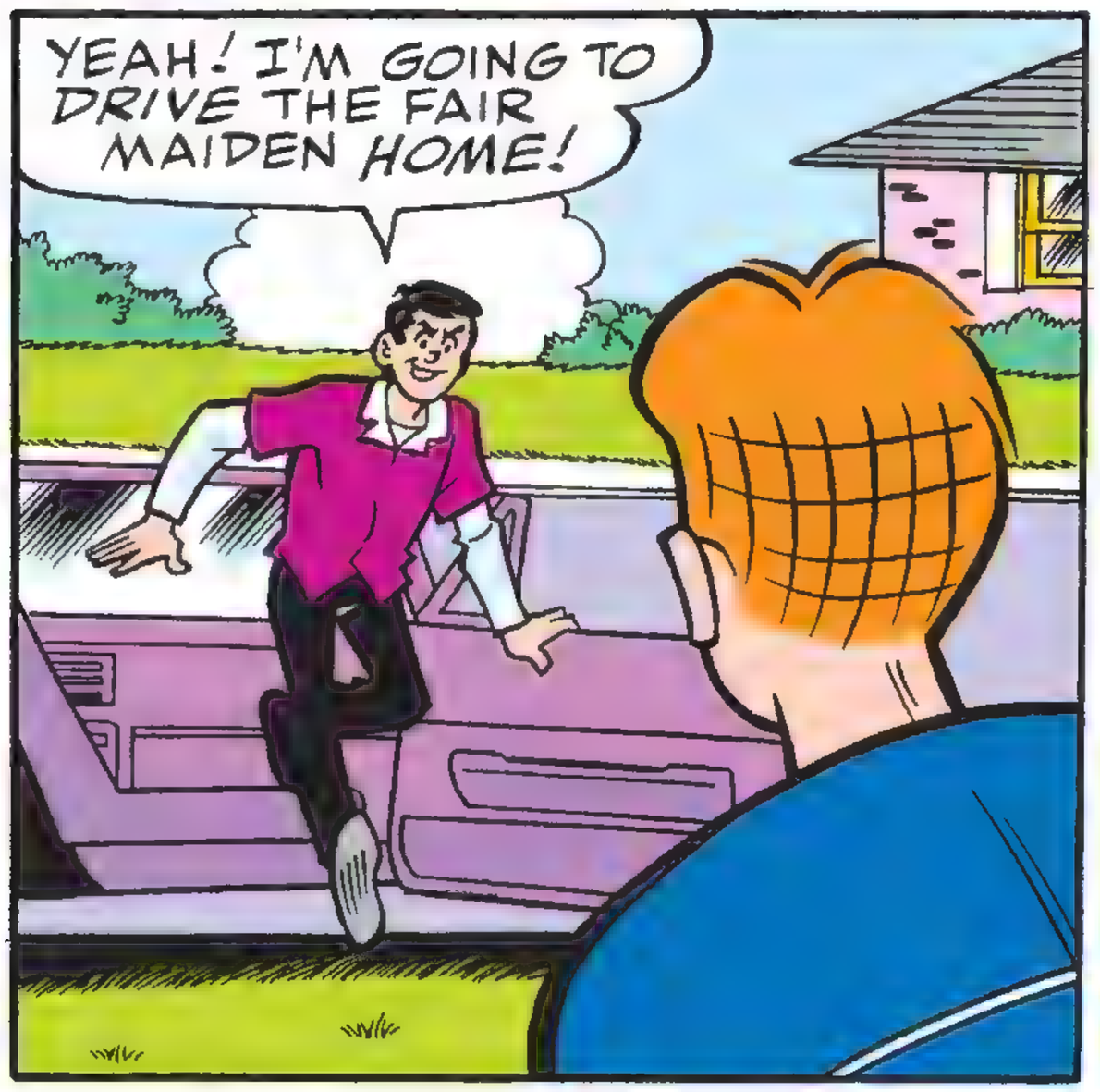

WELL, NO GIRL WHO'S INTO BUGS AND DRESSES LIKE SHE DOES IS GOING TO BE ANY COMPETITION SOCIALLY!
UH...RON?

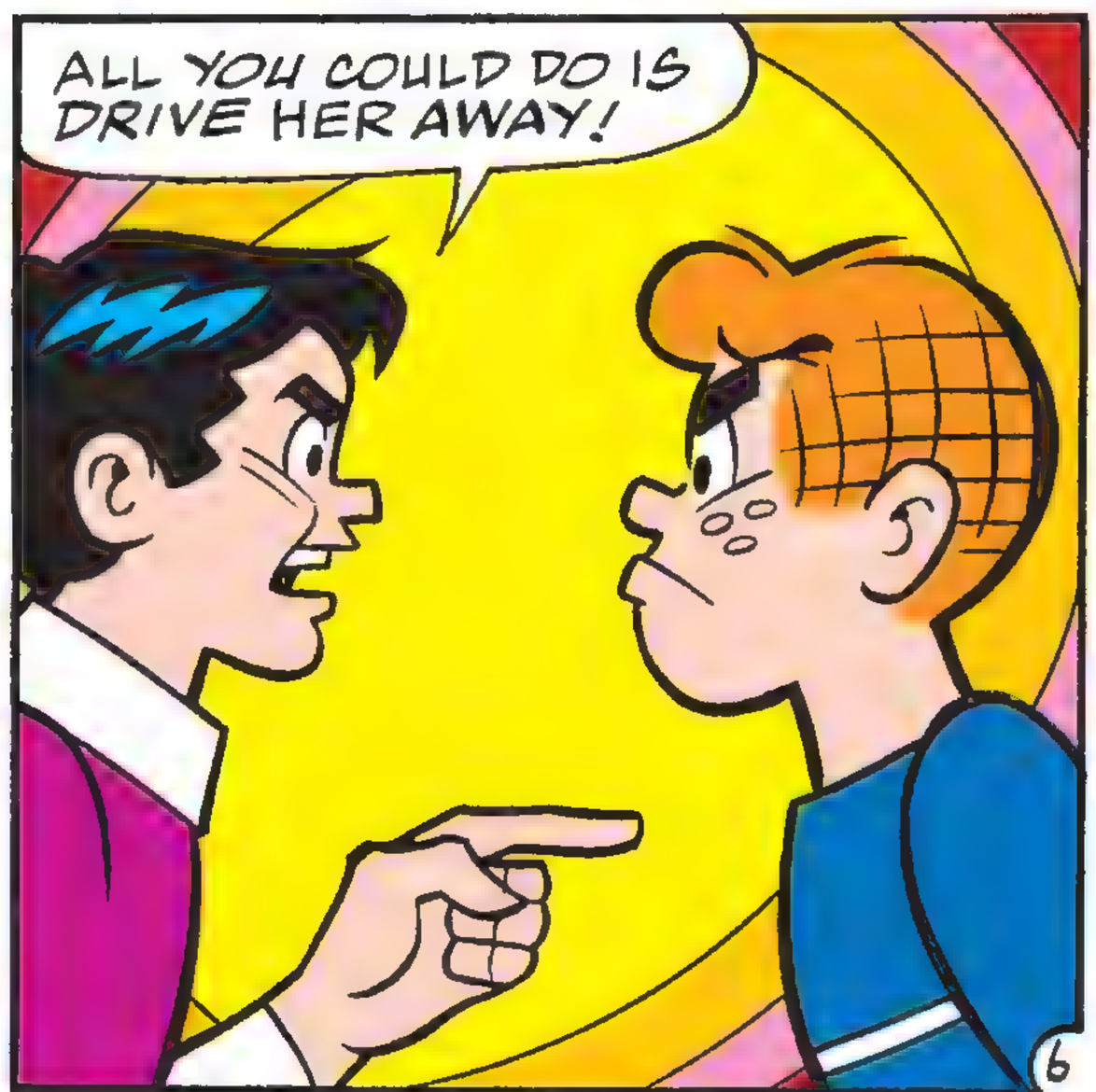

WHAT WERE YOU JUST SAYING?!

SO, W.W. -- WHADDAYA SAY? WANNA GO TO POP'S FOR A SODA?
WELL...

HONK
HEY, CARROT TOP!!
OH, NO!


GO BOTHER SOMEONE ELSE!
W.W. AND I HAVE PLANS!
YOU HAVE PLANS?!


YEAH! I'M GOING TO DRIVE THE FAIR MAIDEN HOME!


ALL YOU COULD DO IS DRIVE HER AWAY!

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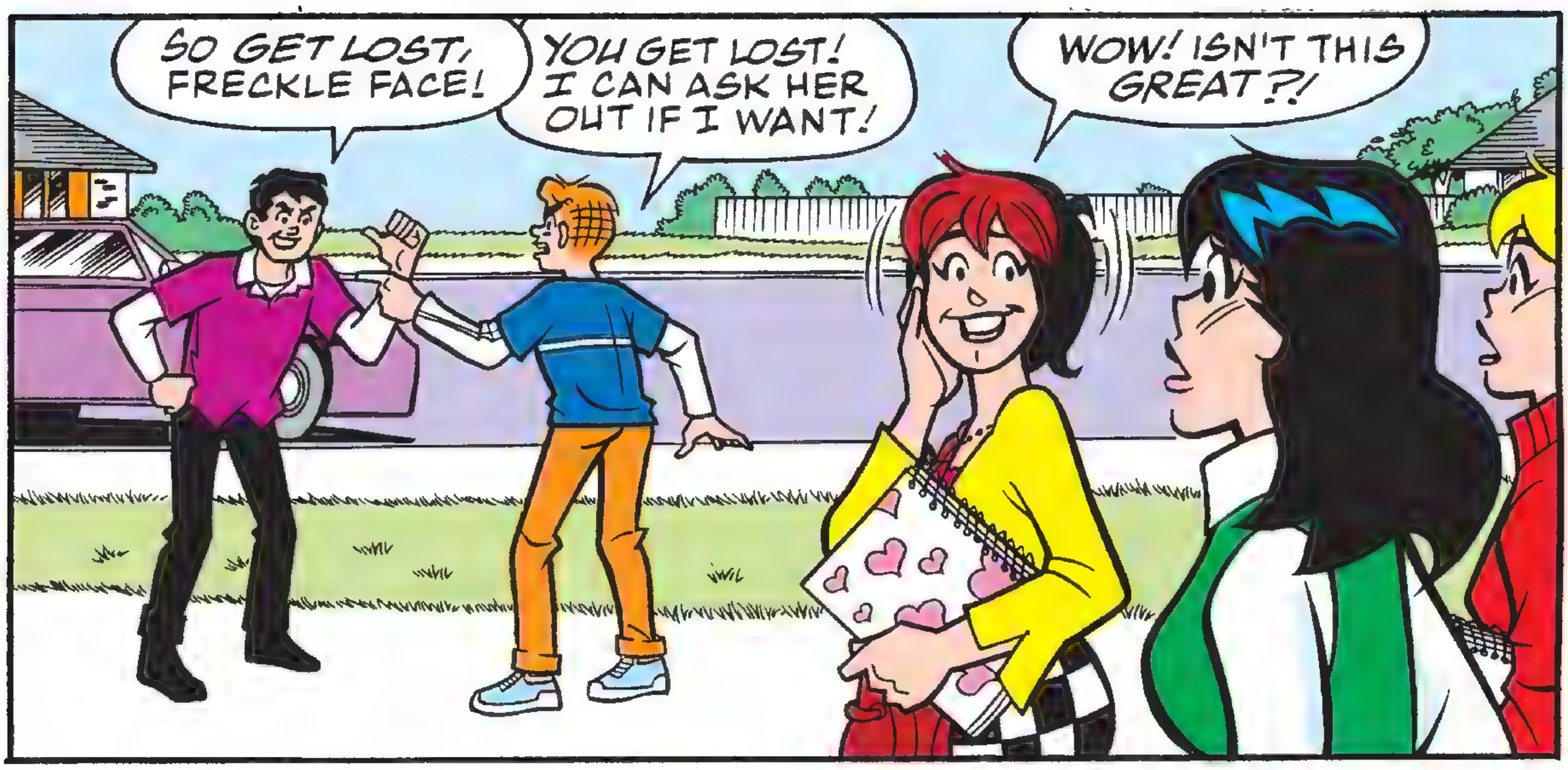
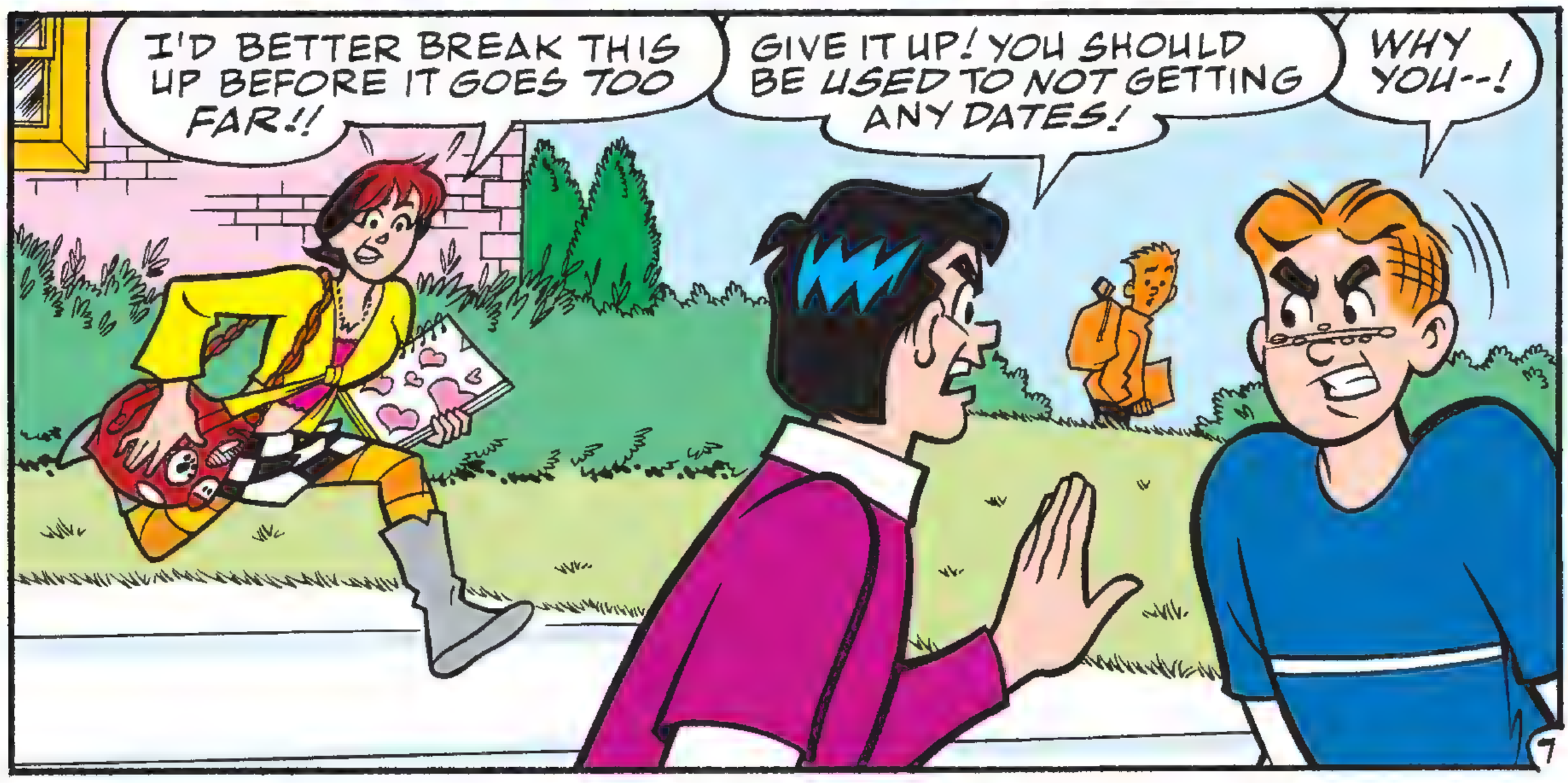

SO GET LOST, FRECKLE FACE!
YOU GET LOST! I CAN ASK HER OUT IF I WANT!
WOW! ISN'T THIS GREAT?!

YOU GIRLS HAVE NO IDEA WHAT IT'S LIKE TO HAVE TWO GUYS FIGHTING OVER YOU!

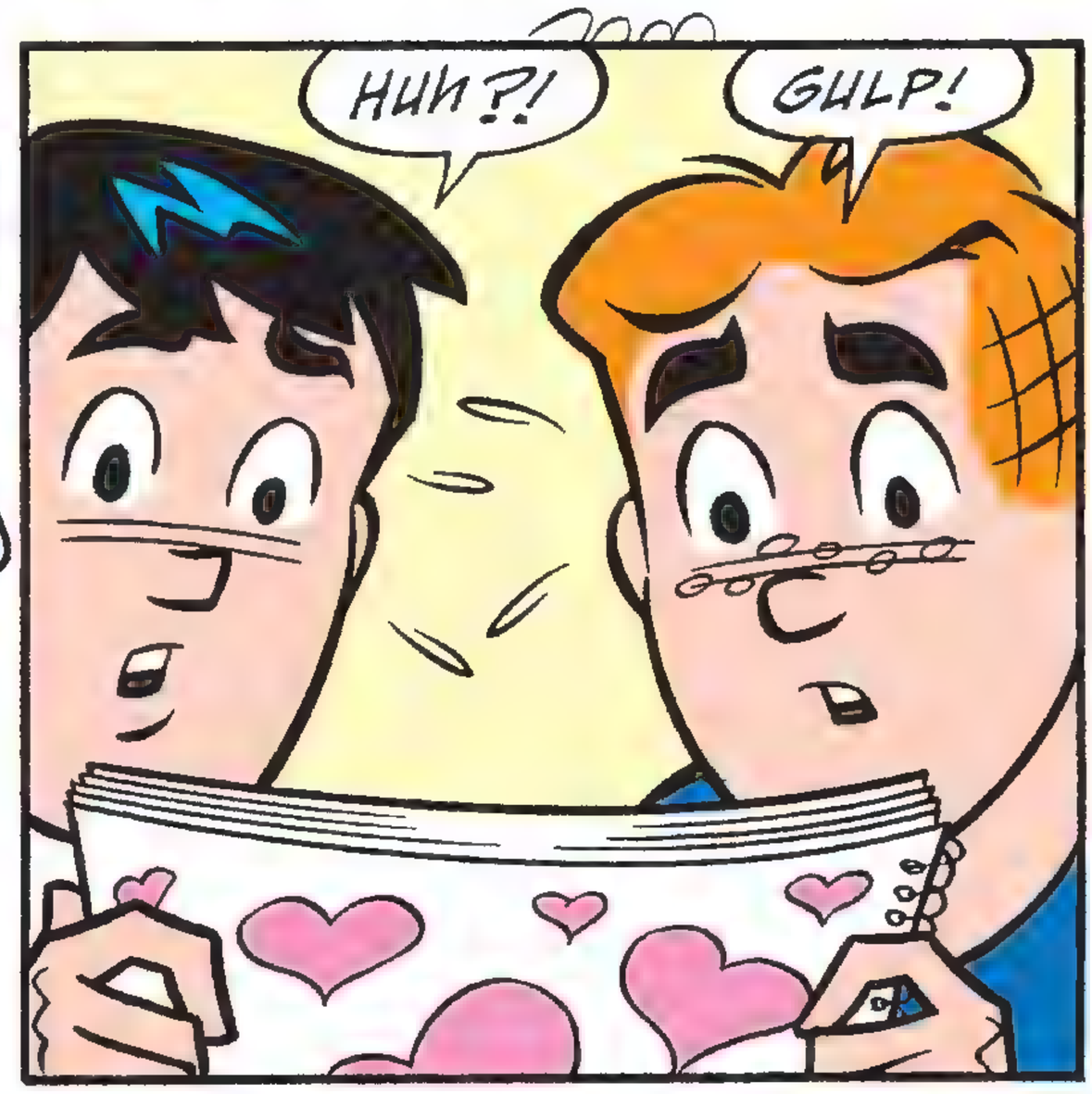
UH-OH!
STEP OFF, YOU SNAKE!
BACK OFF, YOU RAT!!

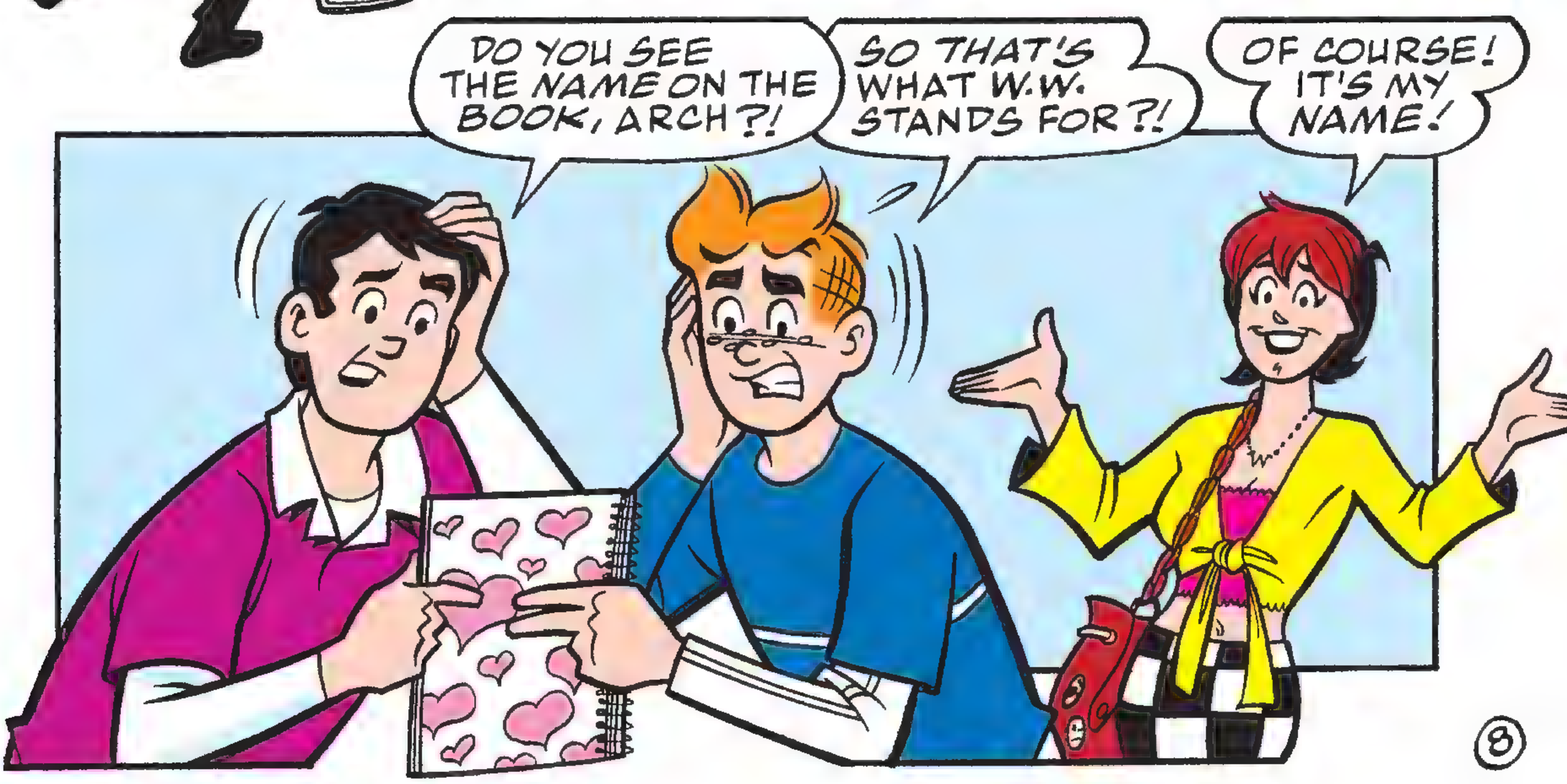

I'D BETTER BREAK THIS UP BEFORE IT GOES TOO FAR!!
GIVE IT UP! YOU SHOULD BE USED TO NOT GETTING ANY DATES!
WHY YOU--!

C'MON GUYS, LET'S TAKE IT EASY!

WHOOPS!
MY BOOKS!

DON'T WORRY, W.W.! I'LL GET THEM FOR YOU!
NO! I'VE GOT 'EM!

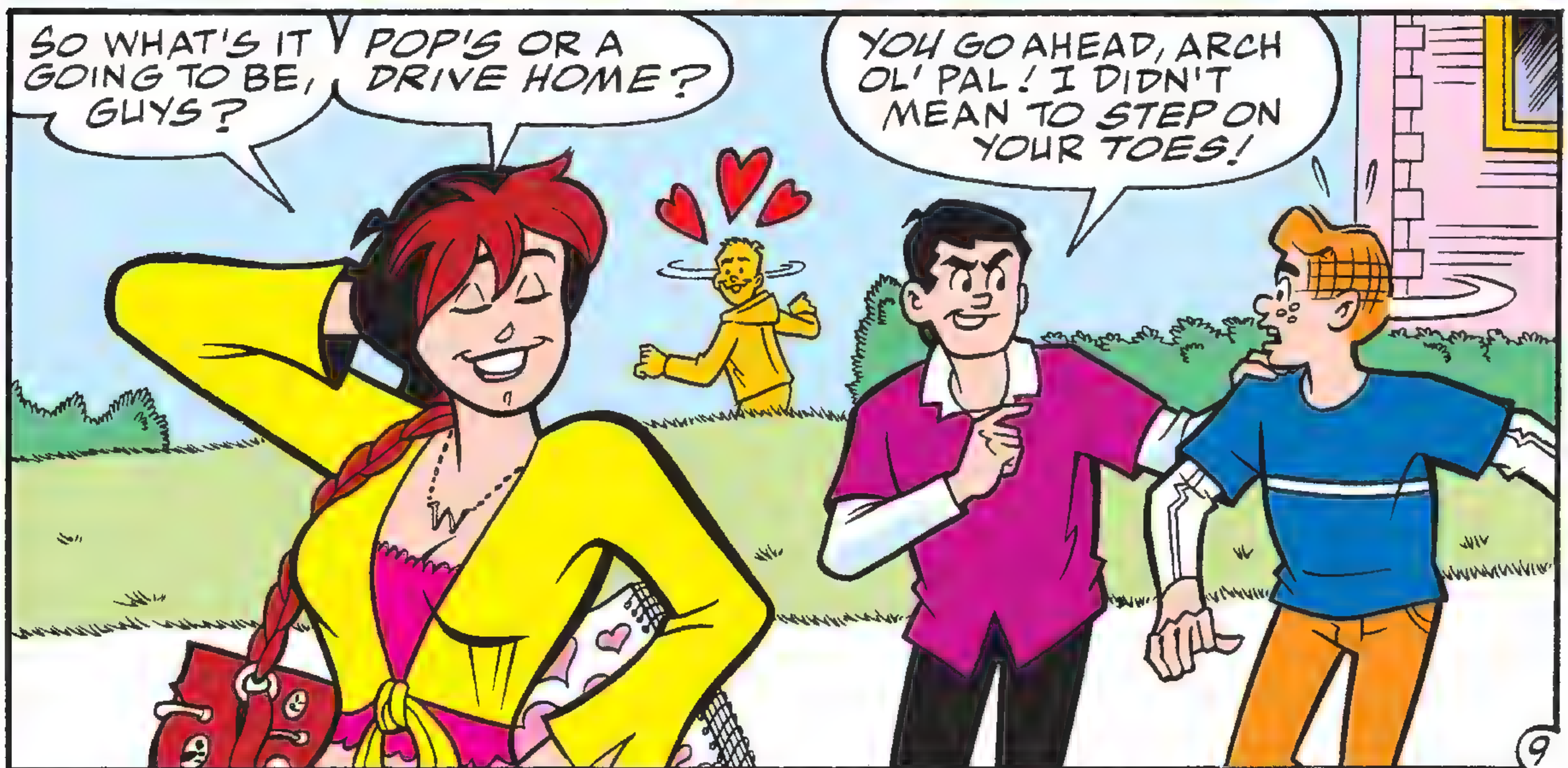

HUH?!
GULP!


DO YOU SEE THE NAME ON THE BOOK, ARCH?!
SO THAT'S WHAT W.W. STANDS FOR?!
OF COURSE! IT'S MY NAME!

GOSH! DIDN'T I SAY SO?
MY NAME IS WENDY WEATHERBEE!
"WEATHERBEE?!" ARE YOU RELATED TO PRINCIPAL WEATHERBEE?!

I SURE AM!
HE'S MY UNCLE!

MY DAD JUST MOVED US HERE TO BE CLOSER TO HIS BROTHER!


SO WHAT'S IT GOING TO BE, GUYS?
POP'S OR A DRIVE HOME?
YOU GO AHEAD, ARCH OL' PAL! I DIDN'T MEAN TO STEP ON YOUR TOES!

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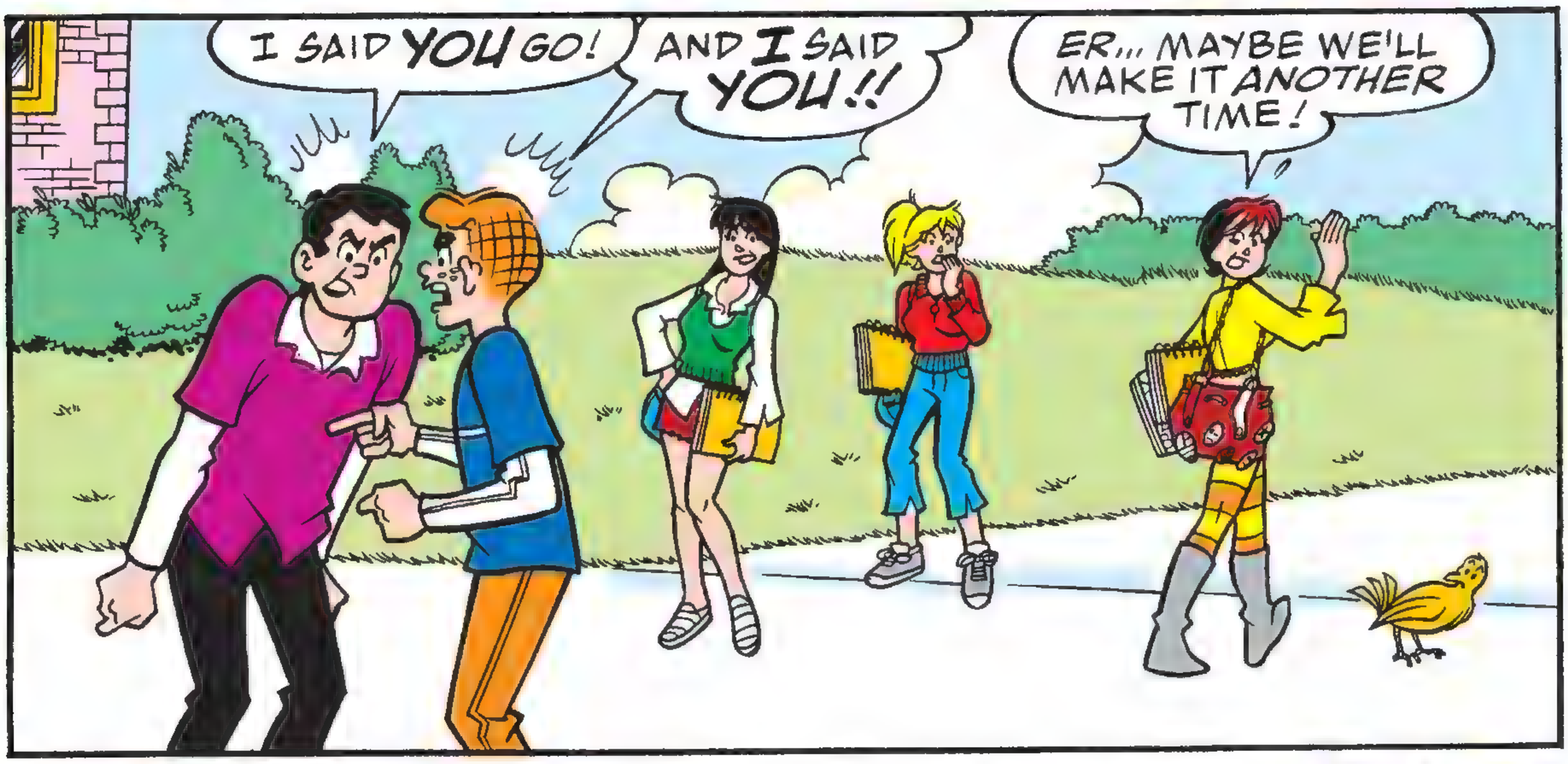
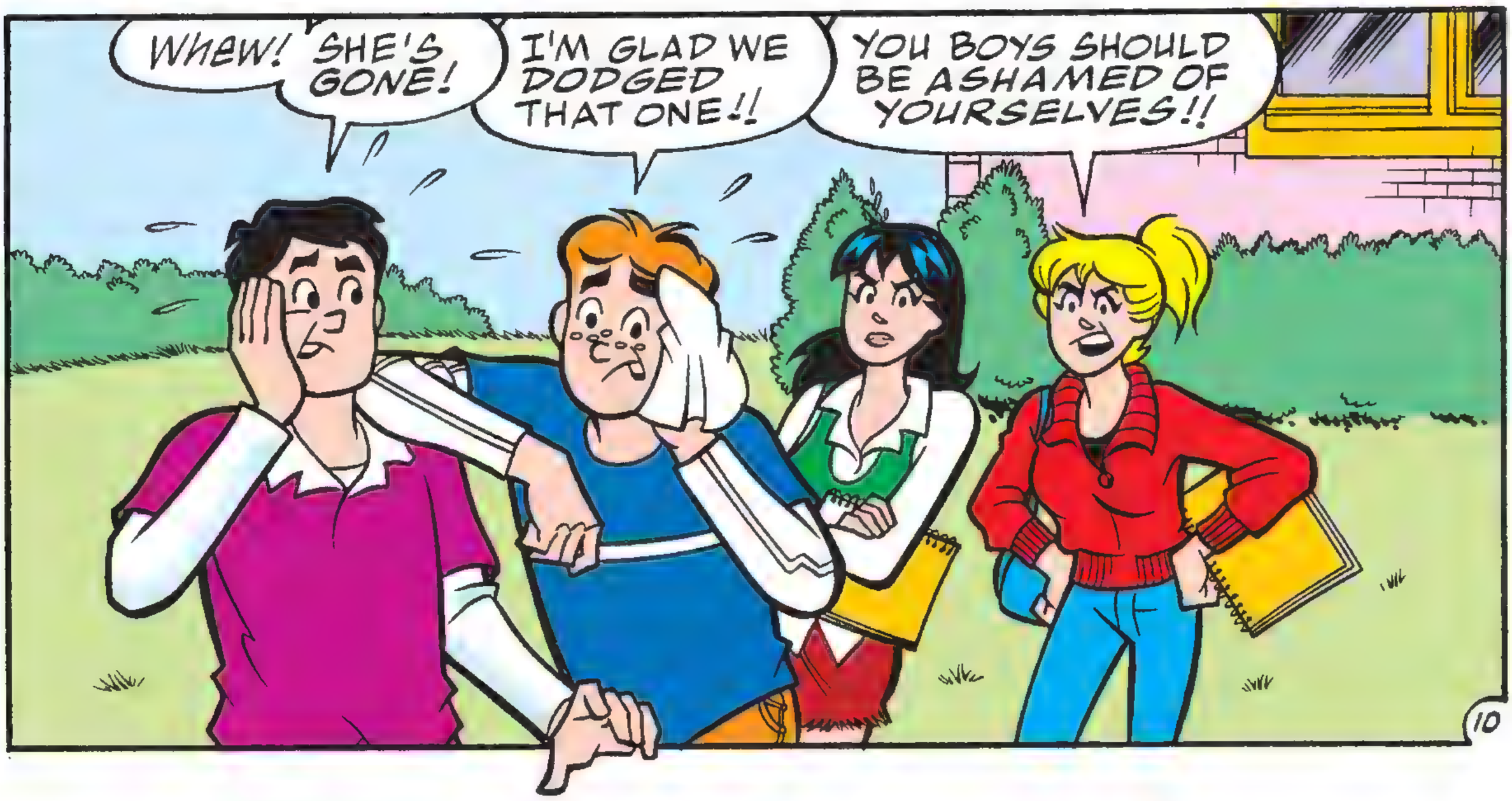
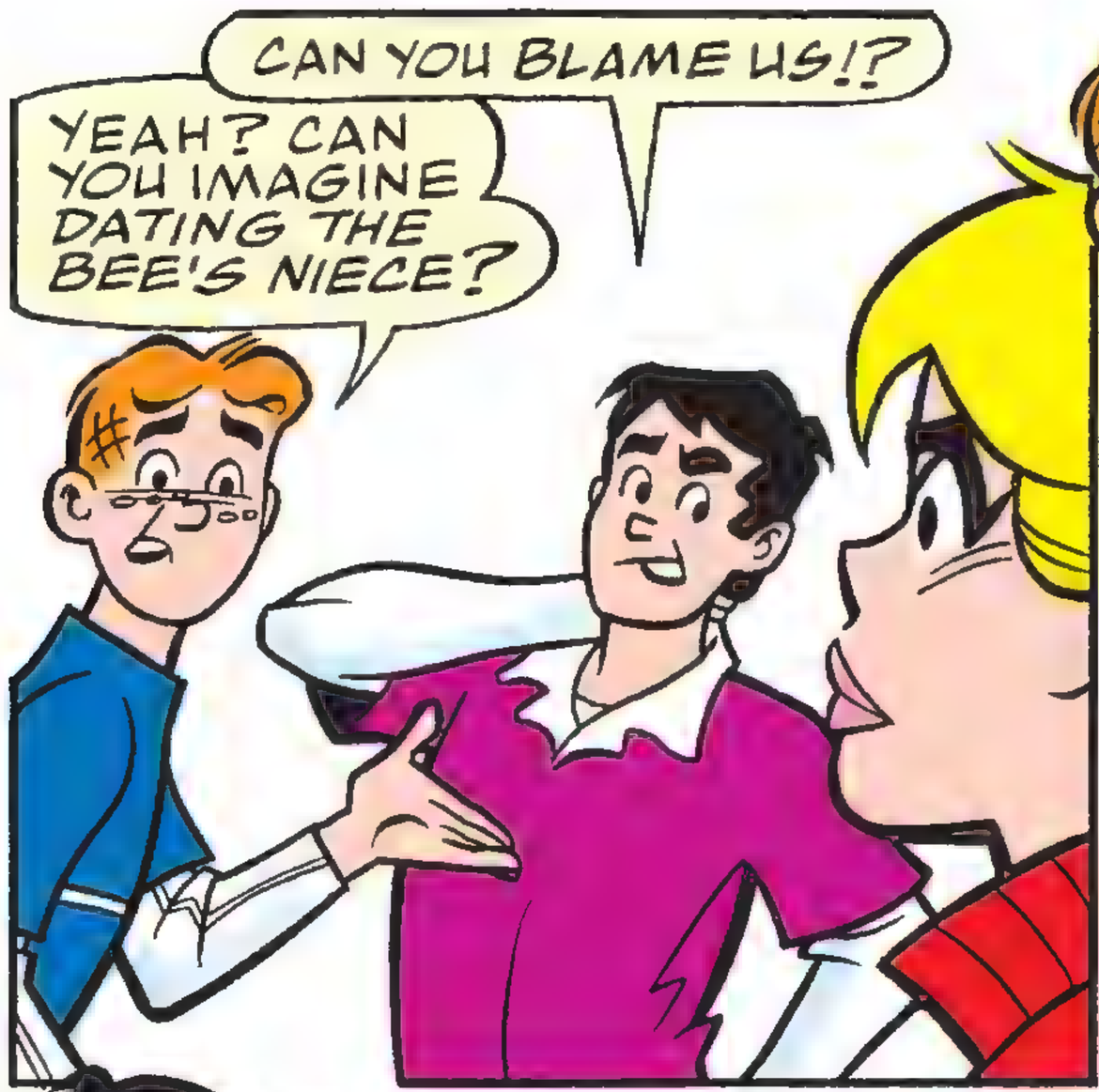
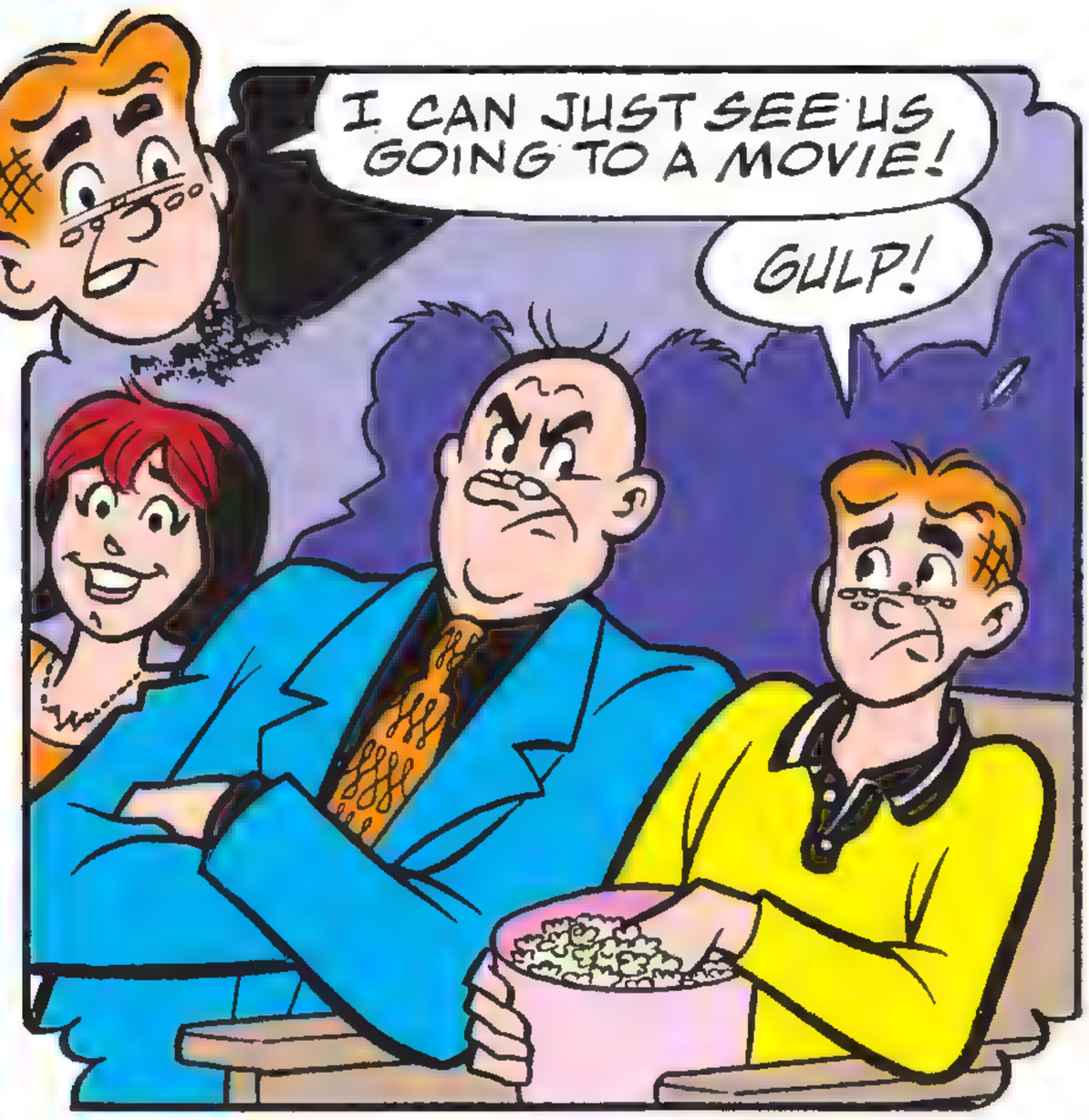
GEE, REG, I WOULDN'T DREAM OF INTERRUPTING YOUR PLANS! YOU GUYS GO AHEAD!

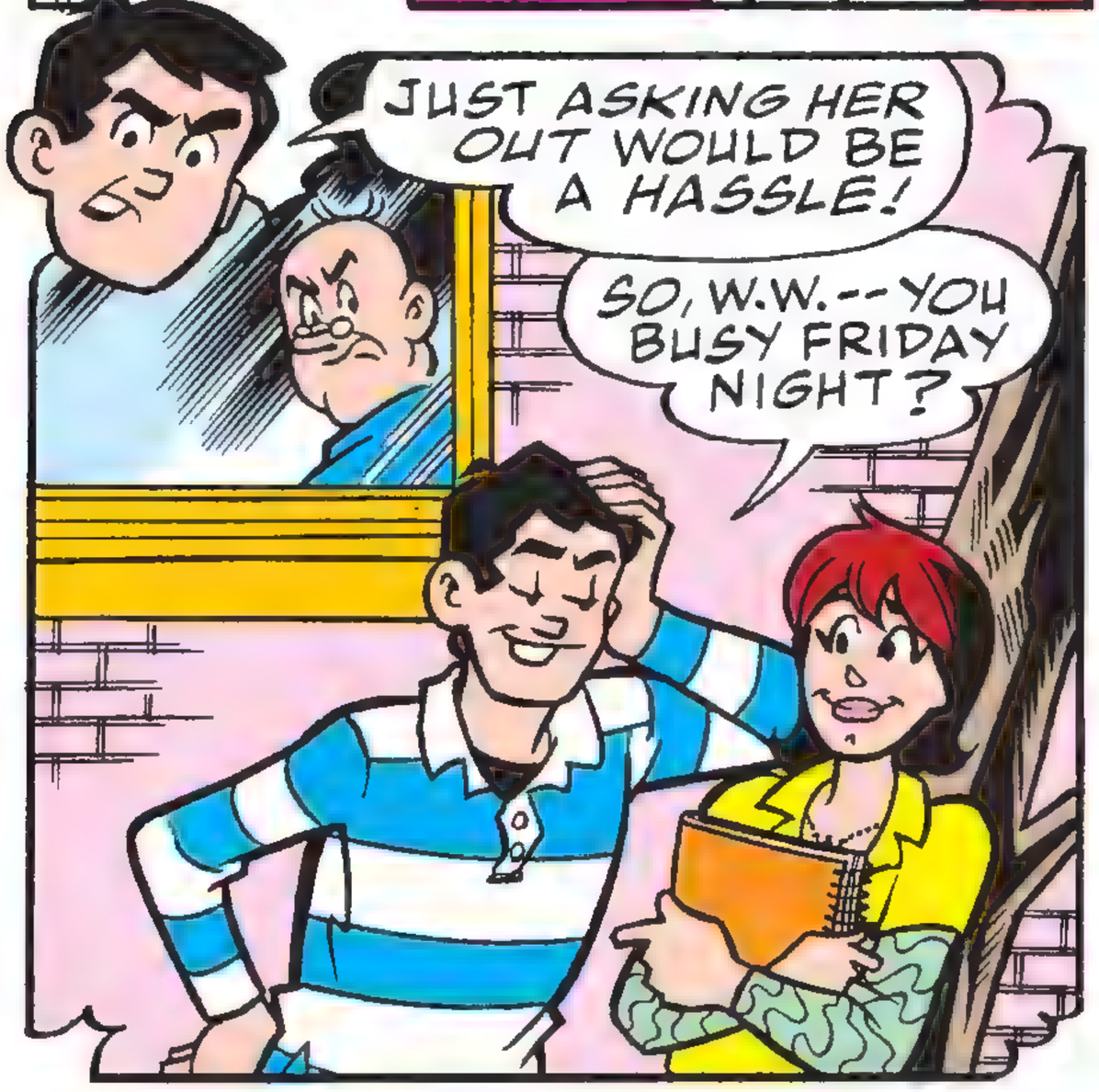
NO, IT'S OKAY! REALLY! YOU GUYS SHOULD GO!
NO! YOU!!


I SAID YOU GO!
AND I SAID YOU!!
ER... MAYBE WE'LL MAKE IT ANOTHER TIME!

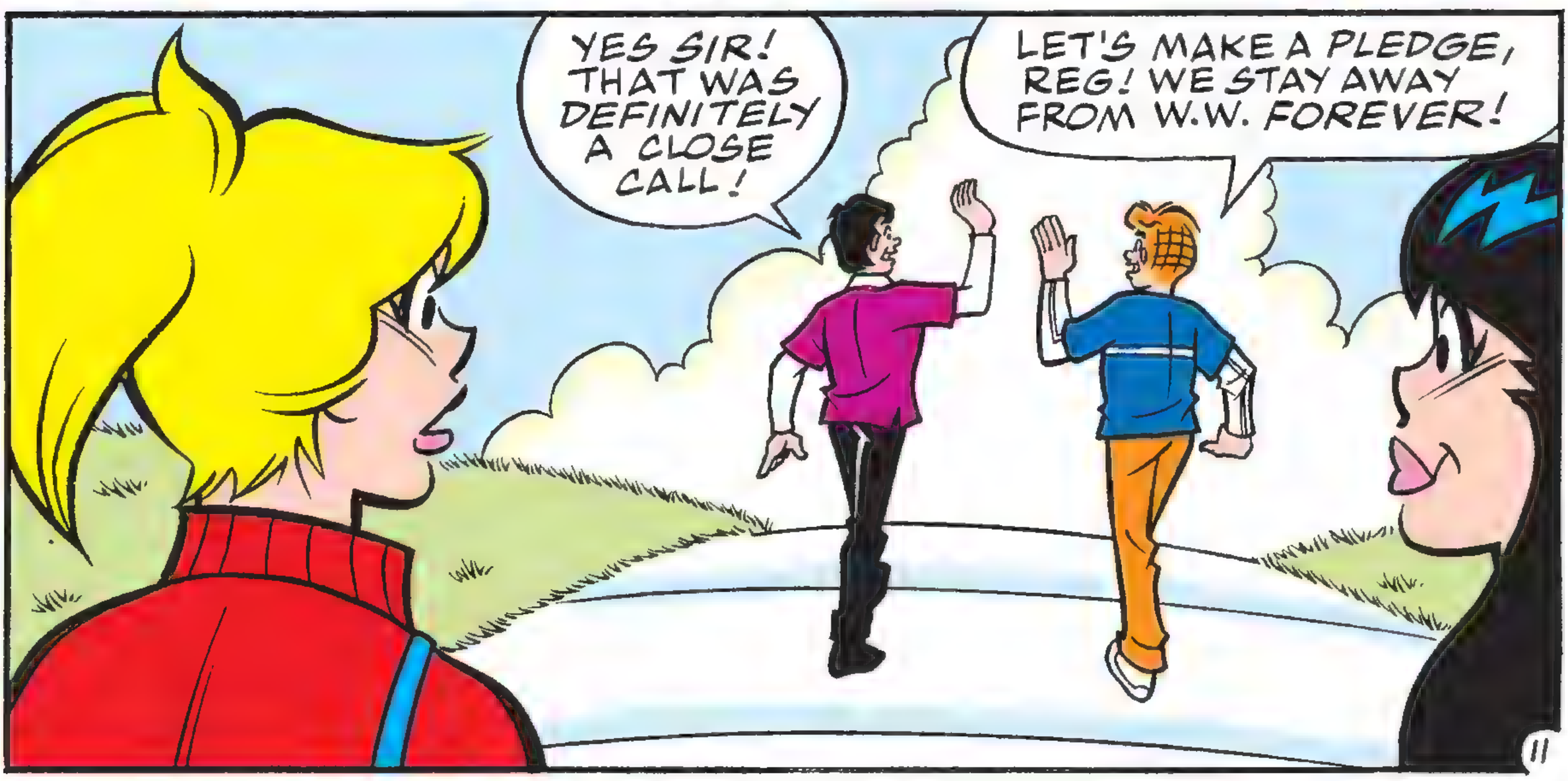

WHEW! SHE'S GONE!
I'M GLAD WE DODGED THAT ONE!!
YOU BOYS SHOULD BE ASHAMED OF YOURSELVES!!

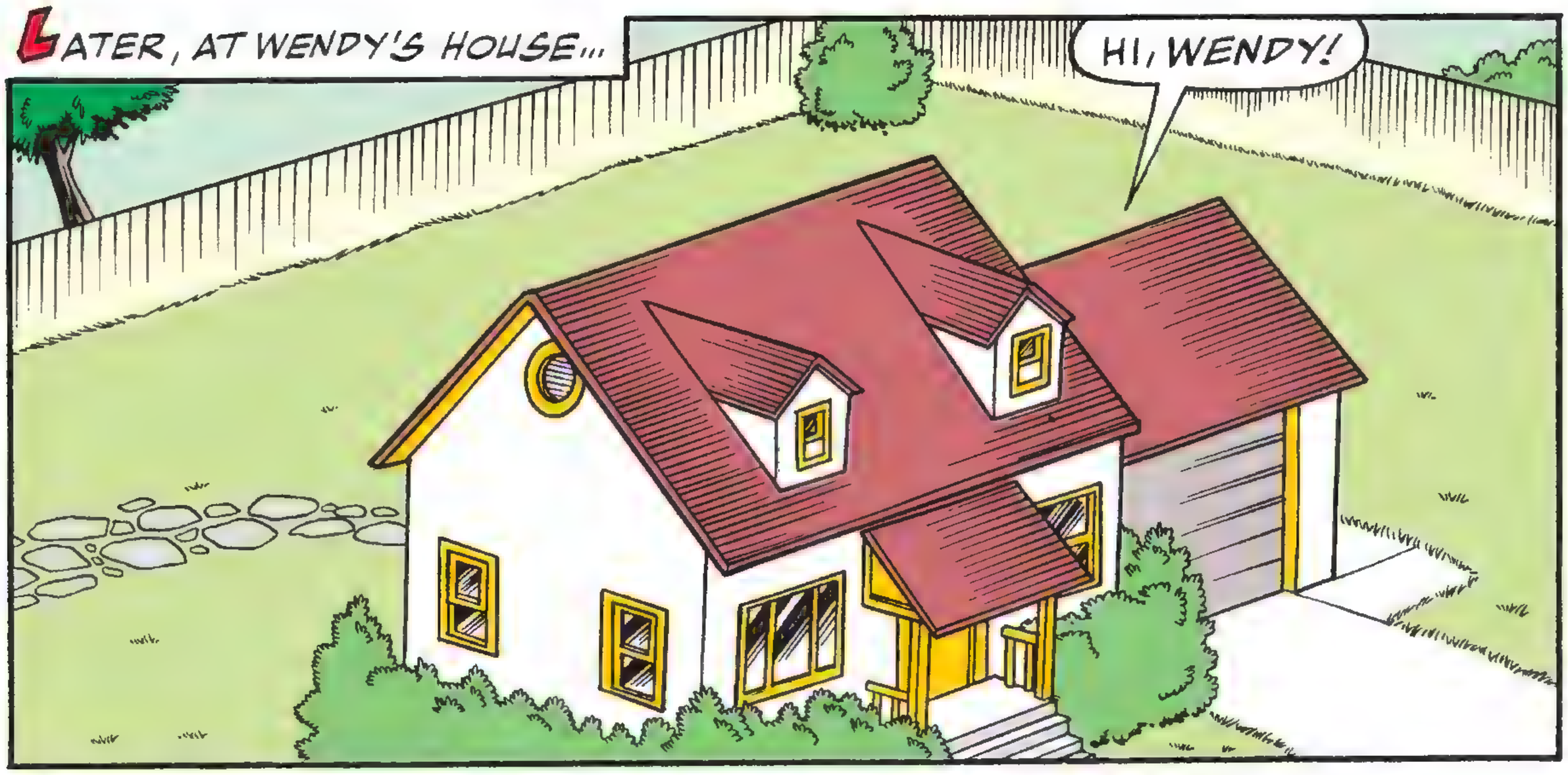

CAN YOU BLAME US!?
YEAH? CAN YOU IMAGINE DATING THE BEE'S NIECE?

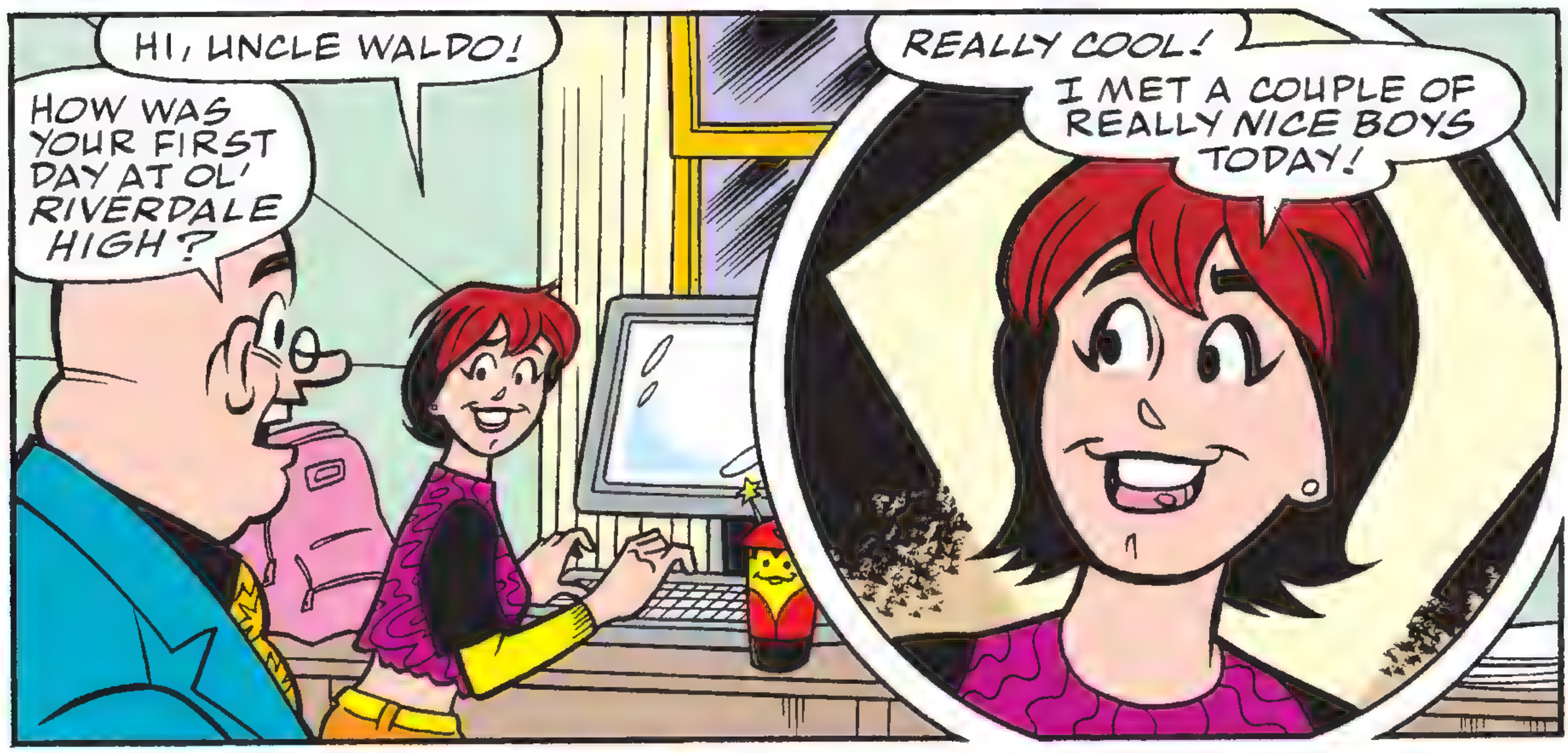

I CAN JUST SEE US GOING TO A MOVIE!
GULP!

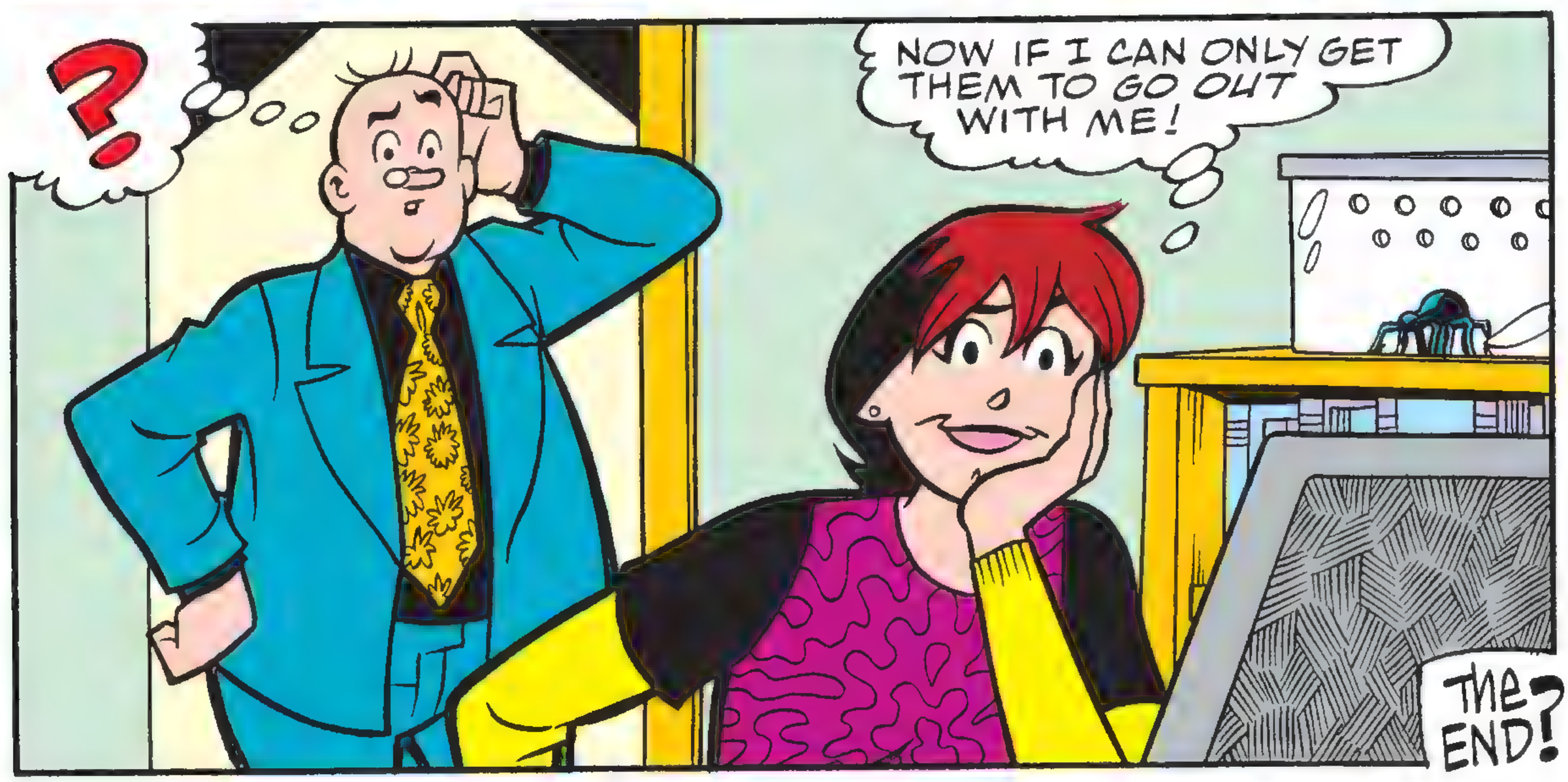

JUST ASKING HER OUT WOULD BE A HASSLE!
SO, W.W.--YOU BUSY FRIDAY NIGHT?

WHAT DID I DO?!
CONSIDER THIS DETENTION AN ADVANCE ON ANY INFRACTIONS YOU MAY COMMIT IN THE FUTURE!
Detention
No Talking


YES SIR! THAT WAS DEFINITELY A CLOSE CALL!
LET'S MAKE A PLEDGE, REG! WE STAY AWAY FROM W.W. FOREVER!


LATER, AT WENDY'S HOUSE...
HI, WENDY!


HI, UNCLE WALDO!
HOW WAS YOUR FIRST DAY AT OL' RIVERDALE HIGH?
REALLY COOL!
I MET A COUPLE OF REALLY NICE BOYS TODAY!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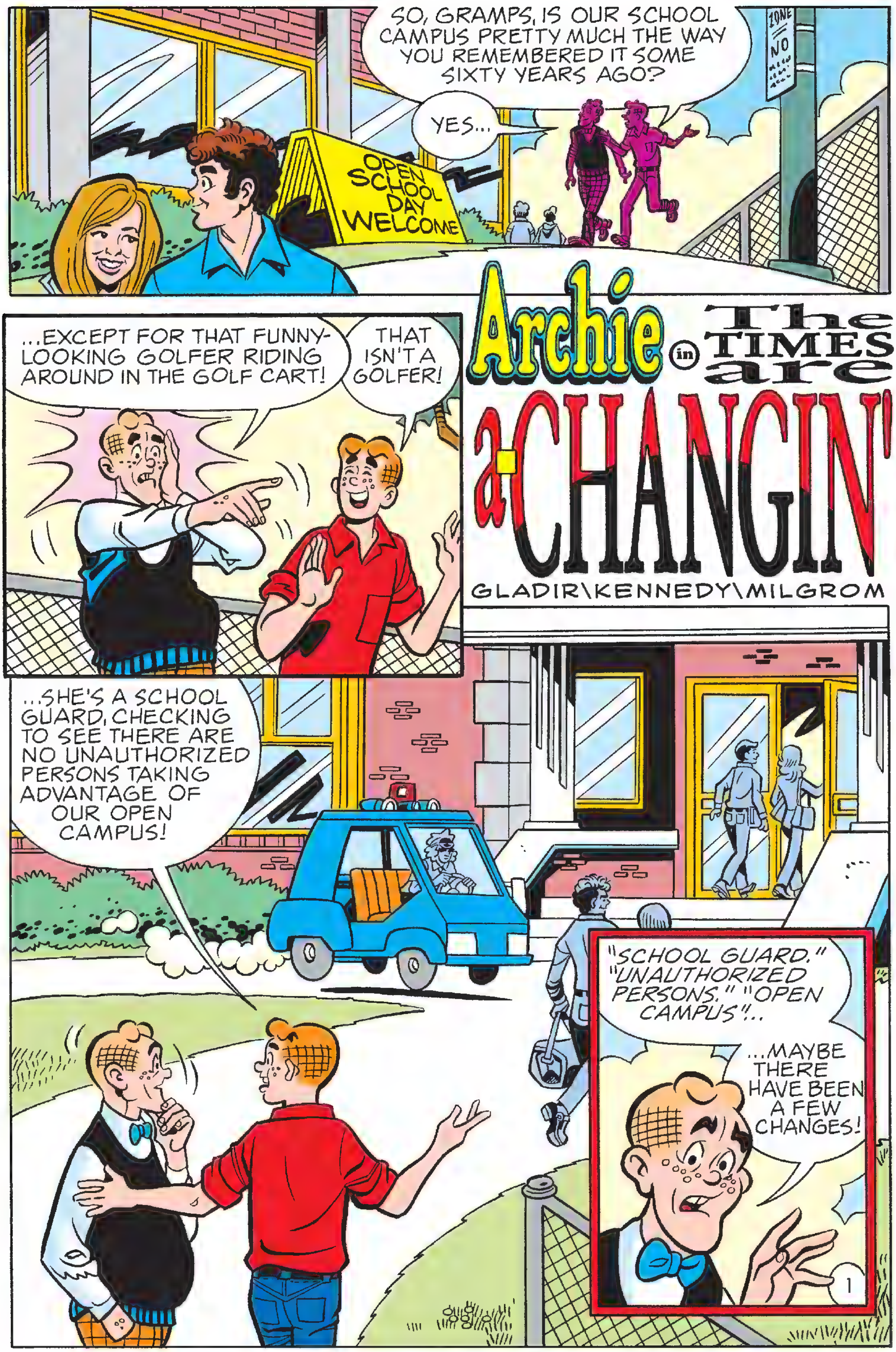
NOW IF I CAN ONLY GET THEM TO GO OUT WITH ME!
THE END?


SO, GRAMPS, IS OUR SCHOOL CAMPUS PRETTY MUCH THE WAY YOU REMEMBERED IT SOME SIXTY YEARS AGO?
YES...
OPEN SCHOOL DAY WELCOME
ZONE
NO
...EXCEPT FOR THAT FUNNY-LOOKING GOLFER RIDING AROUND IN THE GOLF CART!
THAT ISN'T A GOLFER!
Archie in The TIMES are a-CHANGIN'
GLADIR\KENNEDY\MILGROM
...SHE'S A SCHOOL GUARD, CHECKING TO SEE THERE ARE NO UNAUTHORIZED PERSONS TAKING ADVANTAGE OF OUR OPEN CAMPUS!
"SCHOOL GUARD." "UNAUTHORIZED PERSONS." "OPEN CAMPUS"...
...MAYBE THERE HAVE BEEN A FEW CHANGES!
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NOTICE ANY OTHER DIFFERENCES FROM YOUR TIME?

THE BACKPACKS THAT THE STUDENTS ARE CARRYING LOOK PRETTY LIGHT.

I GUESS YOU DON'T STUDY AS HARD AS WE USED TO.

NOT SO, GRAMPS!

BECAUSE OF BLOCK SCHEDULING, WE'RE ABLE TO CUT DOWN ON HALF OF OUR DAILY BOOK LOAD!

"BLOCK SCHED-ULING"? WHAT'S THAT?

INSTEAD OF *SIX* ONE HOUR SUBJECTS EACH DAY...

...WE NOW TAKE THREE *TWO-HOUR* SUBJECTS DAILY!

WE THEN ALTERNATE AND TAKE THE OTHER THREE SUBJECTS THE FOLLOWING DAY!

SOUNDS A MITE CONFUSING!

WE HAVE NO PROBLEMS WITH IT.

THE SCHEDULING MEANS MORE TIME FOR CLASS-ROOM WORK AND EXPERIMENTS!

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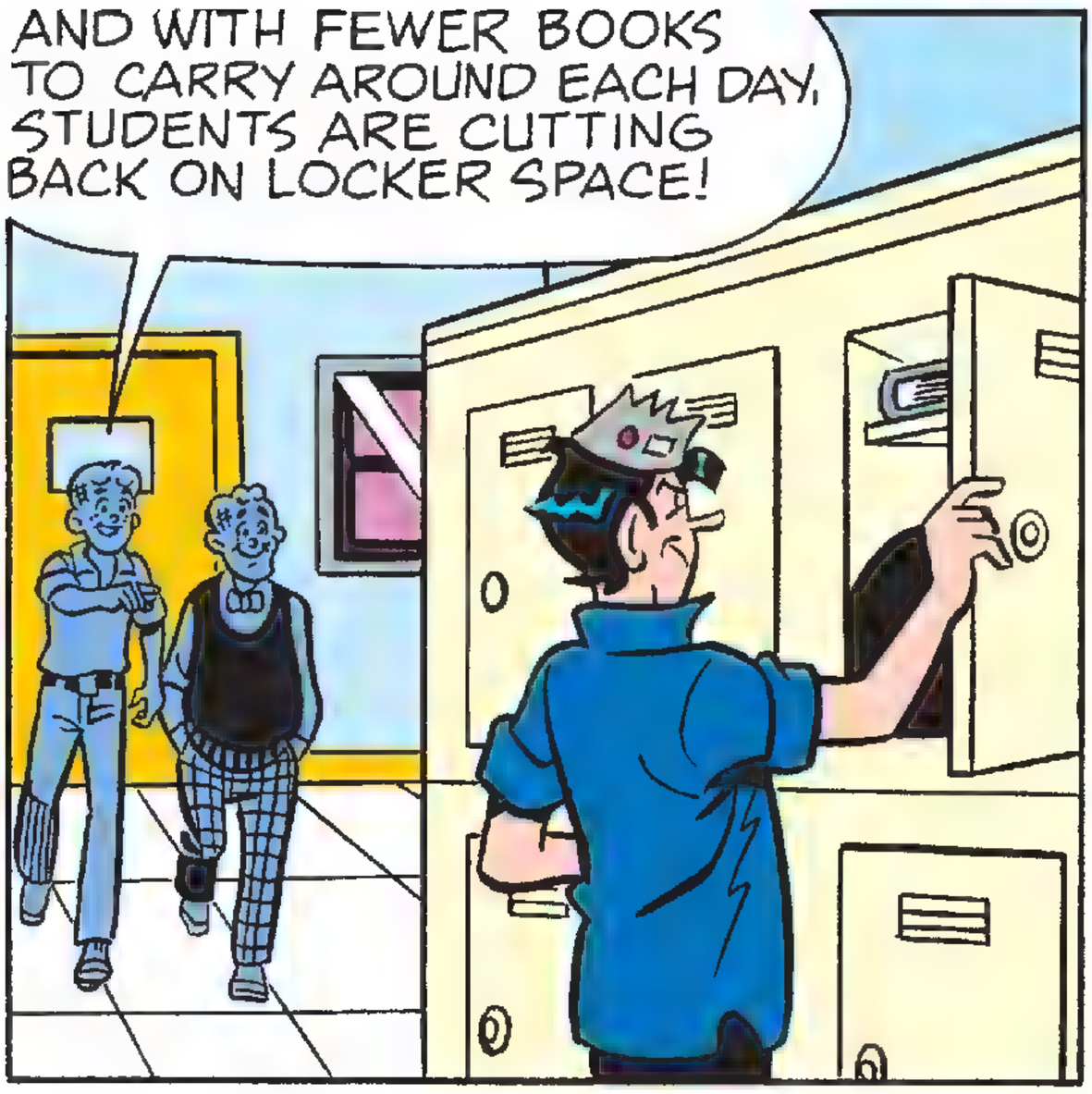
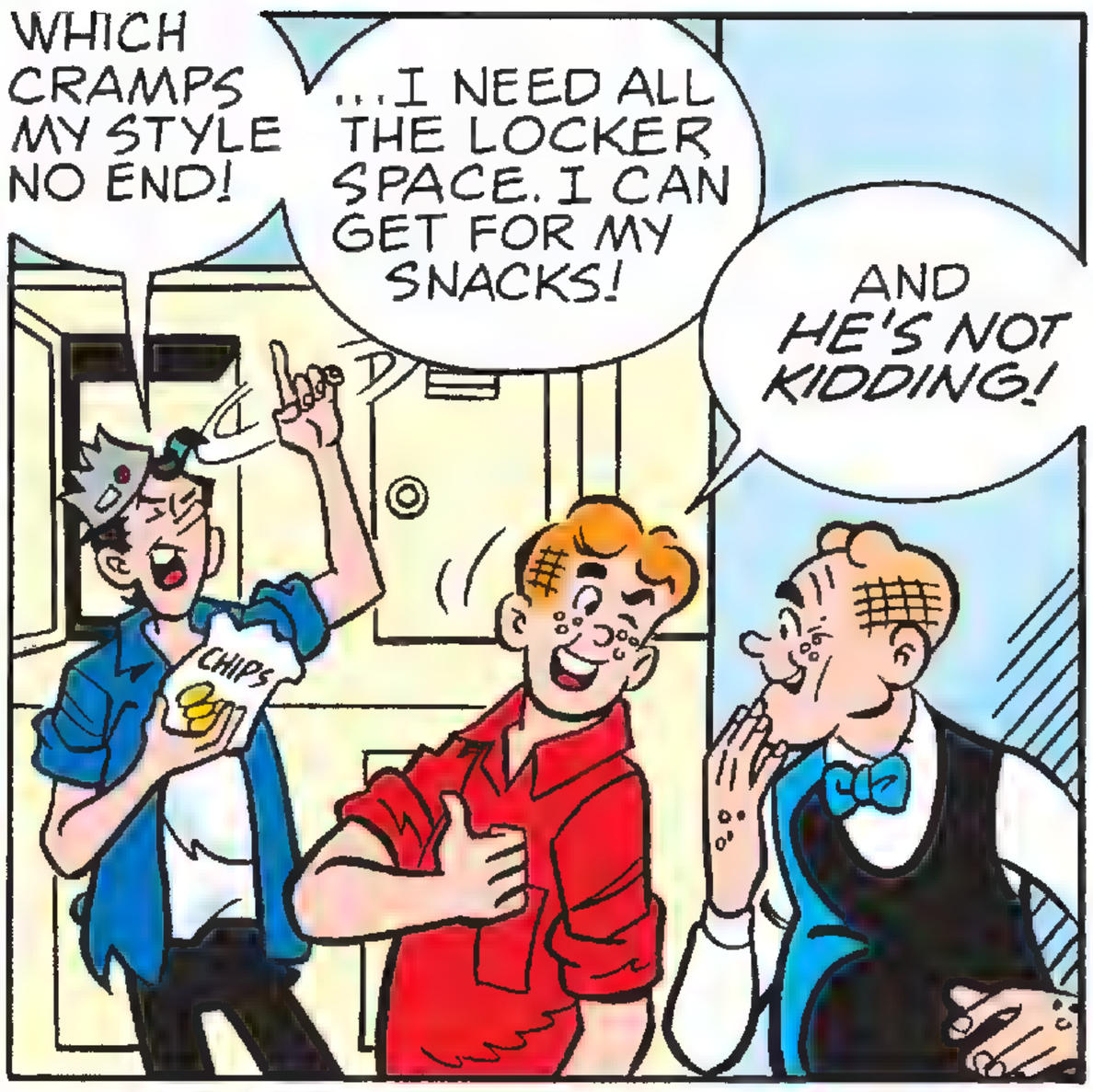
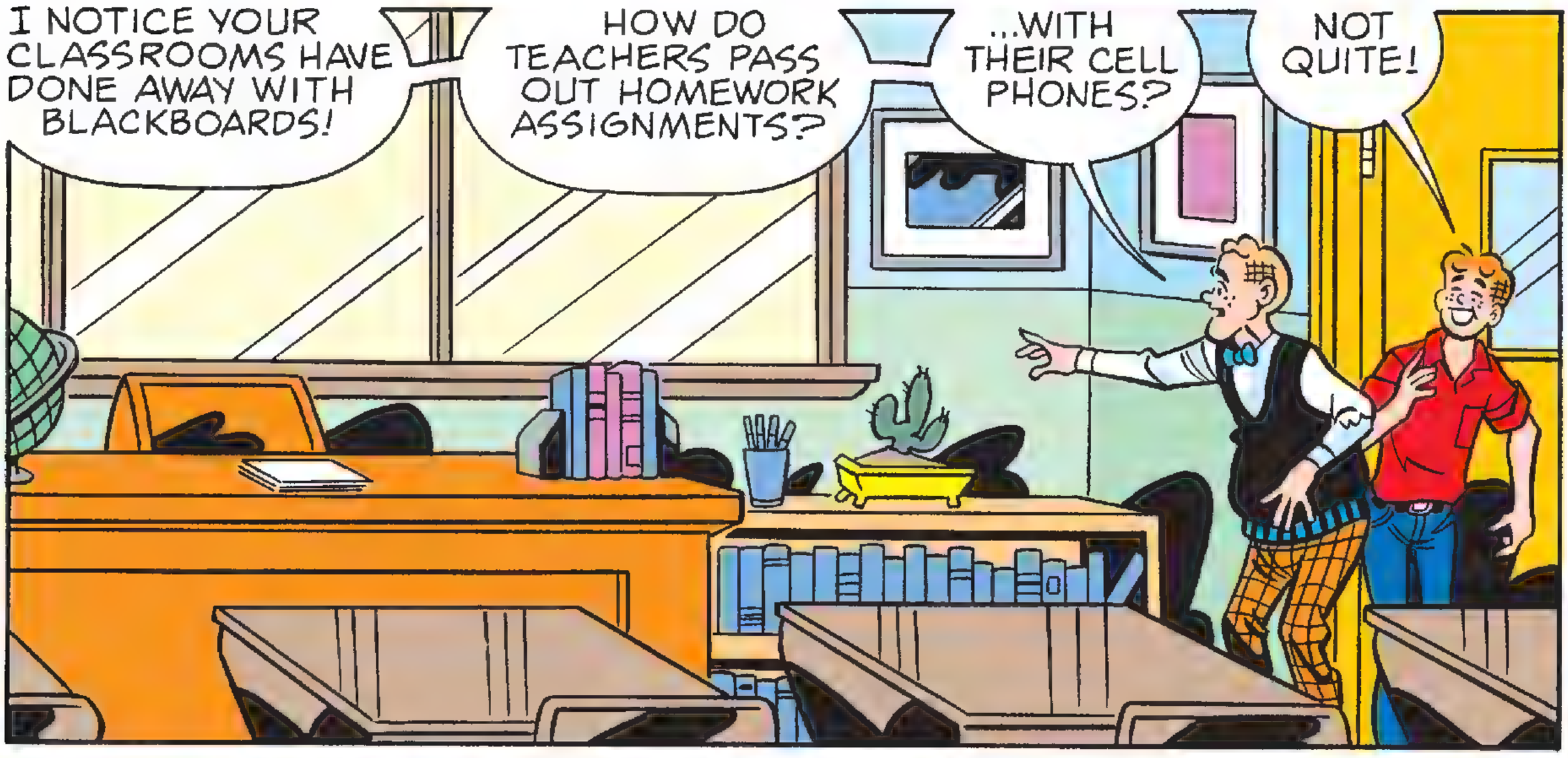
IT ALSO MEANS WE TEACHERS DON'T HAVE TO FACE CERTAIN STUDENTS EVERY DAY!

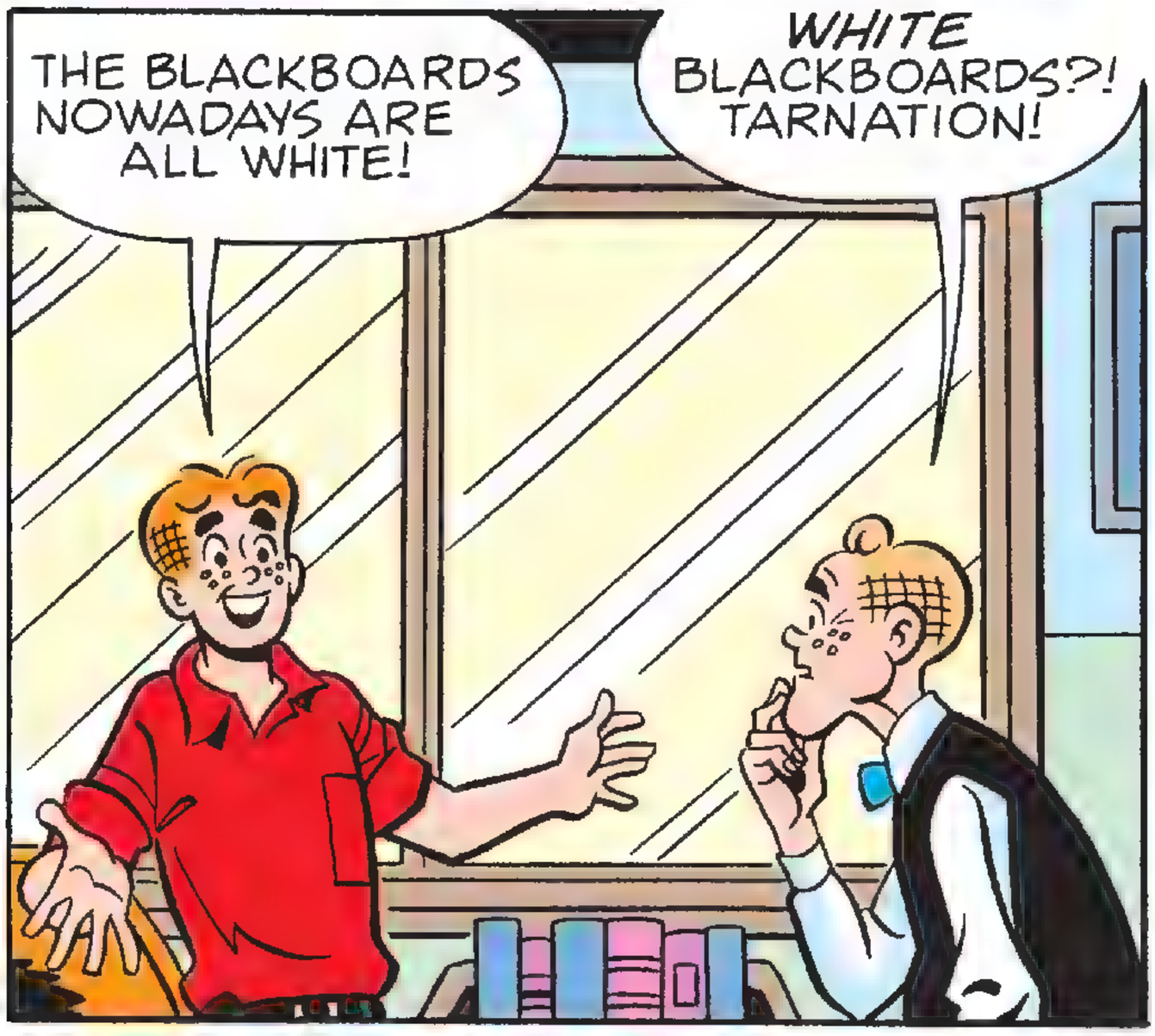
HA! HA! MISTER FLUTESNOOT IS KIDDING!

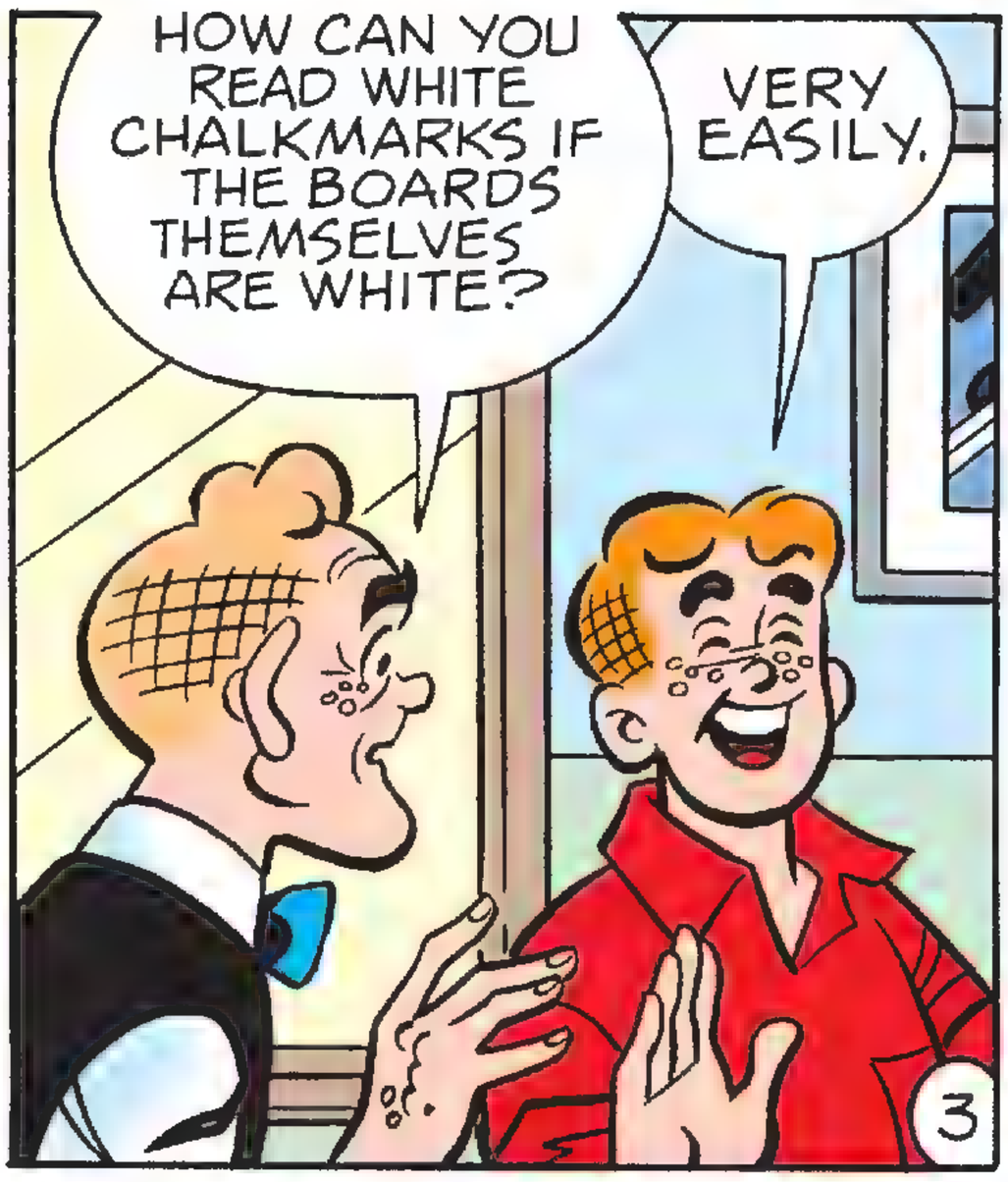
AT LEAST, I HOPE HE'S KIDDING!

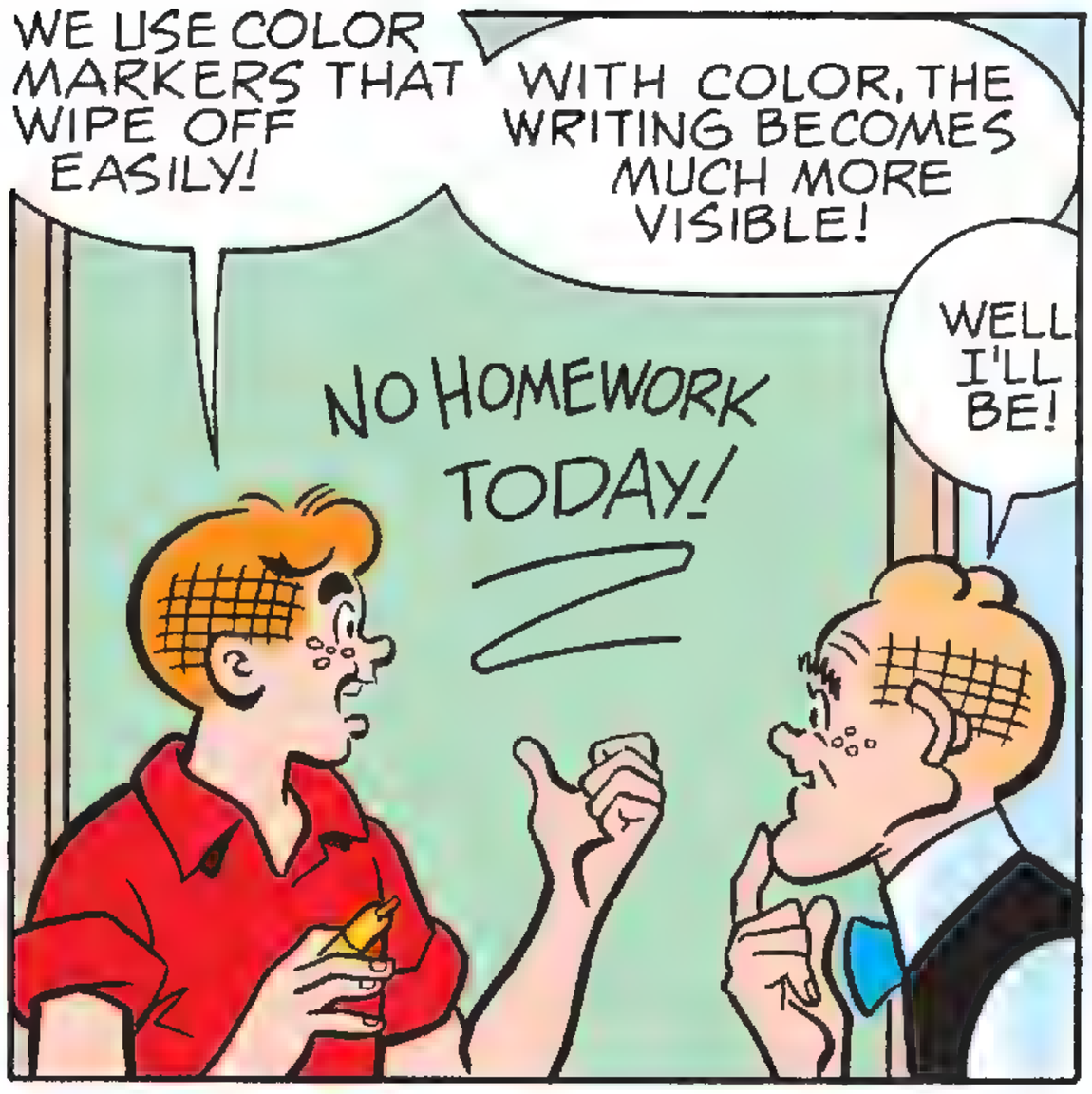

AND WITH FEWER BOOKS TO CARRY AROUND EACH DAY, STUDENTS ARE CUTTING BACK ON LOCKER SPACE!

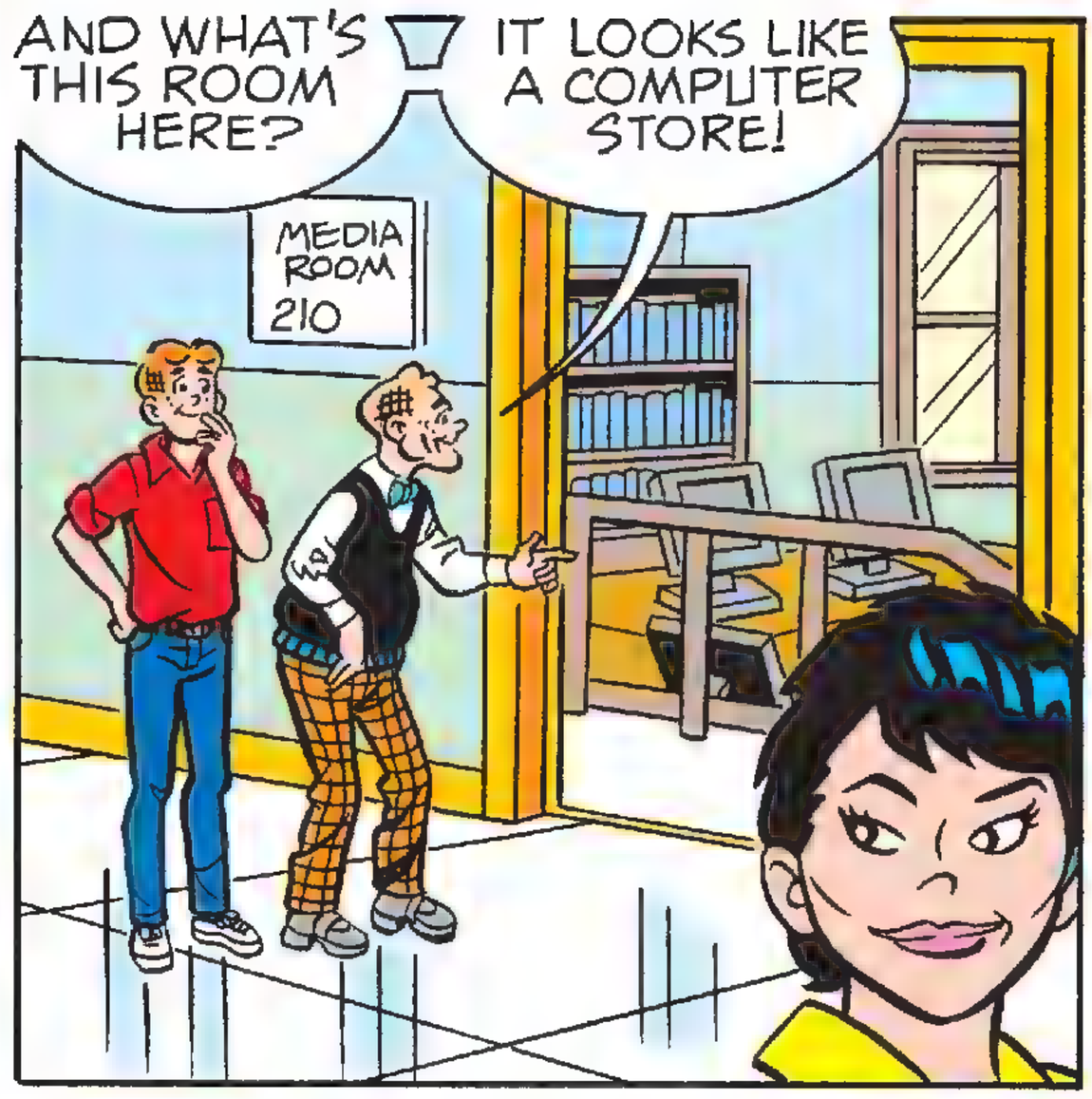

WHICH CRAMPS MY STYLE NO END!
...I NEED ALL THE LOCKER SPACE. I CAN GET FOR MY SNACKS!
CHIPS
AND HE'S NOT KIDDING!


I NOTICE YOUR CLASSROOMS HAVE DONE AWAY WITH BLACKBOARDS!
HOW DO TEACHERS PASS OUT HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENTS?
...WITH THEIR CELL PHONES?
NOT QUITE!


THE BLACKBOARDS NOWADAYS ARE ALL WHITE!
WHITE BLACKBOARDS?! TARNATION!


HOW CAN YOU READ WHITE CHALKMARKS IF THE BOARDS THEMSELVES ARE WHITE?
VERY EASILY.


WE USE COLOR MARKERS THAT WIPE OFF EASILY!
WITH COLOR, THE WRITING BECOMES MUCH MORE VISIBLE!
NO HOMEWORK TODAY!
WELL I'LL BE!


AND WHAT'S THIS ROOM HERE?
IT LOOKS LIKE A COMPUTER STORE!
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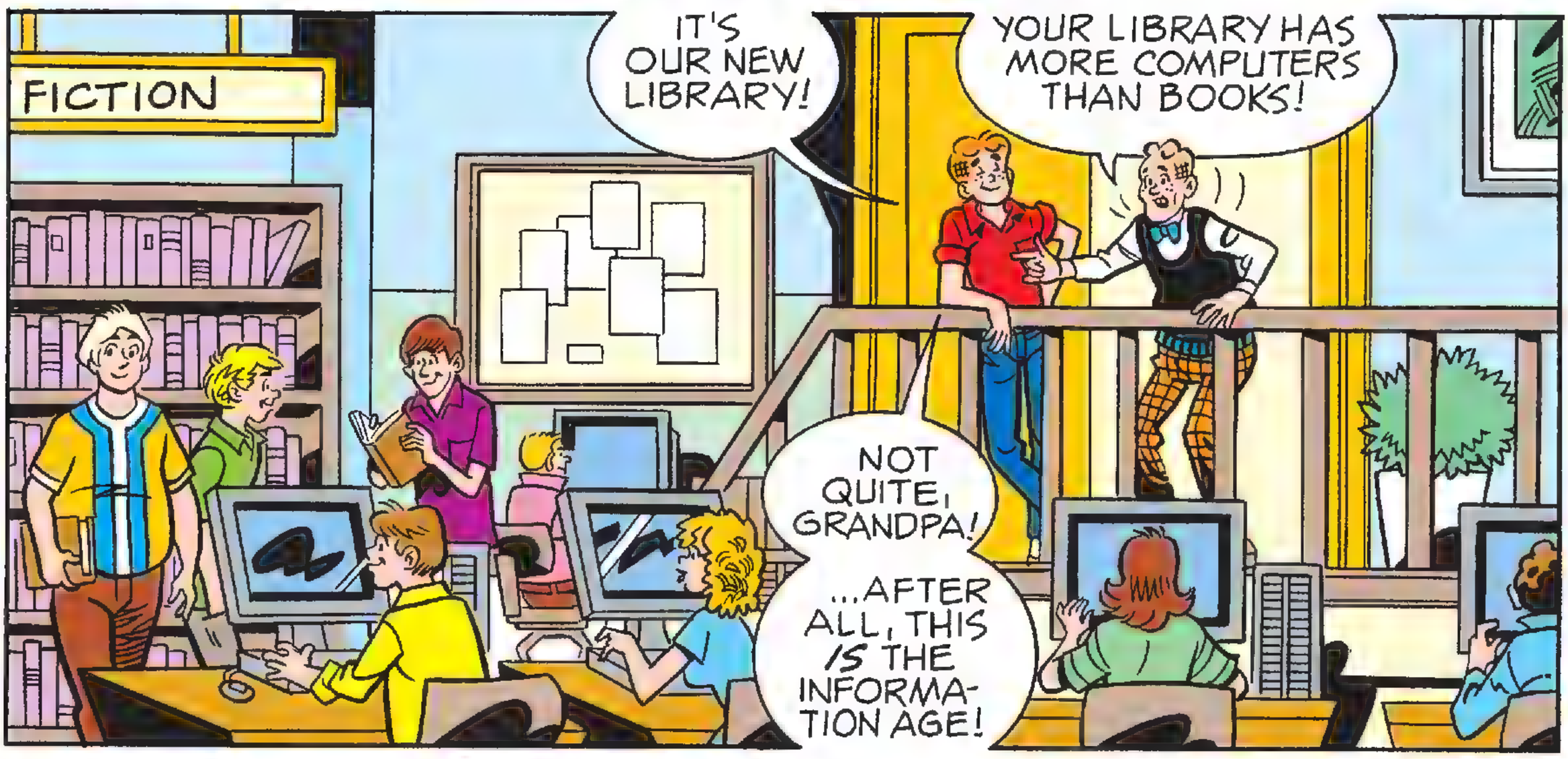
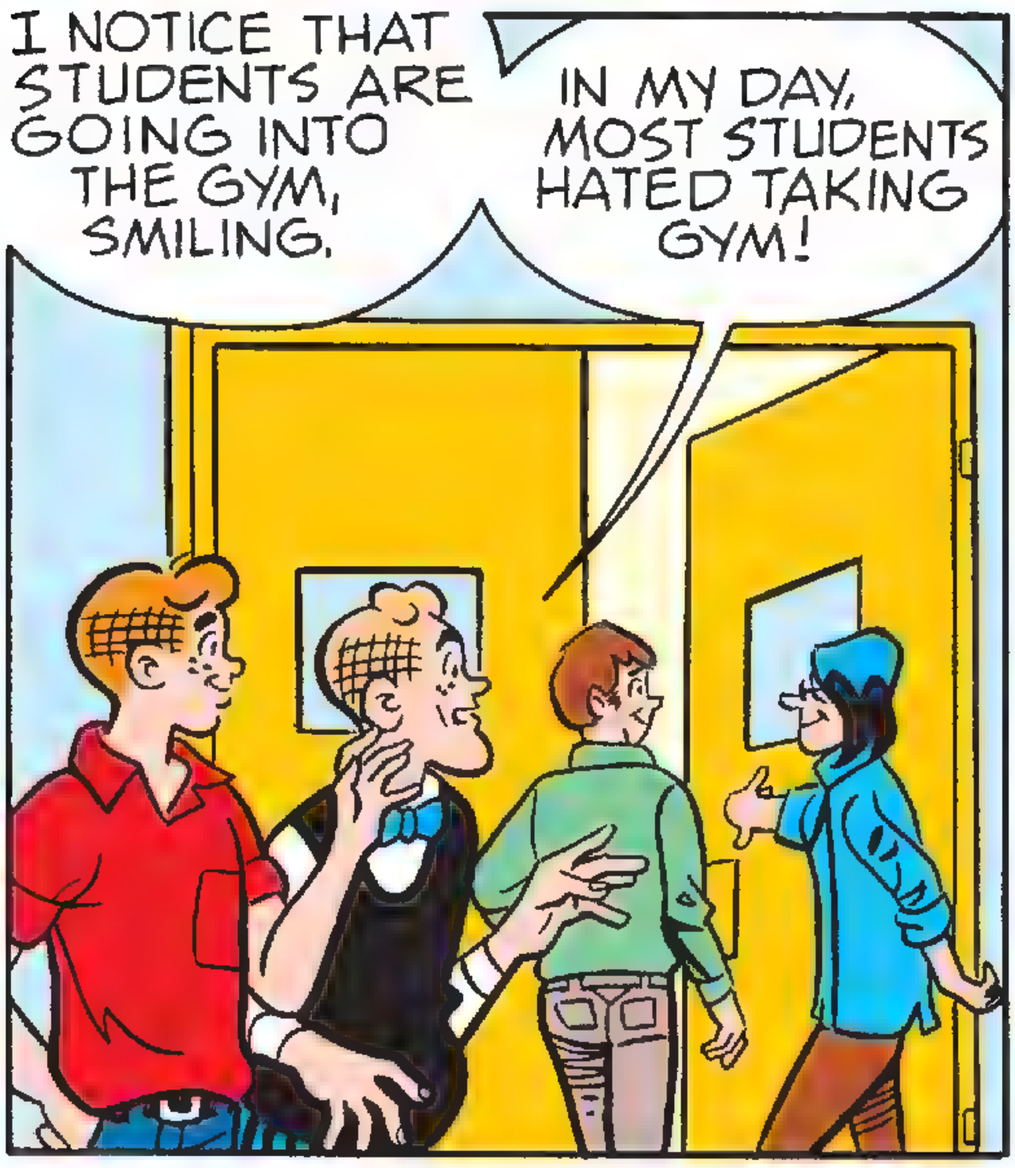
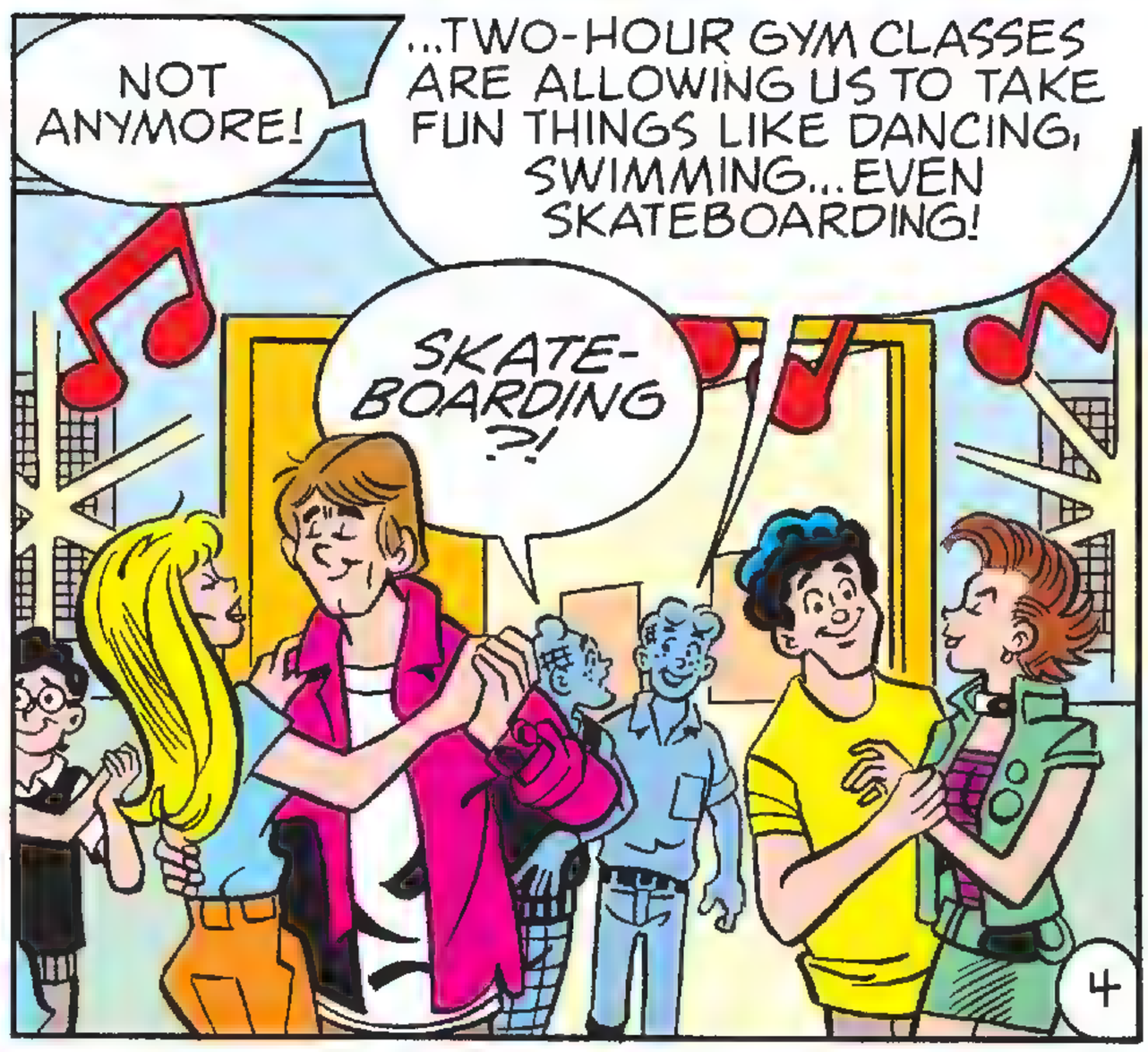
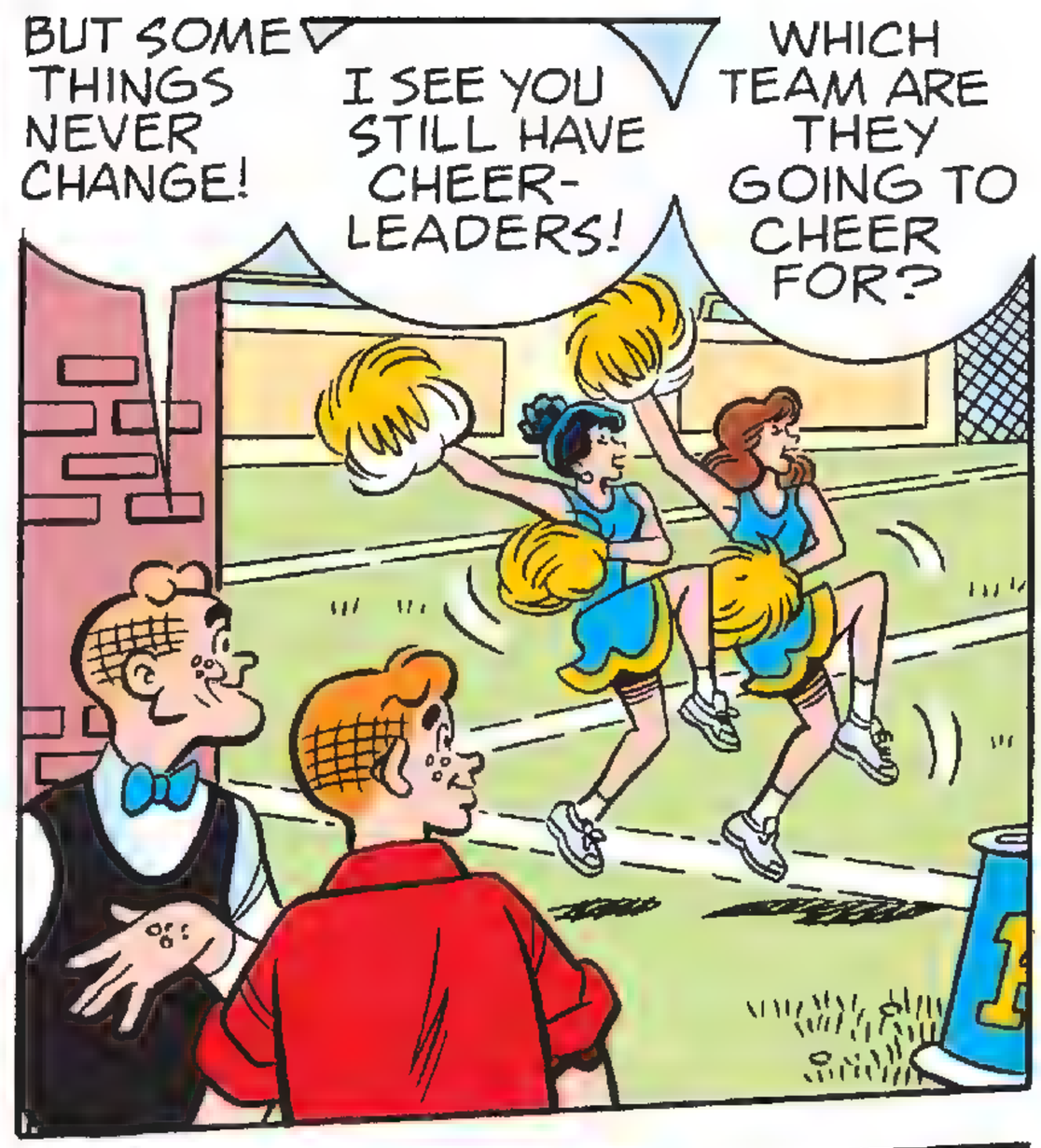
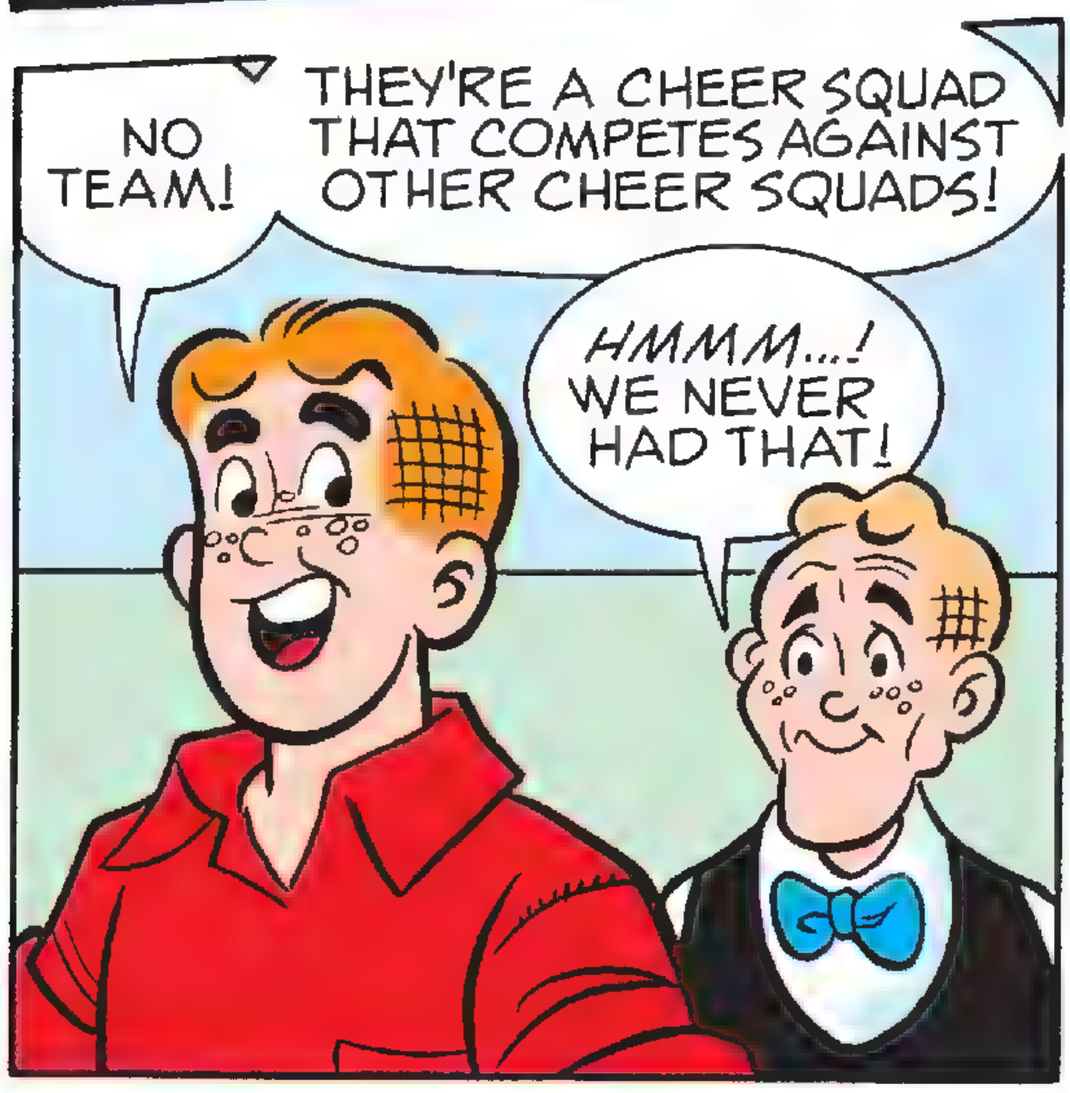

FICTION
IT'S OUR NEW LIBRARY!
YOUR LIBRARY HAS MORE COMPUTERS THAN BOOKS!
NOT QUITE, GRANDPA!
...AFTER ALL, THIS IS THE INFORMATION AGE!

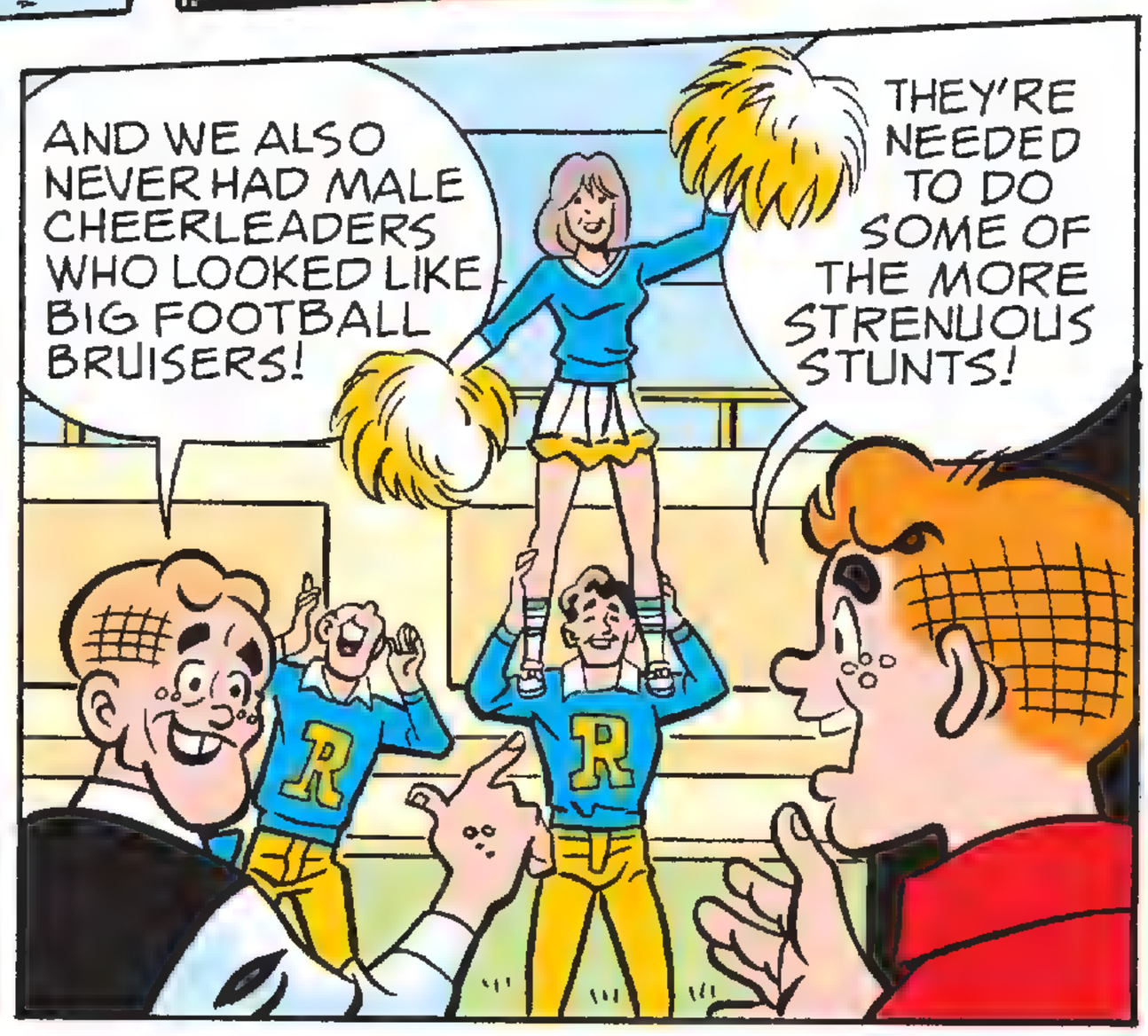

I NOTICE THAT STUDENTS ARE GOING INTO THE GYM, SMILING.
IN MY DAY, MOST STUDENTS HATED TAKING GYM!

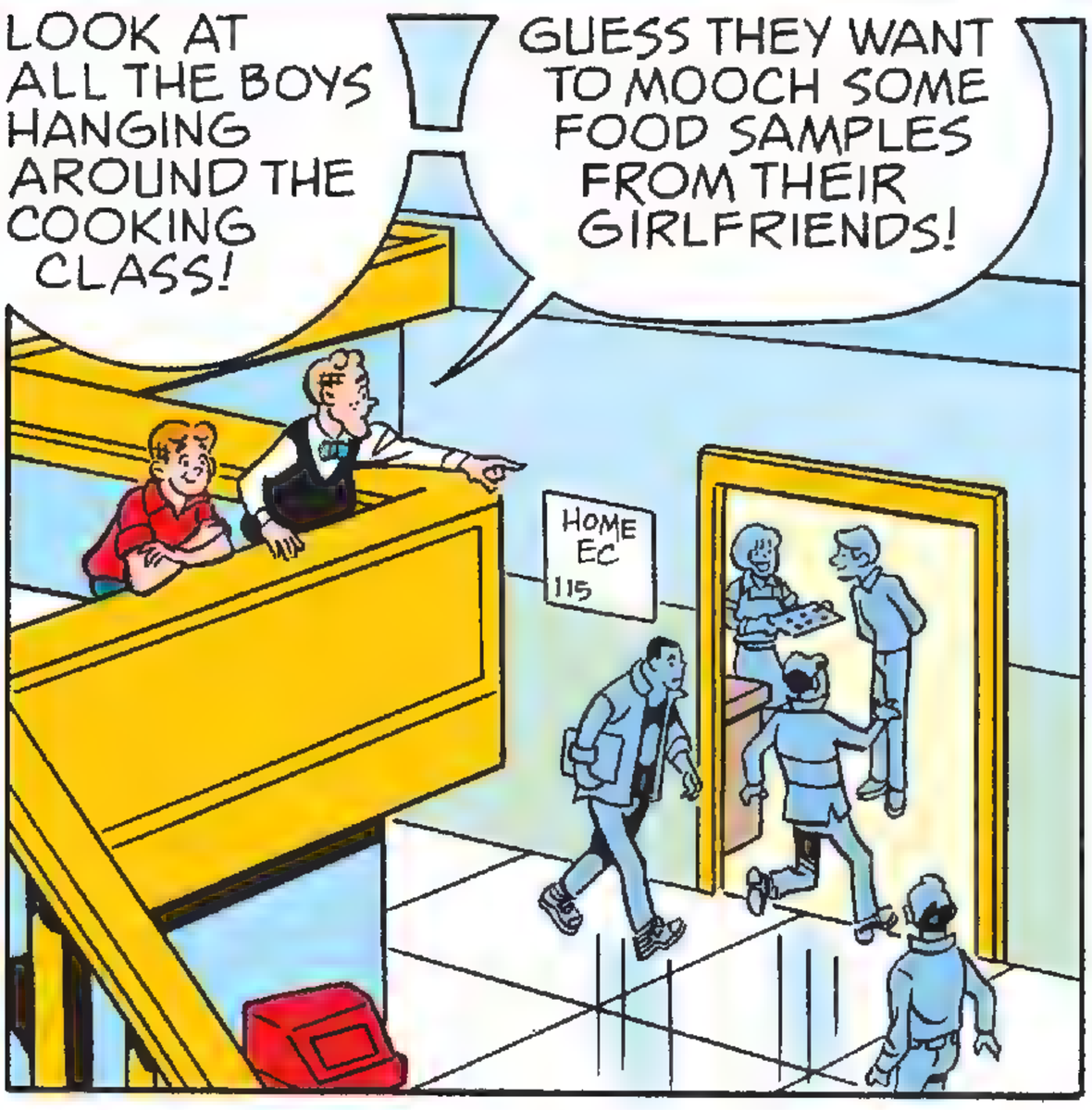

NOT ANYMORE!
...TWO-HOUR GYM CLASSES ARE ALLOWING US TO TAKE FUN THINGS LIKE DANCING, SWIMMING...EVEN SKATEBOARDING!
SKATE-BOARDING ?!

YOU SEE...A TWO-HOUR SESSION LETS US RIDE TO THE SKATEBOARD PARK!


BUT SOME THINGS NEVER CHANGE!
I SEE YOU STILL HAVE CHEER-LEADERS!
WHICH TEAM ARE THEY GOING TO CHEER FOR?


NO TEAM!
THEY'RE A CHEER SQUAD THAT COMPETES AGAINST OTHER CHEER SQUADS!
HMMM...! WE NEVER HAD THAT!


AND WE ALSO NEVER HAD MALE CHEERLEADERS WHO LOOKED LIKE BIG FOOTBALL BRUISERS!
THEY'RE NEEDED TO DO SOME OF THE MORE STRENUOUS STUNTS!


LOOK AT ALL THE BOYS HANGING AROUND THE COOKING CLASS!
GUESS THEY WANT TO MOOCH SOME FOOD SAMPLES FROM THEIR GIRLFRIENDS!
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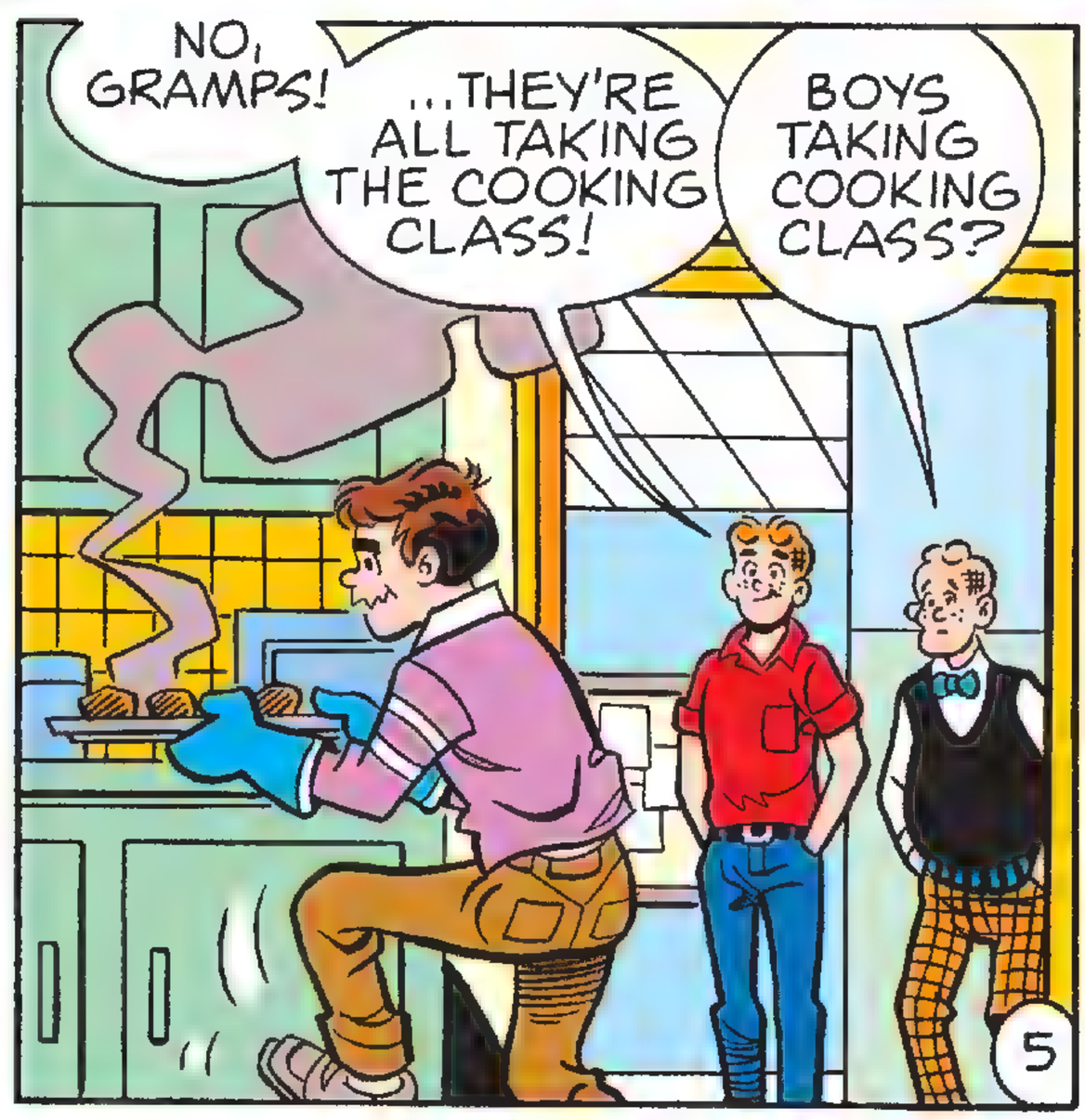
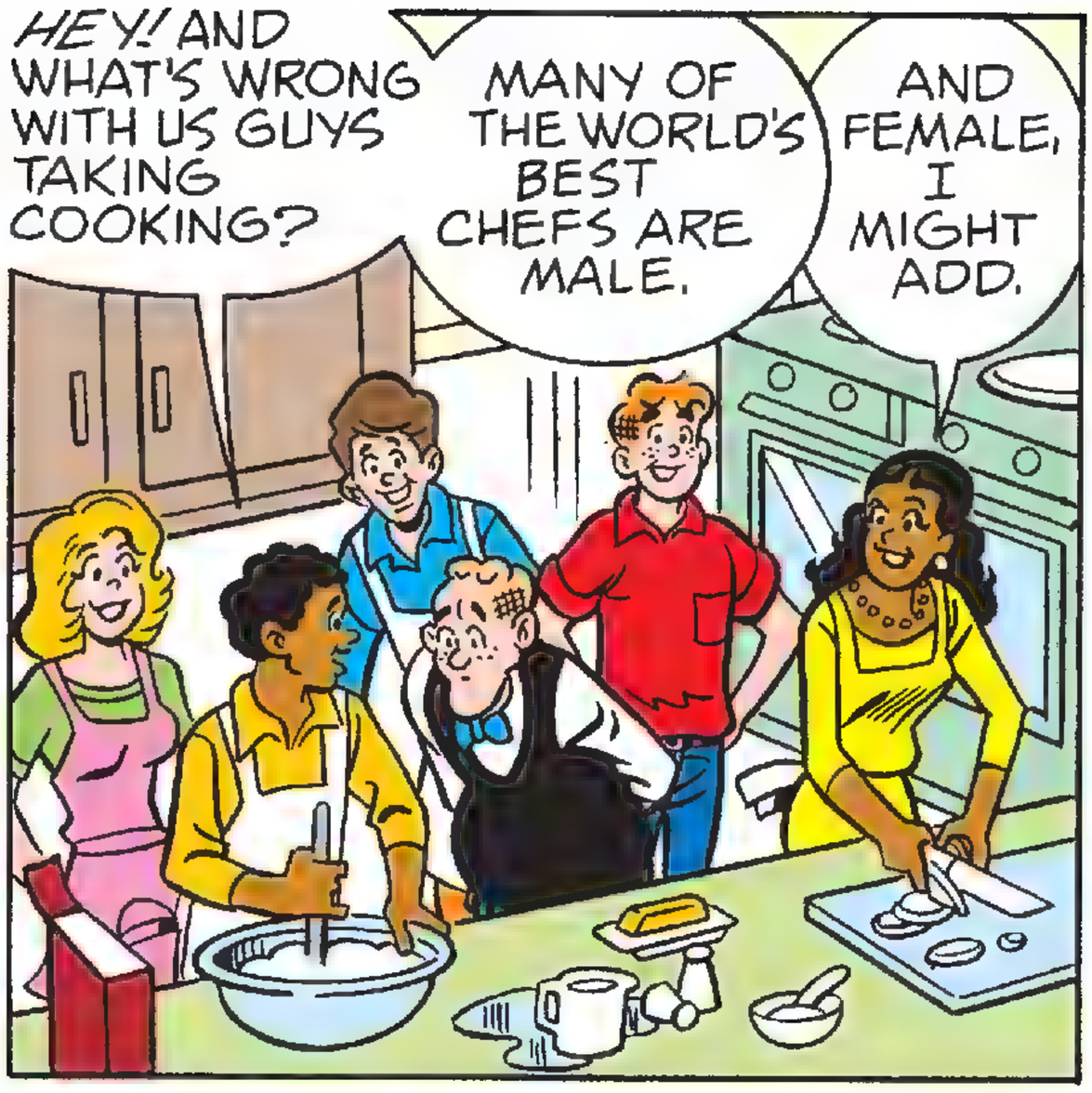
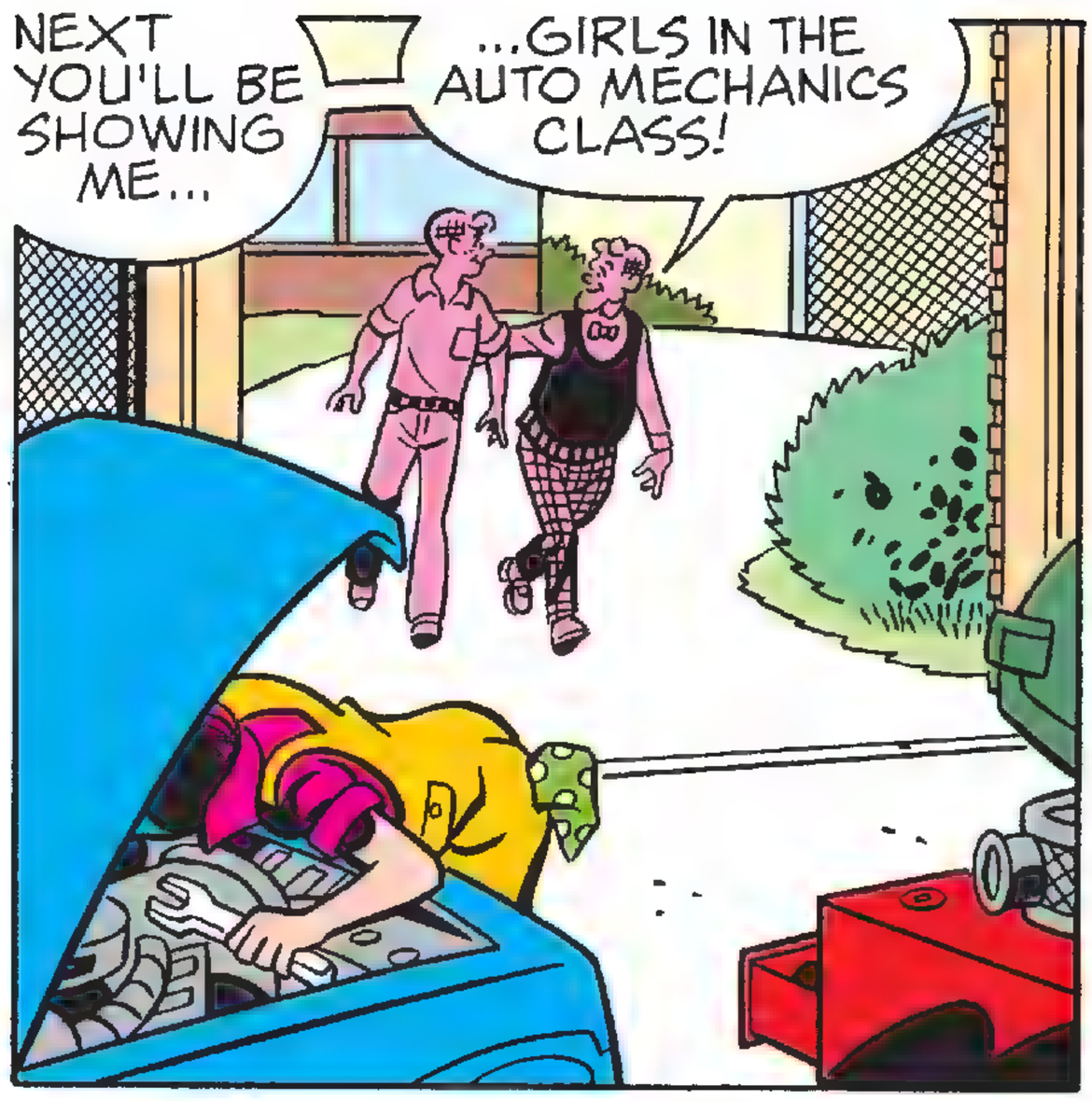
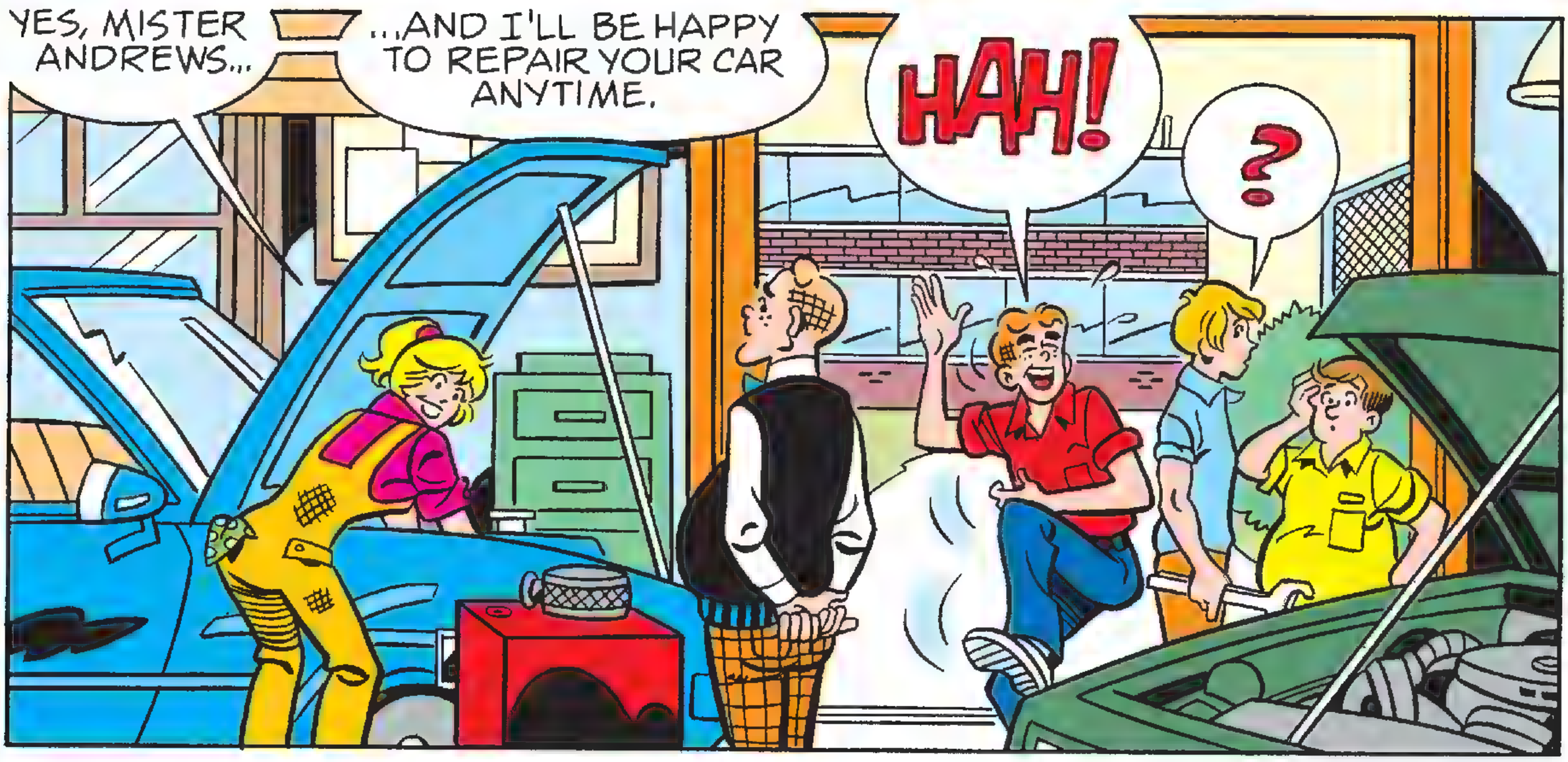

NO, GRAMPS!
...THEY'RE ALL TAKING THE COOKING CLASS!
BOYS TAKING COOKING CLASS?


HEY! AND WHAT'S WRONG WITH US GUYS TAKING COOKING?
MANY OF THE WORLD'S BEST CHEFS ARE MALE.
AND FEMALE, I MIGHT ADD.


NEXT YOU'LL BE SHOWING ME...
...GIRLS IN THE AUTO MECHANICS CLASS!


YES, MISTER ANDREWS...
...AND I'LL BE HAPPY TO REPAIR YOUR CAR ANYTIME.
HAH!
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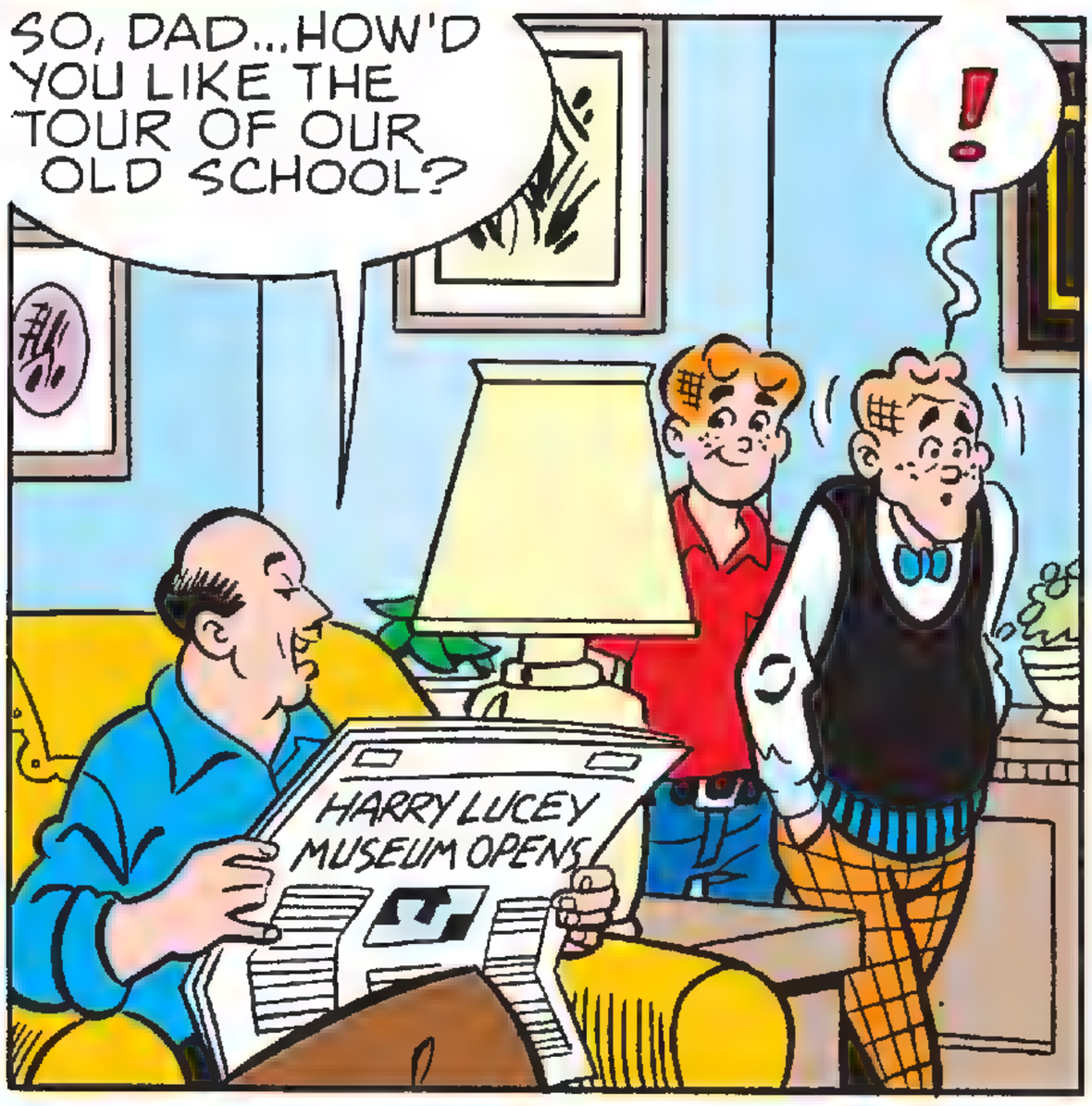
SO, DAD...HOW'D YOU LIKE THE TOUR OF OUR OLD SCHOOL?
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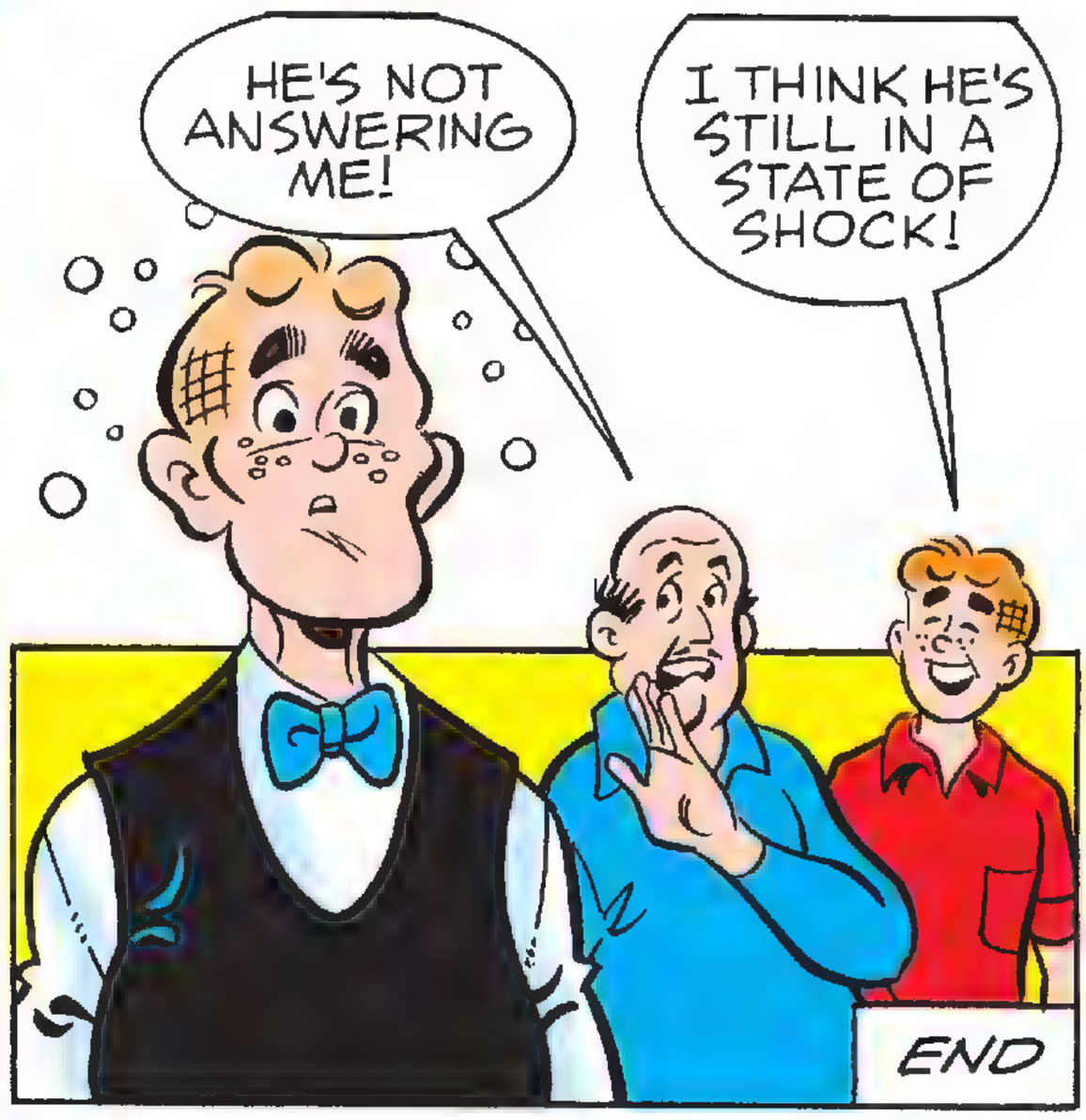
HARRY LUCEY MUSEUM OPENS


HE'S NOT ANSWERING ME!
I THINK HE'S STILL IN A STATE OF SHOCK!
END

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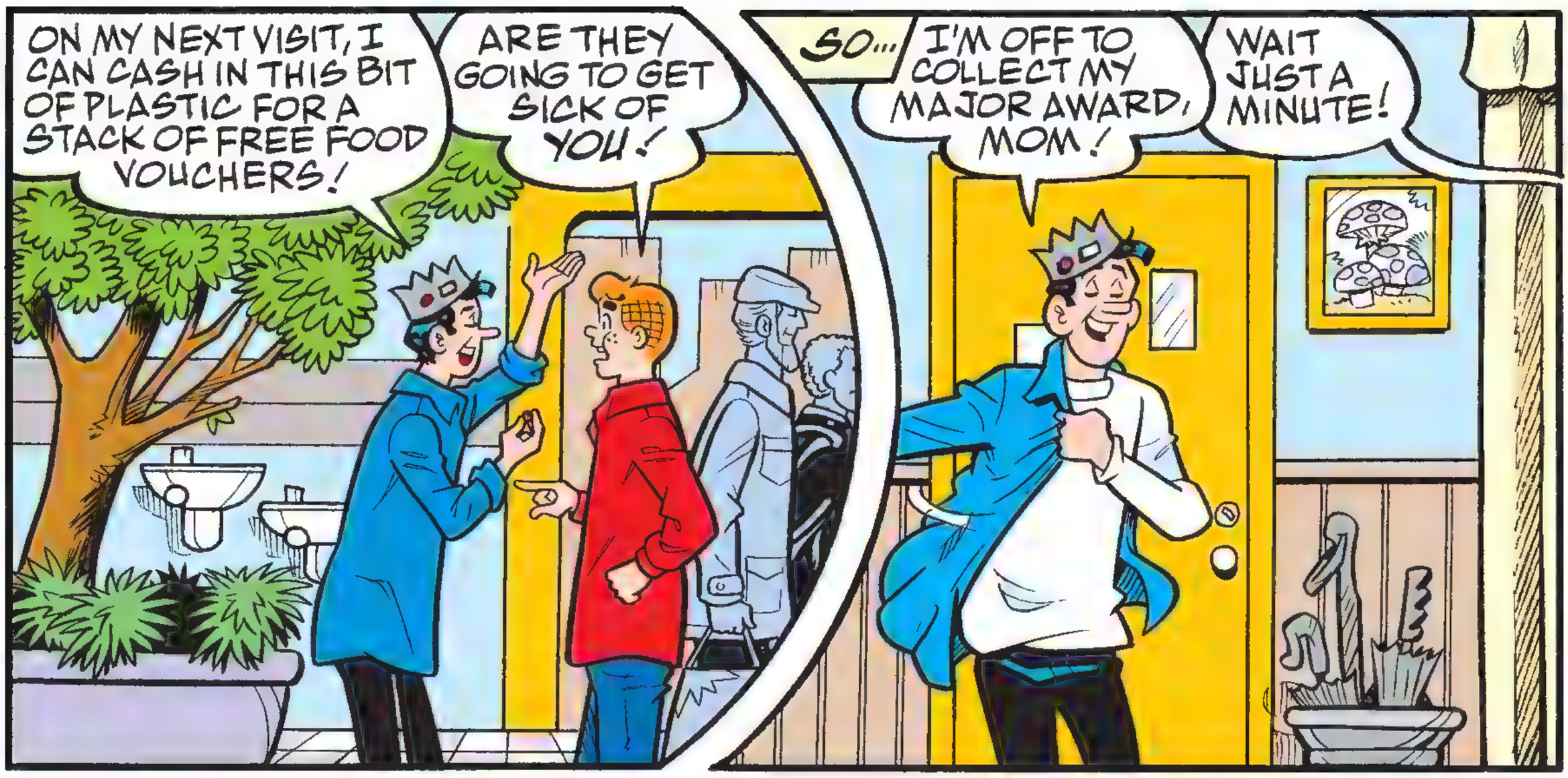
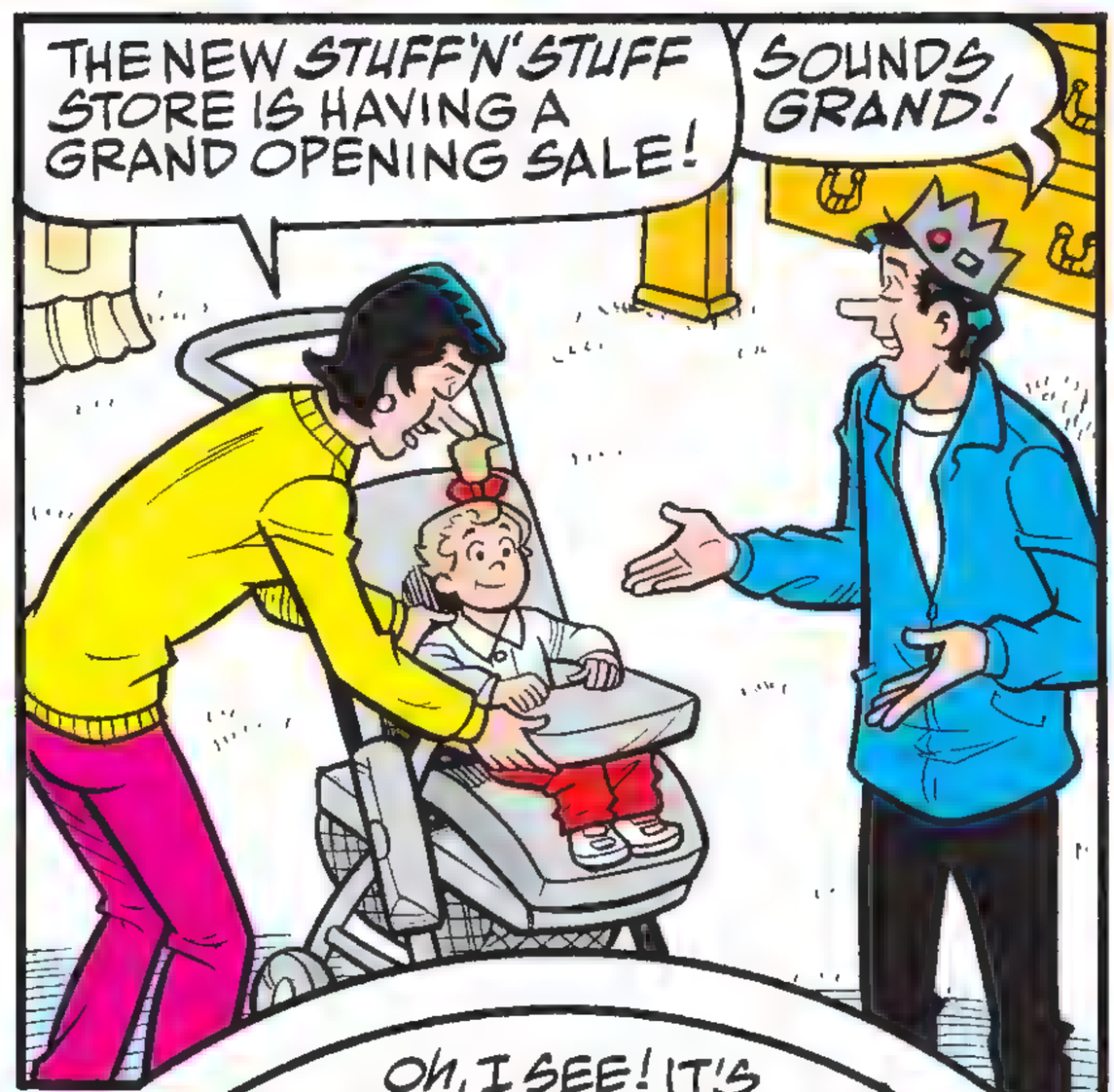
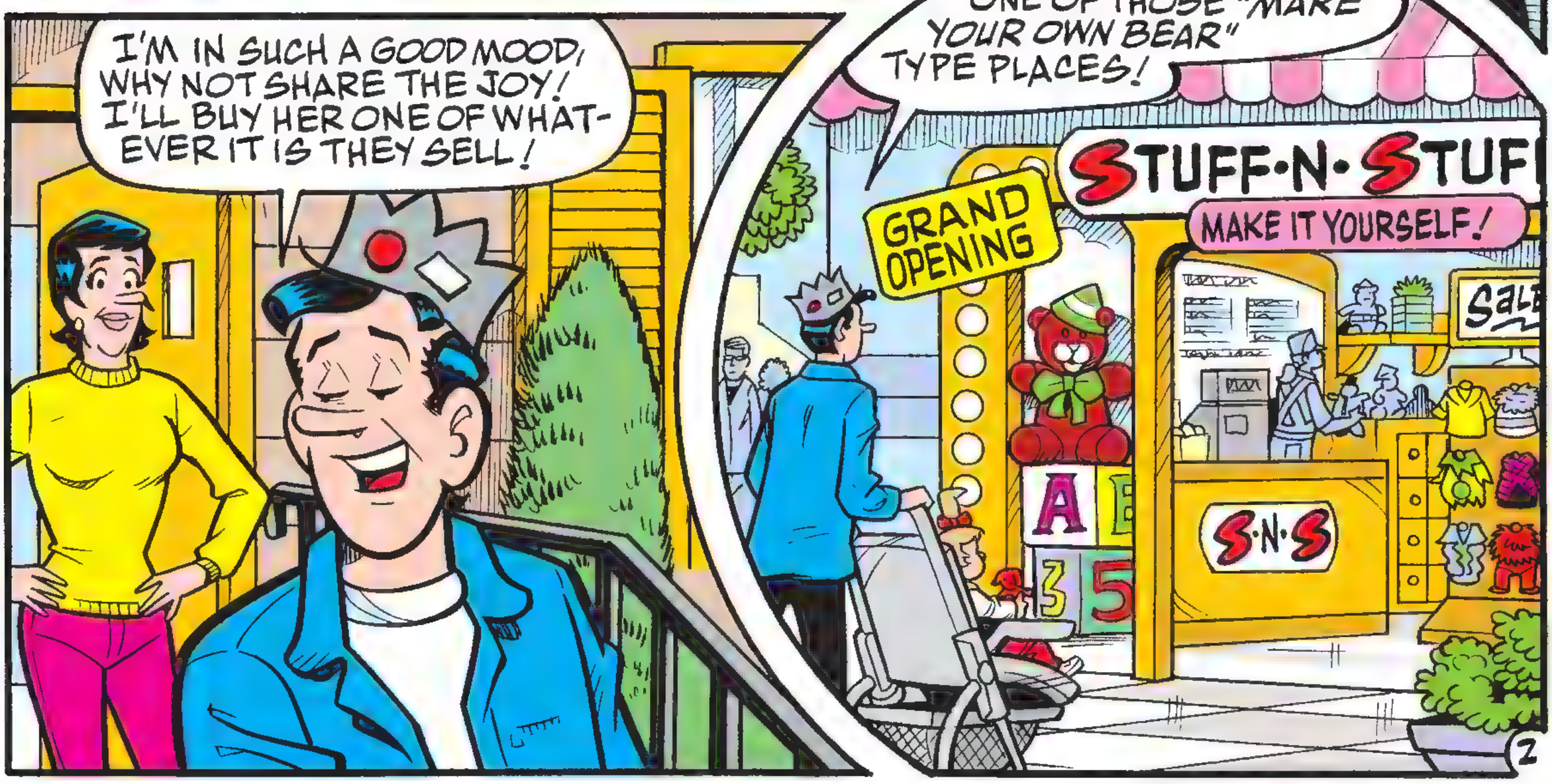
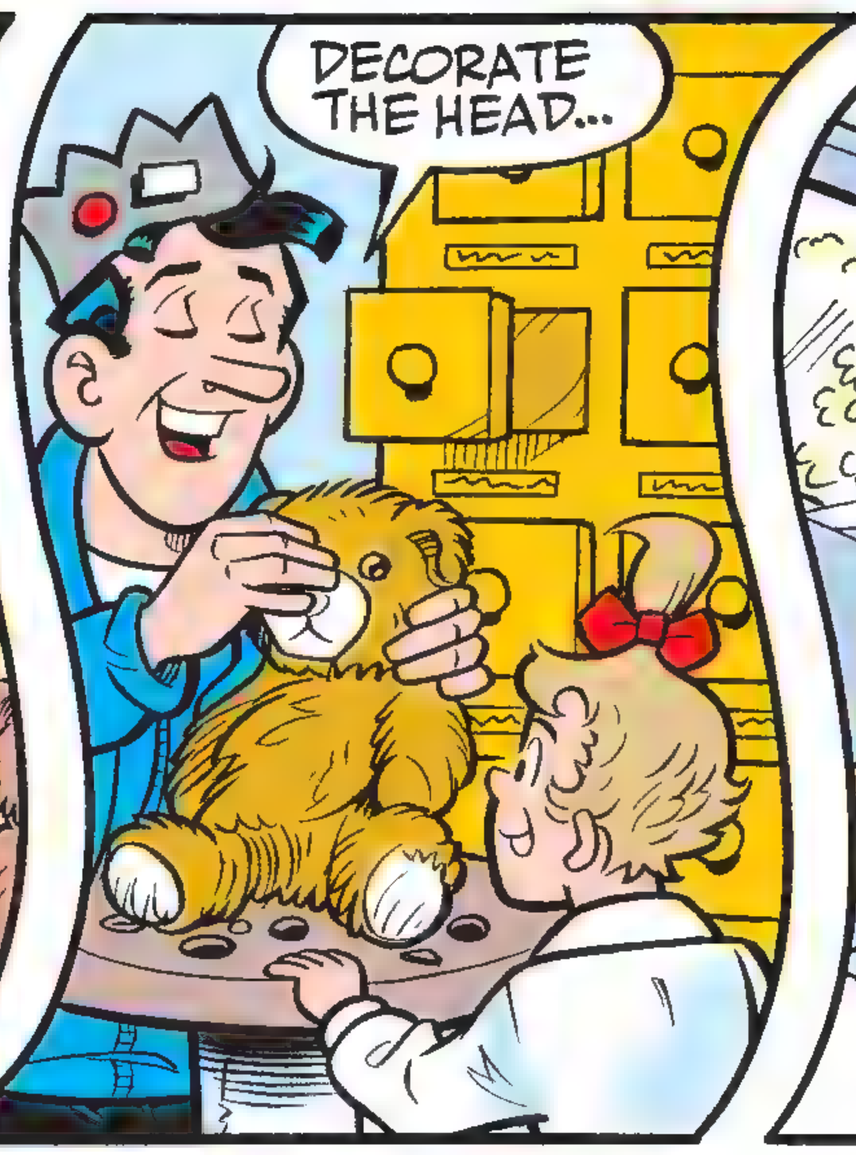

ON MY NEXT VISIT, I CAN CASH IN THIS BIT OF PLASTIC FOR A STACK OF FREE FOOD VOUCHERS!
ARE THEY GOING TO GET SICK OF YOU!
SO... I'M OFF TO COLLECT MY MAJOR AWARD, MOM!
WAIT JUST A MINUTE!

AS LONG AS YOU'RE GOING TO THE MALL, MAYBE YOU CAN TAKE YOUR SISTER?
MAYBE INDEED!

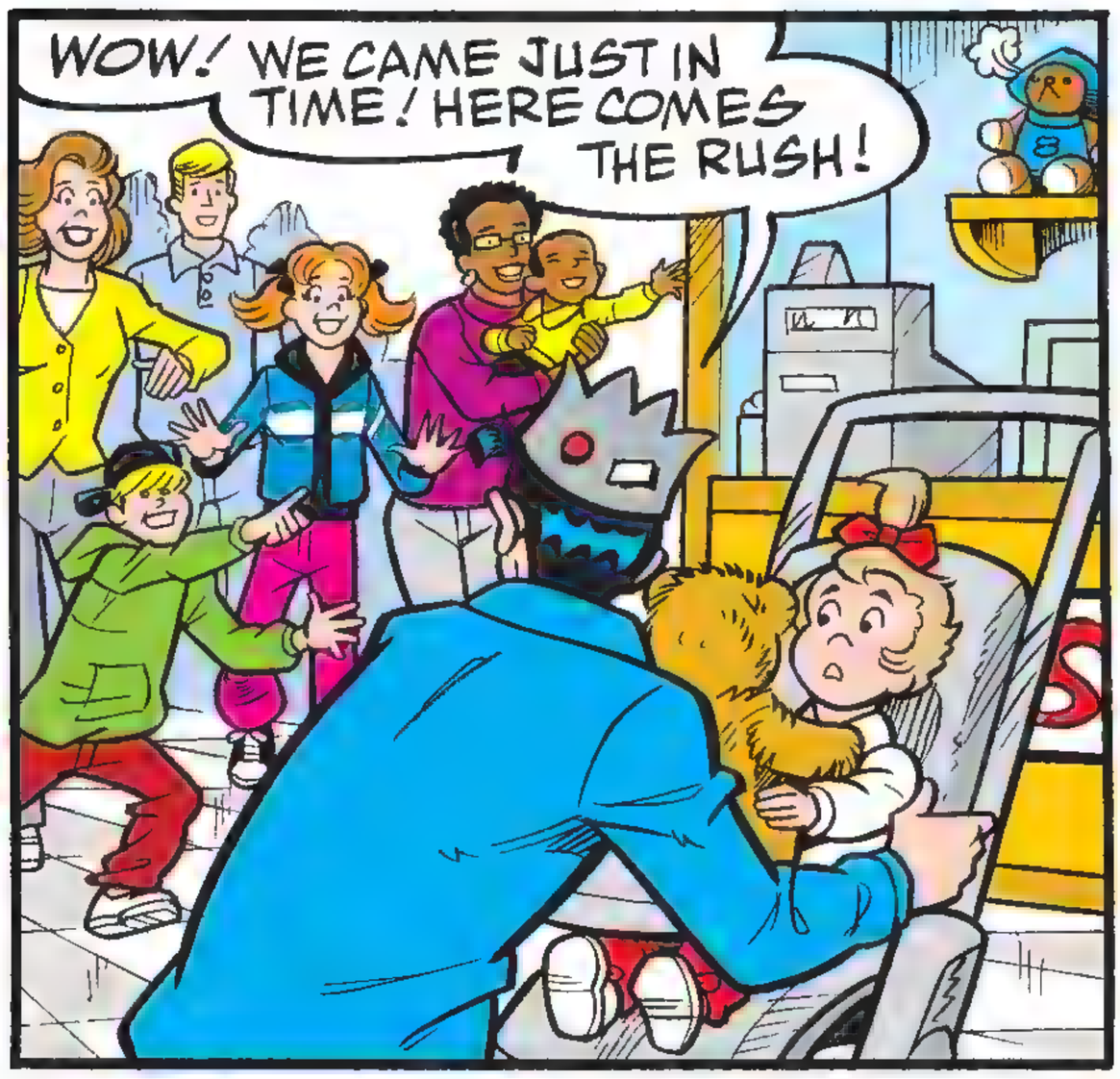

THE NEW STUFF'N'STUFF STORE IS HAVING A GRAND OPENING SALE!
SOUNDS GRAND!

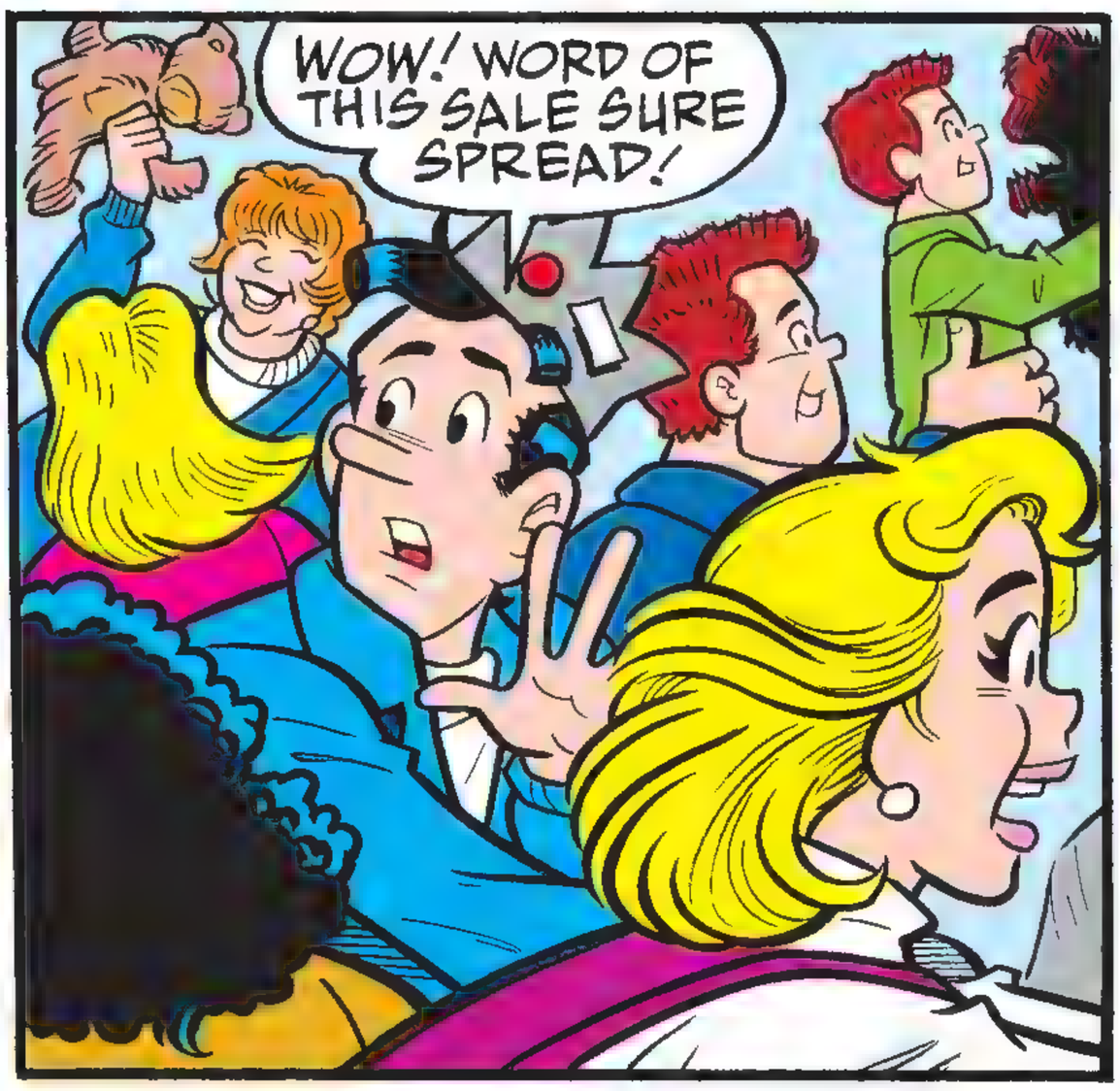

I'M IN SUCH A GOOD MOOD, WHY NOT SHARE THE JOY! I'LL BUY HER ONE OF WHATEVER IT IS THEY SELL!
OH, I SEE! IT'S ONE OF THOSE "MAKE YOUR OWN BEAR" TYPE PLACES!
GRAND OPENING
STUFF·N·STUF
MAKE IT YOURSELF!
S·N·S

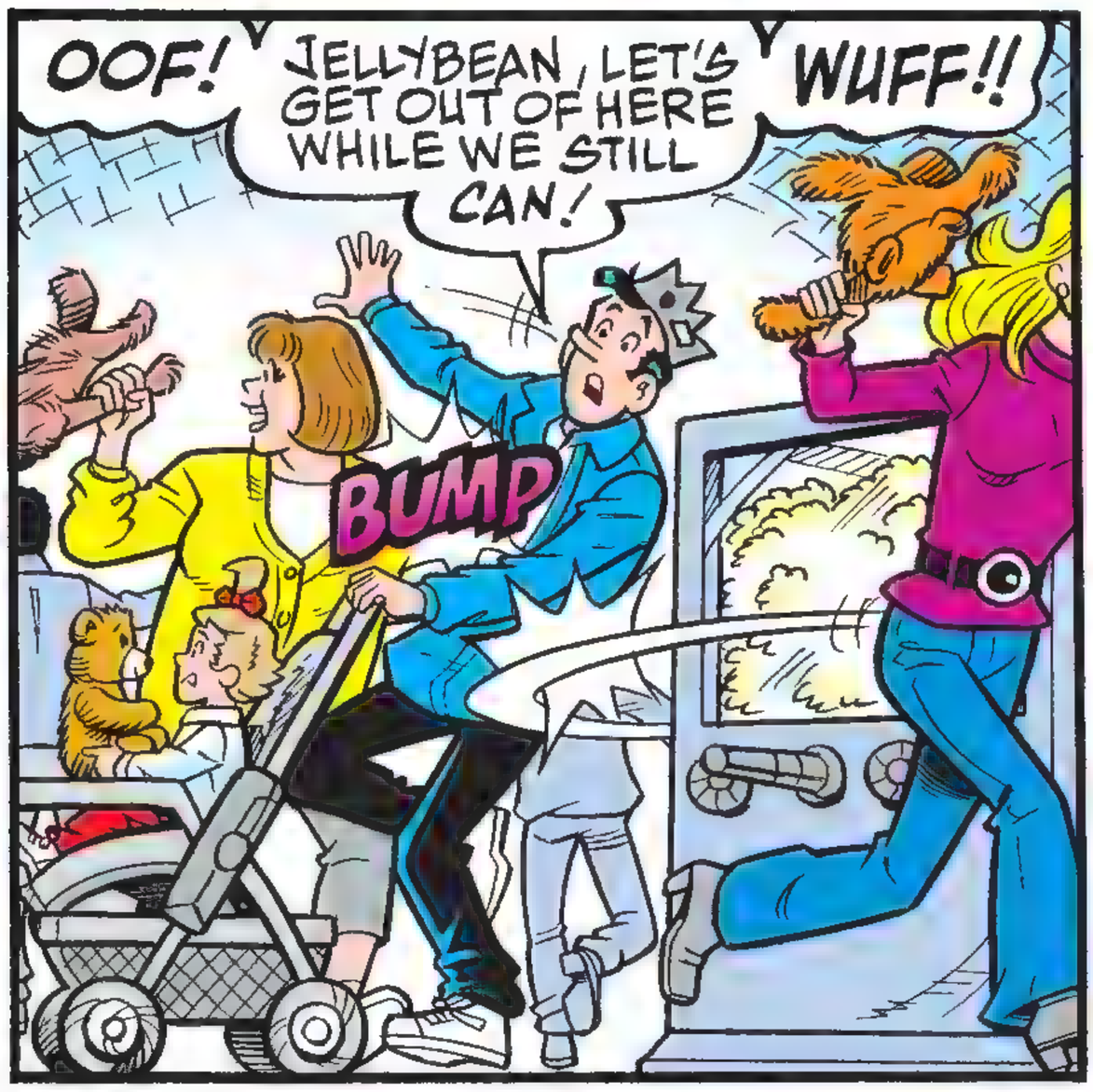
WE SELECT OUR CHOICE OF BEAR SKIN...

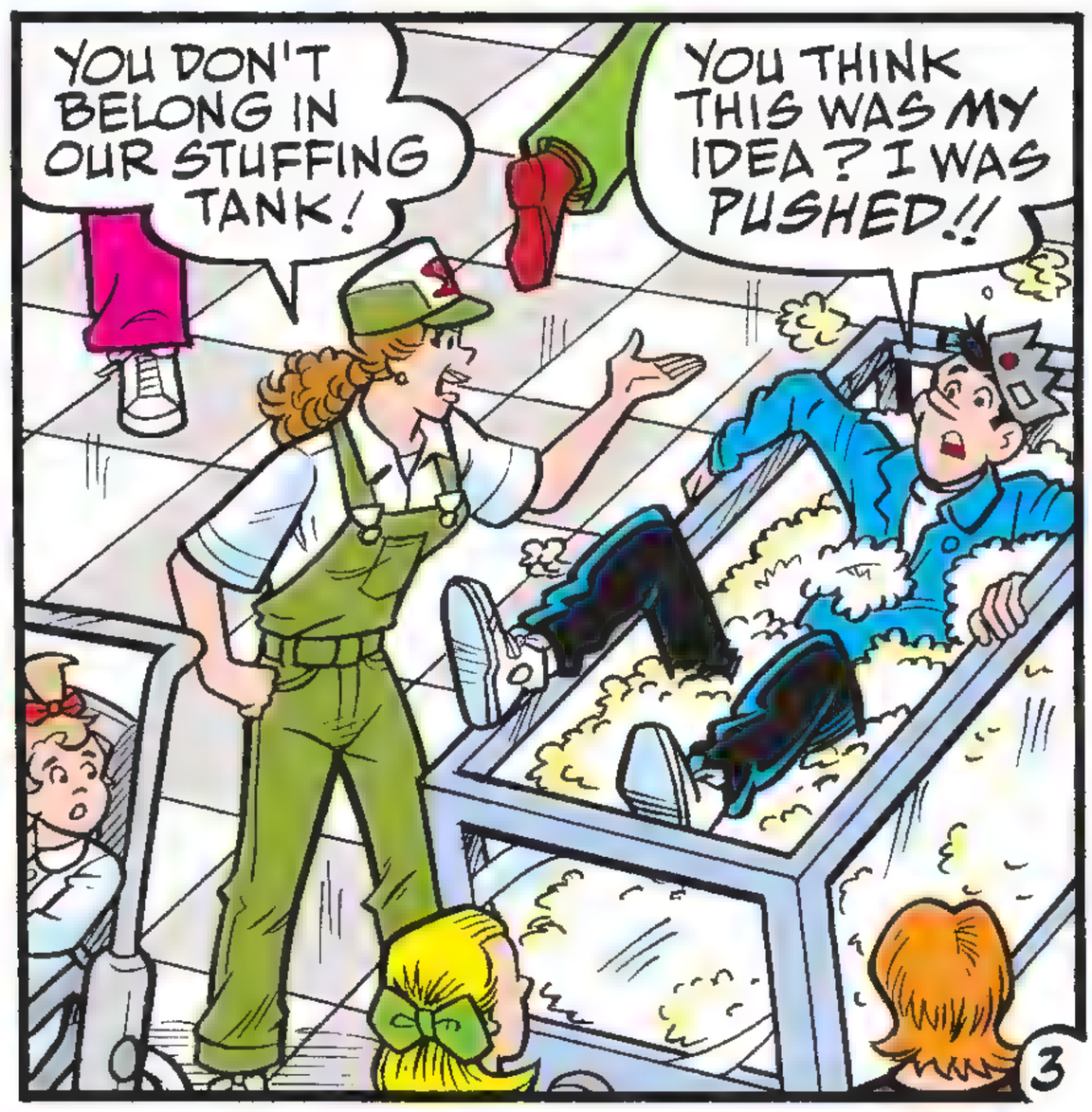

DECORATE THE HEAD...

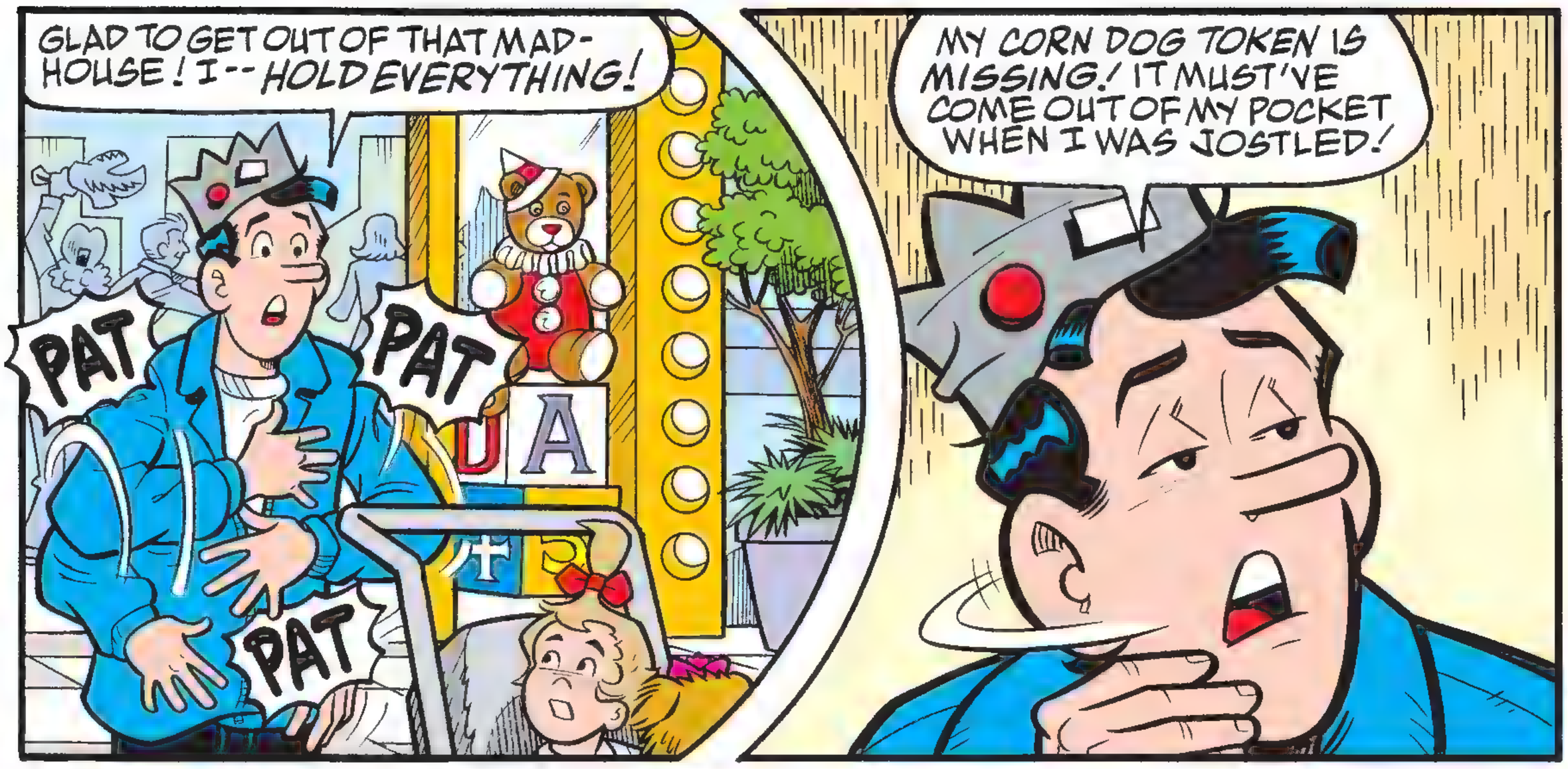
AND STUFF IT WITH BEAR STUFFING!
WHOOSH

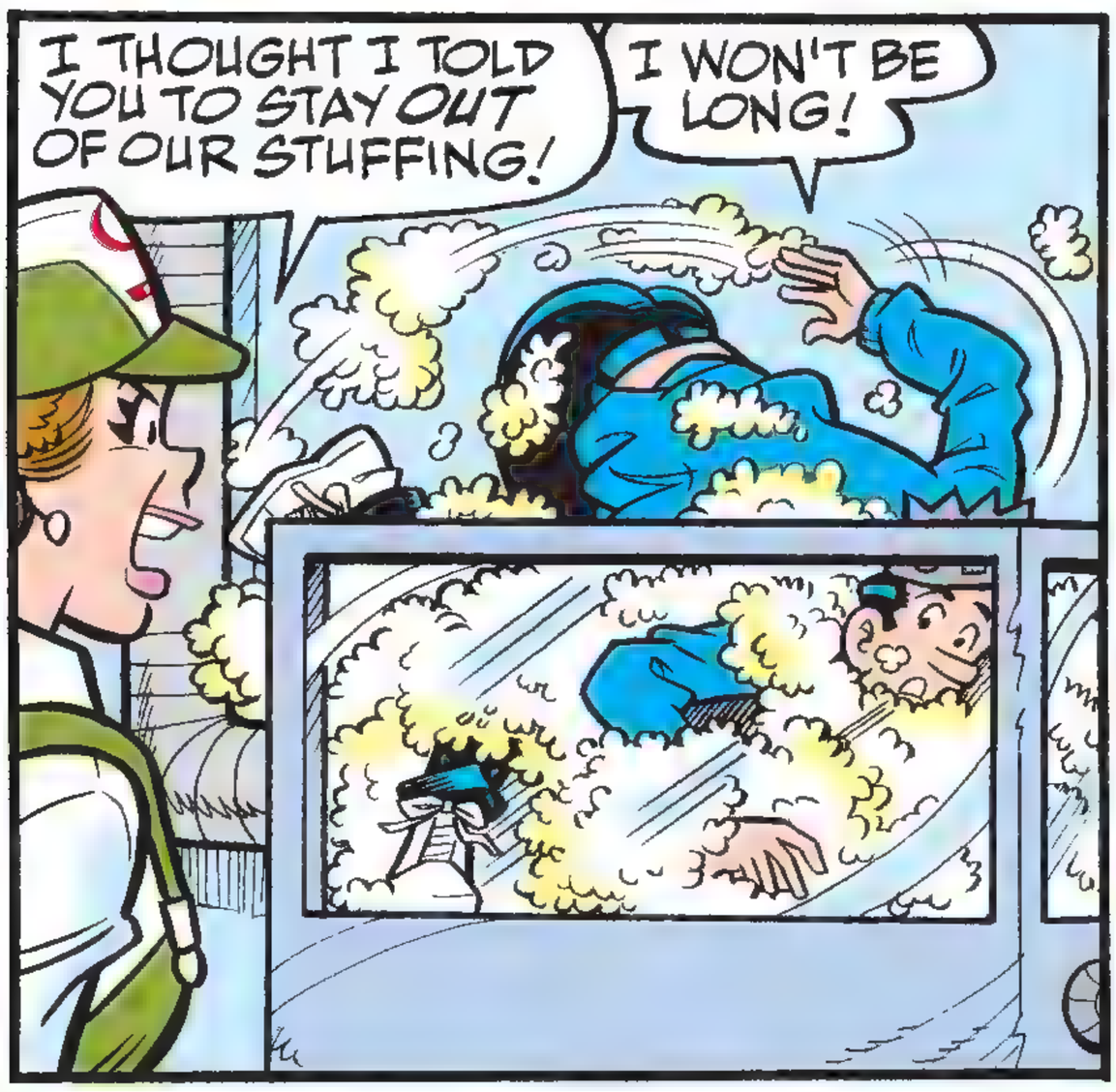

WOW! WE CAME JUST IN TIME! HERE COMES THE RUSH!


WOW! WORD OF THIS SALE SURE SPREAD!

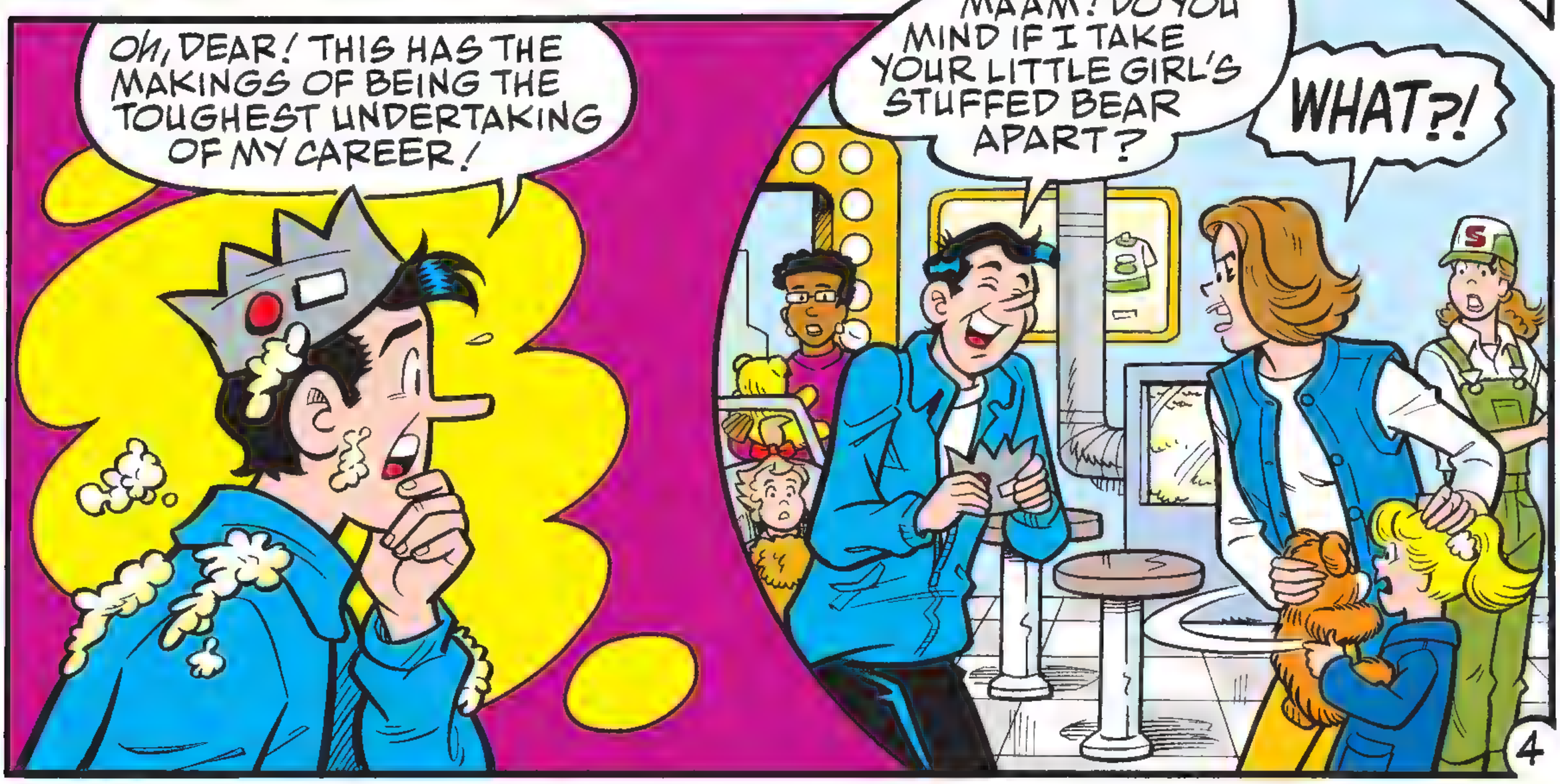

OOF!
JELLYBEAN, LET'S GET OUT OF HERE WHILE WE STILL CAN!
WUFF!!
BUMP

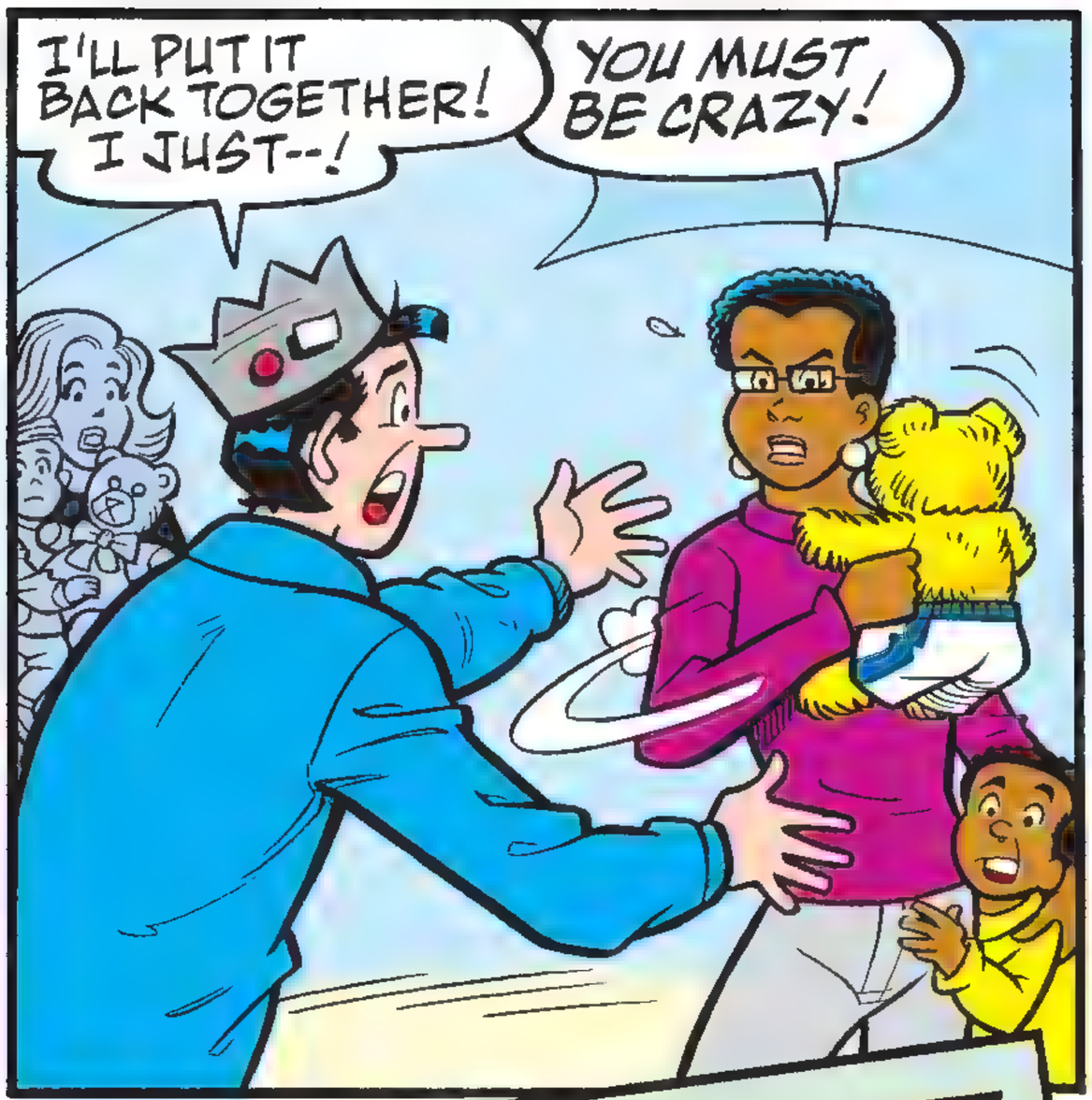

YOU DON'T BELONG IN OUR STUFFING TANK!
YOU THINK THIS WAS MY IDEA? I WAS PUSHED!!

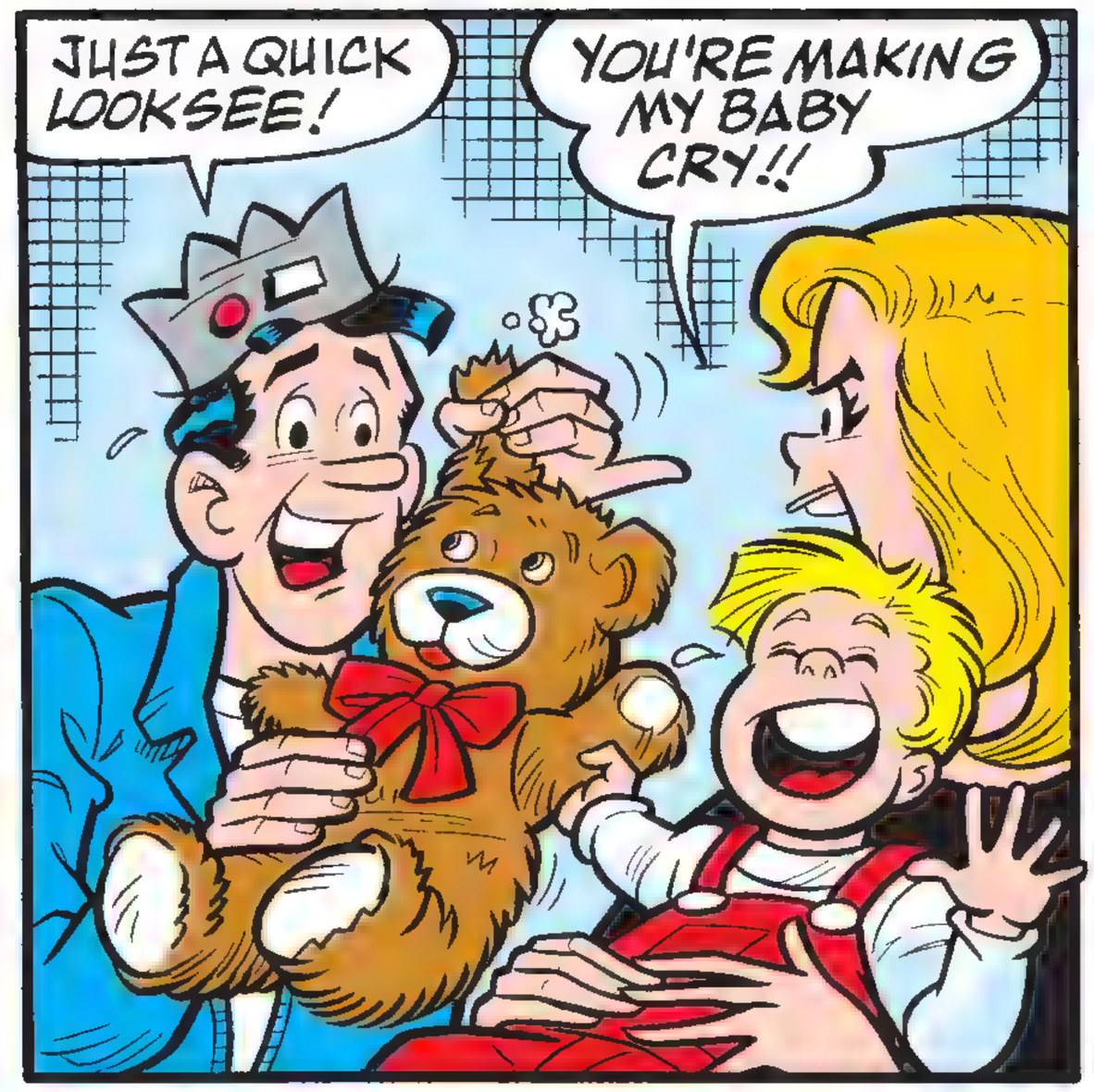

GLAD TO GET OUT OF THAT MAD-HOUSE! I-- HOLD EVERYTHING!
PAT
PAT
PAT
MY CORN DOG TOKEN IS MISSING! IT MUST'VE COME OUT OF MY POCKET WHEN I WAS JOSTLED!


I THOUGHT I TOLD YOU TO STAY OUT OF OUR STUFFING!
I WON'T BE LONG!

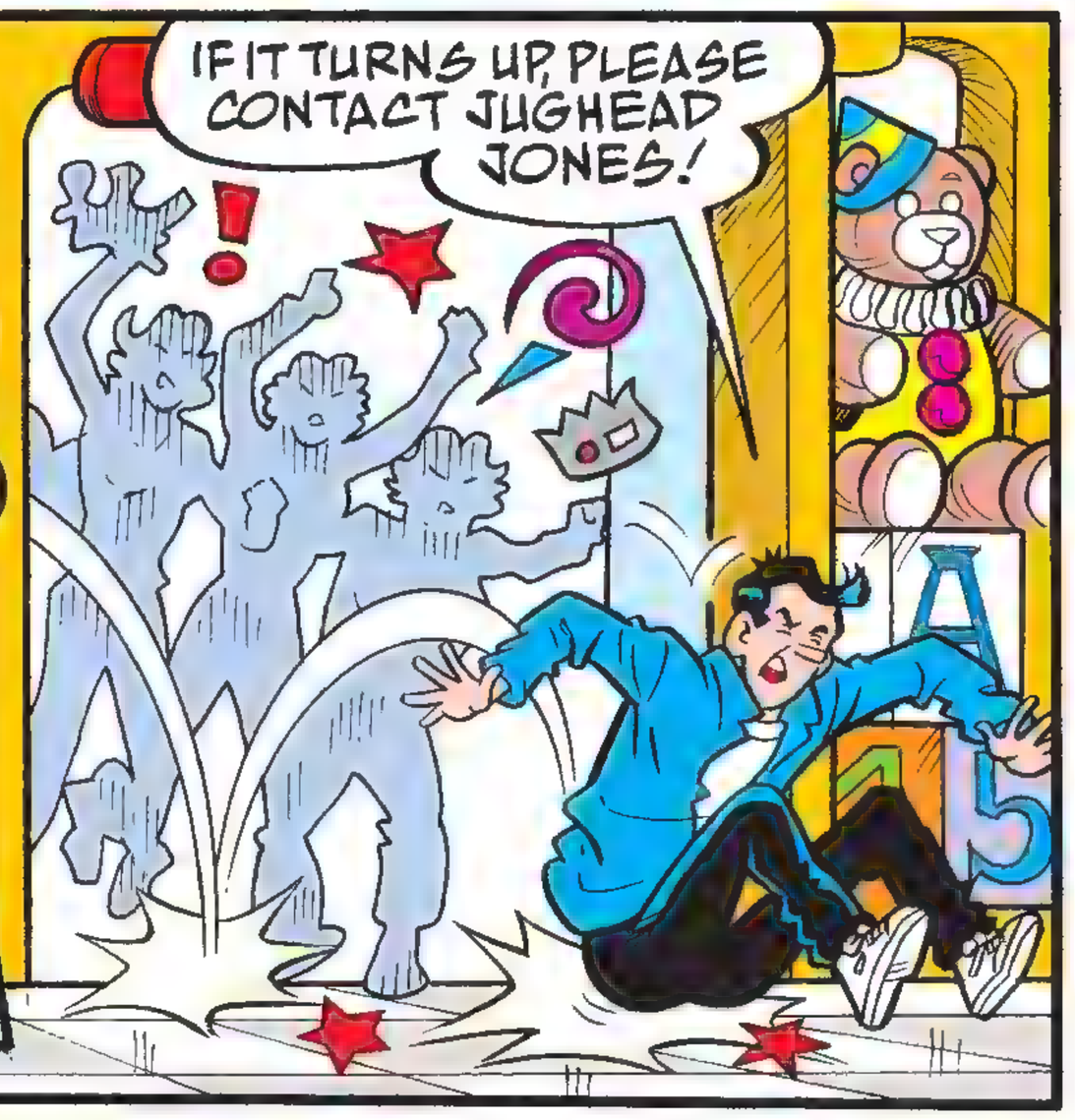
IT WASN'T THERE! THAT CAN ONLY MEAN...
STUFF

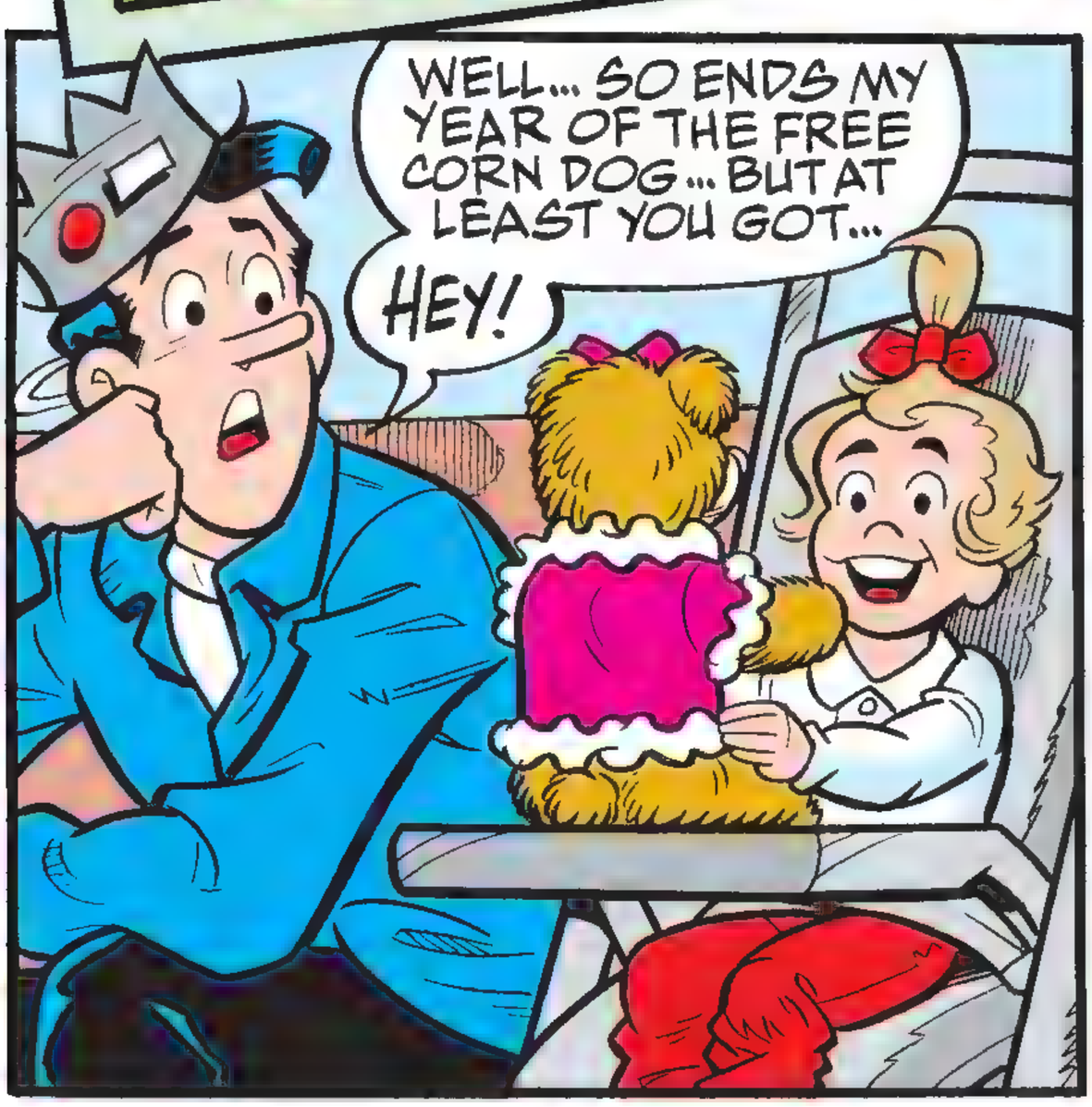

OH, DEAR! THIS HAS THE MAKINGS OF BEING THE TOUGHEST UNDERTAKING OF MY CAREER!
PARDON ME, MA'AM! DO YOU MIND IF I TAKE YOUR LITTLE GIRL'S STUFFED BEAR APART?
WHAT?!

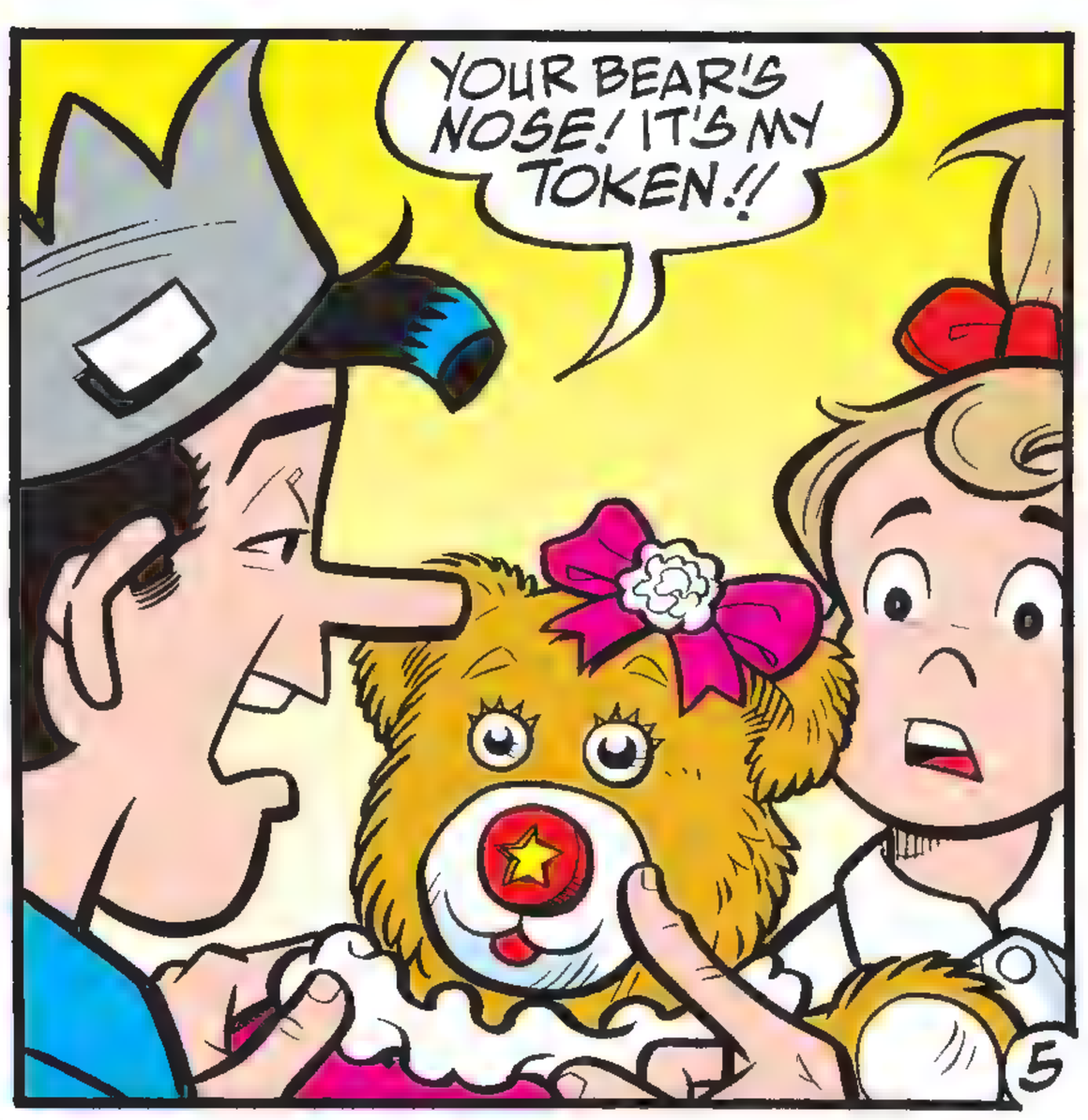

I'LL PUT IT BACK TOGETHER! I JUST--!
YOU MUST BE CRAZY!

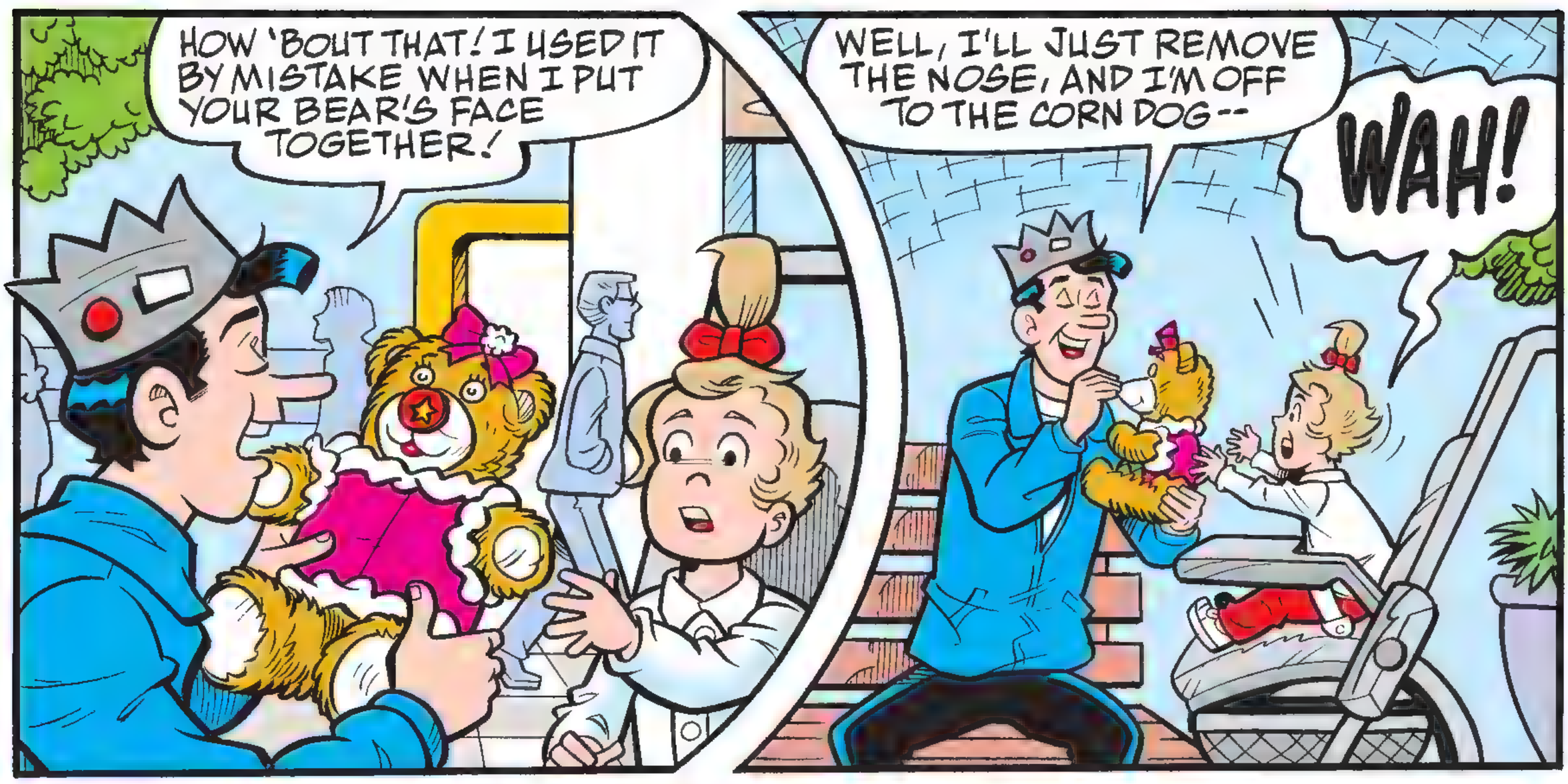

JUST A QUICK LOOKSEE!
YOU'RE MAKING MY BABY CRY!!

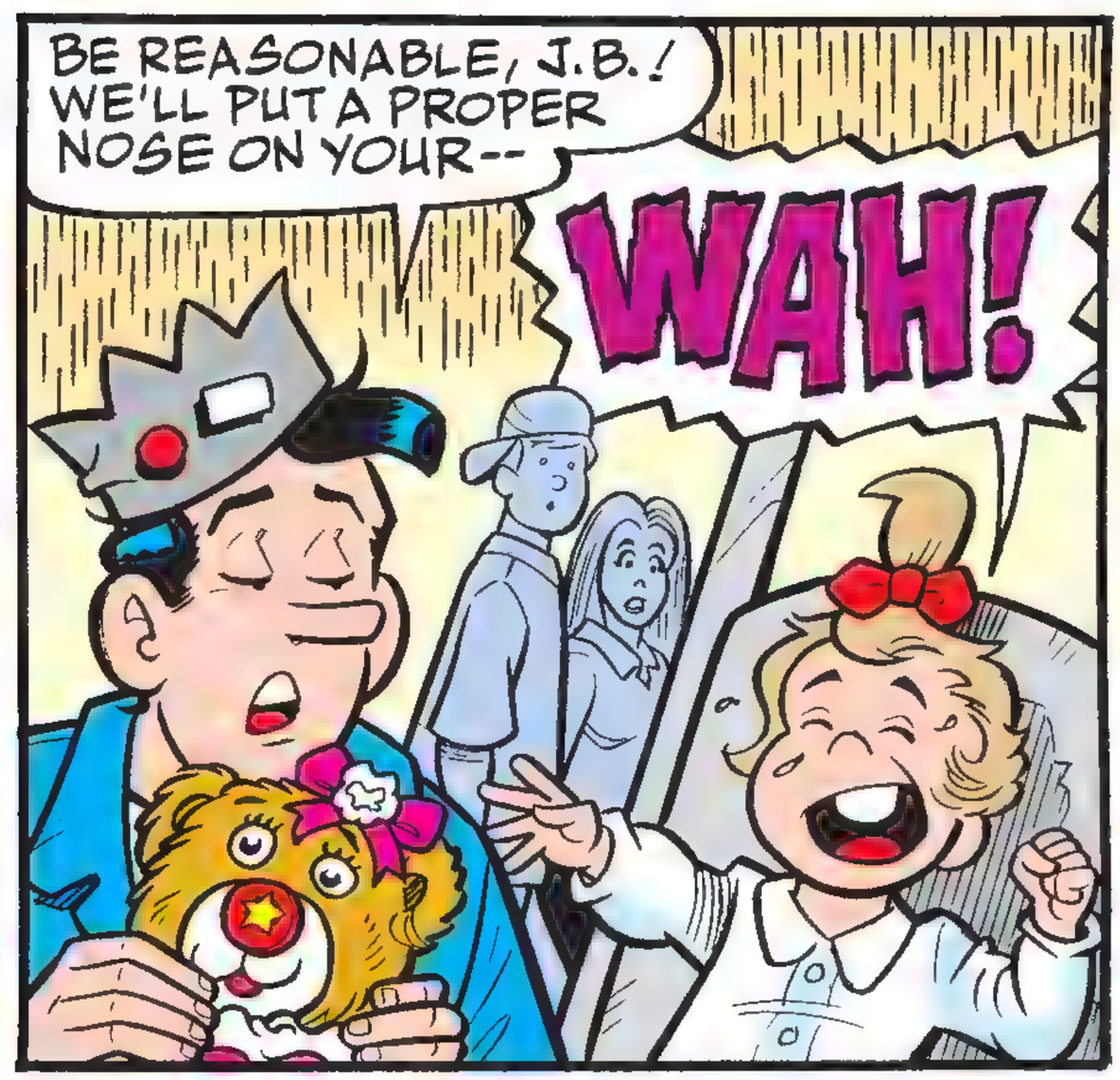
SOMETIMES I WISH I DIDN'T LOVE CORN DOGS SO MUCH!
WONK


IF IT TURNS UP, PLEASE CONTACT JUGHEAD JONES!

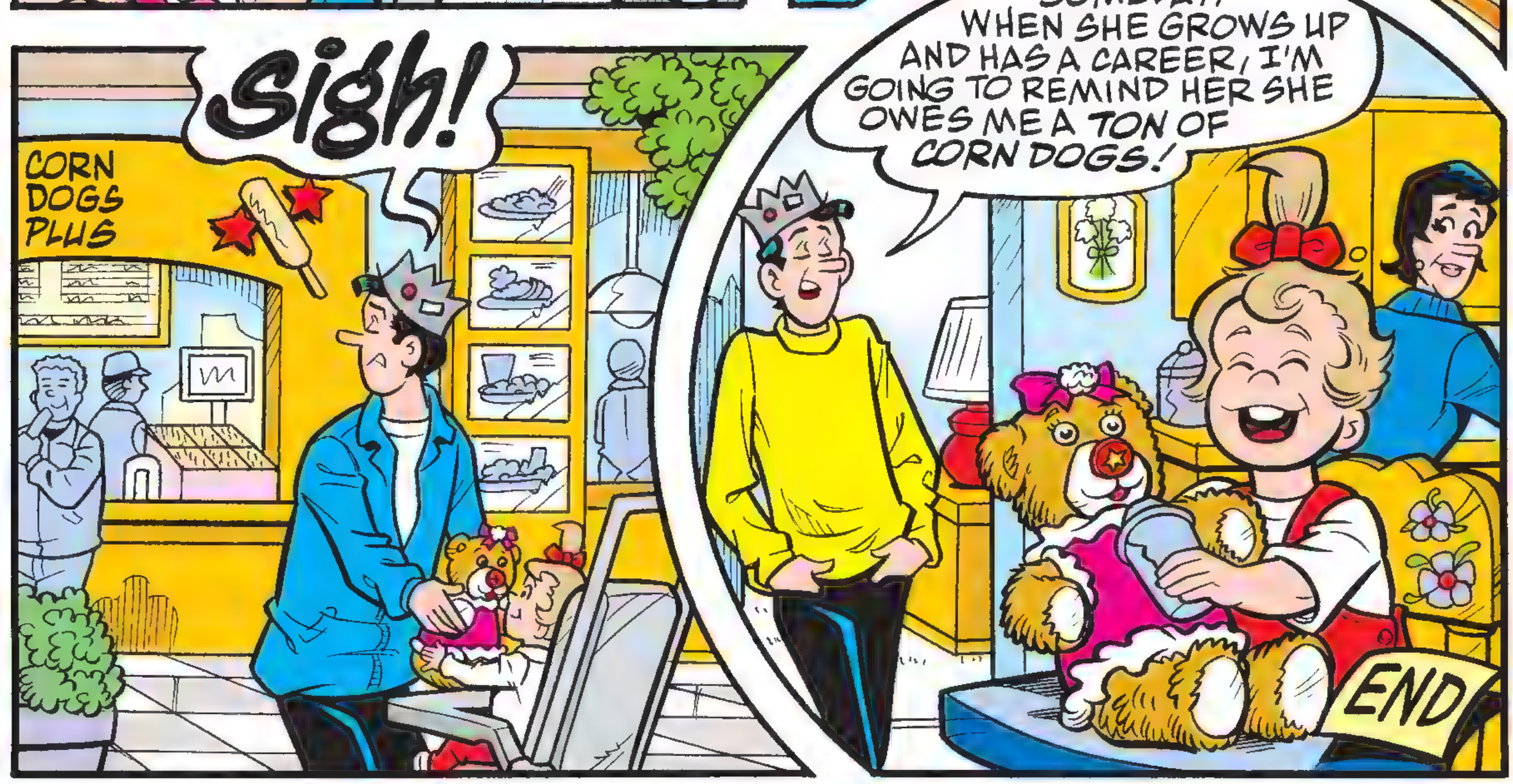

WELL... SO ENDS MY YEAR OF THE FREE CORN DOG... BUT AT LEAST YOU GOT...
HEY!


YOUR BEAR'S NOSE! IT'S MY TOKEN!!


HOW 'BOUT THAT! I USED IT BY MISTAKE WHEN I PUT YOUR BEAR'S FACE TOGETHER!
WELL, I'LL JUST REMOVE THE NOSE, AND I'M OFF TO THE CORN DOG--
WAH!


BE REASONABLE, J.B.! WE'LL PUT A PROPER NOSE ON YOUR--
WAH!

YOU CAN'T BE ATTACHED TO THIS THING ALREADY! YOU'VE ONLY OWNED IT FOR A FEW--
WAH!


sigh!
CORN DOGS PLUS
SOMEDAY, WHEN SHE GROWS UP AND HAS A CAREER, I'M GOING TO REMIND HER SHE OWES ME A TON OF CORN DOGS!
END

Veronica® NOW YOU'RE TALKIN'!

HMPH! THIS LATIN IS SO FOREIGN TO ME!

WELL, SHOULDN'T IT BE?

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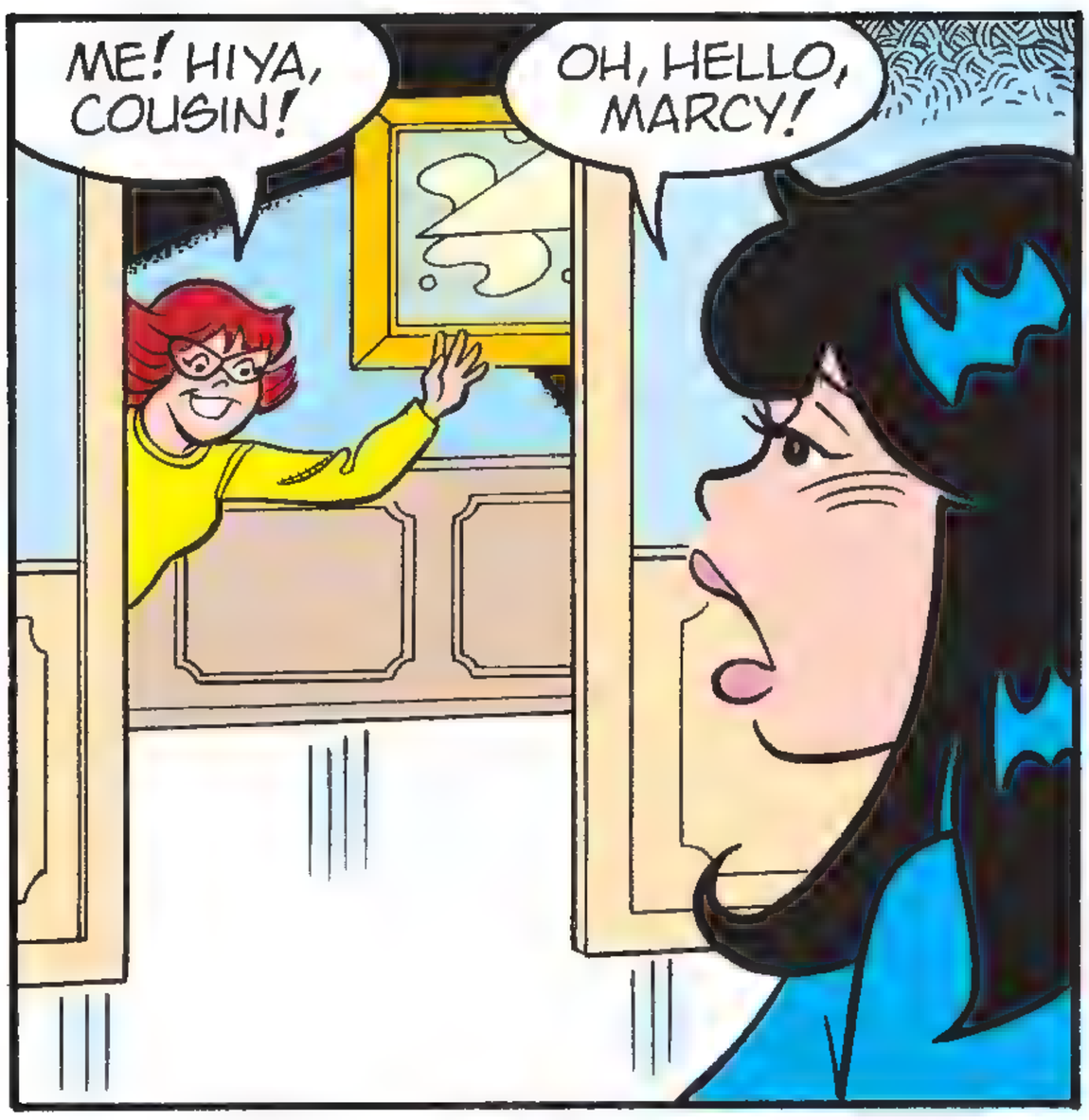
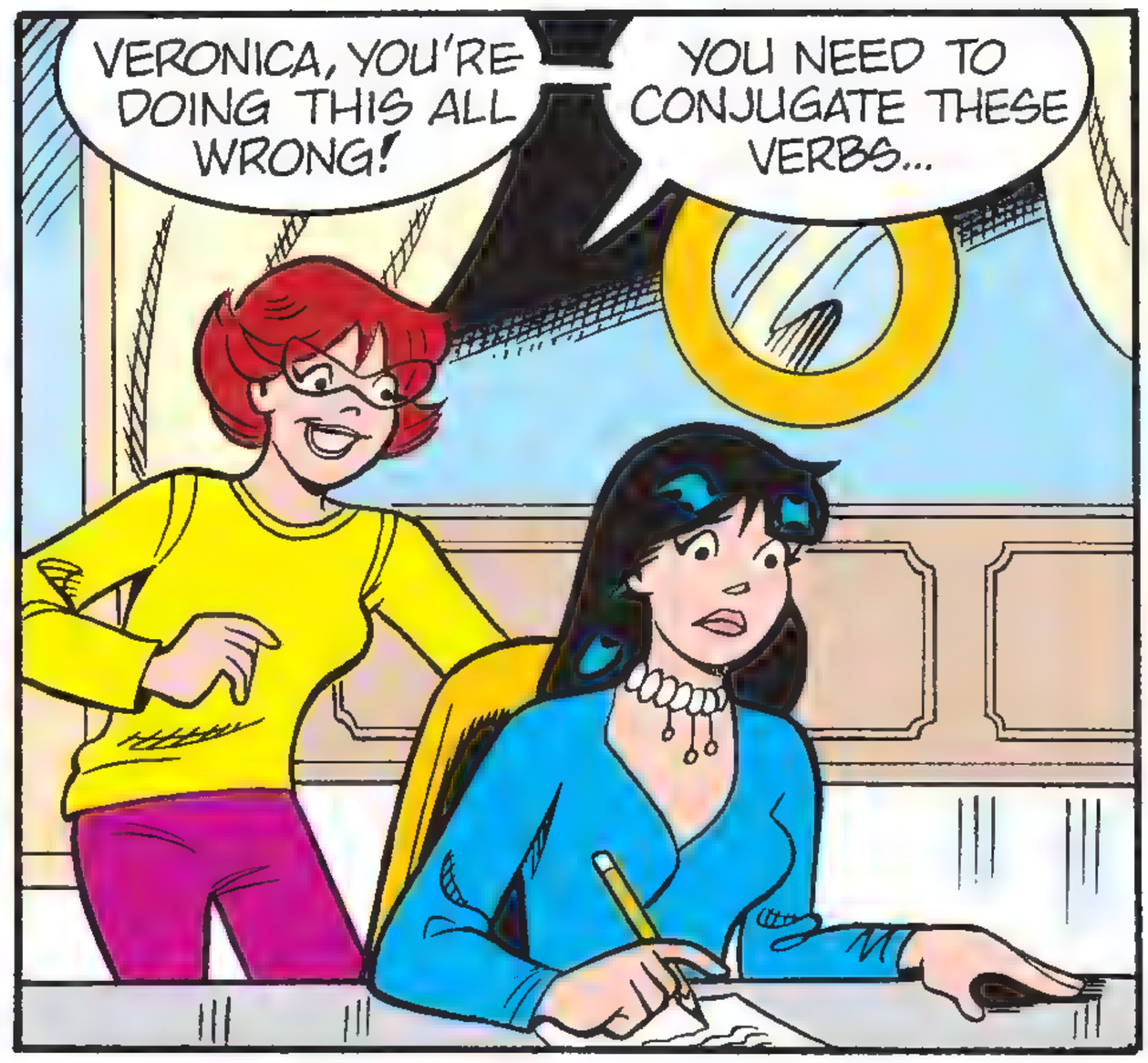

ME! HIYA, COUSIN!
OH, HELLO, MARCY!

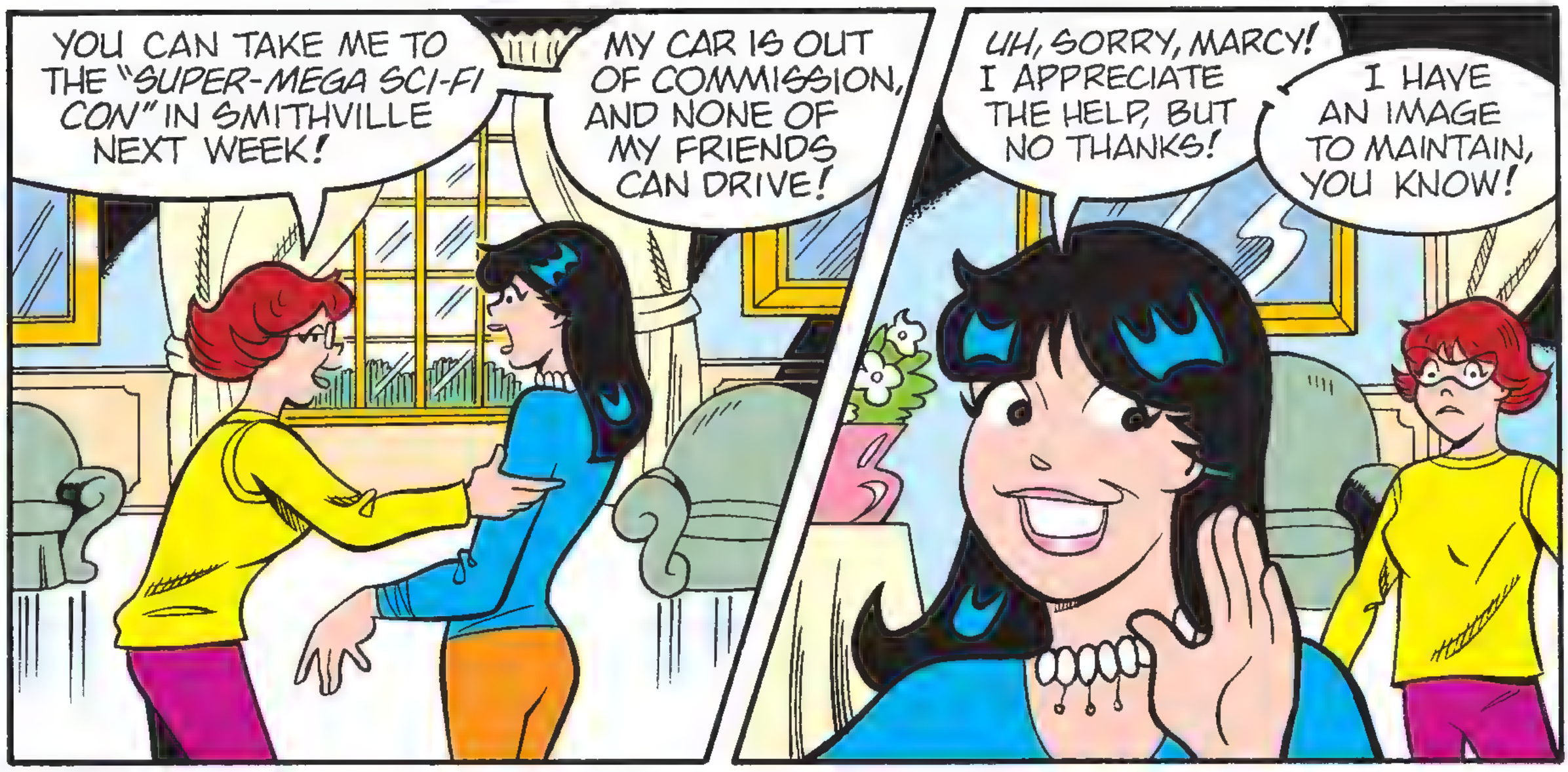
I THOUGHT THE ONLY THING YOU KNEW ABOUT WERE RERUNS OF THAT "SPACE TRIP" SHOW YOU'RE OBSESSED WITH!

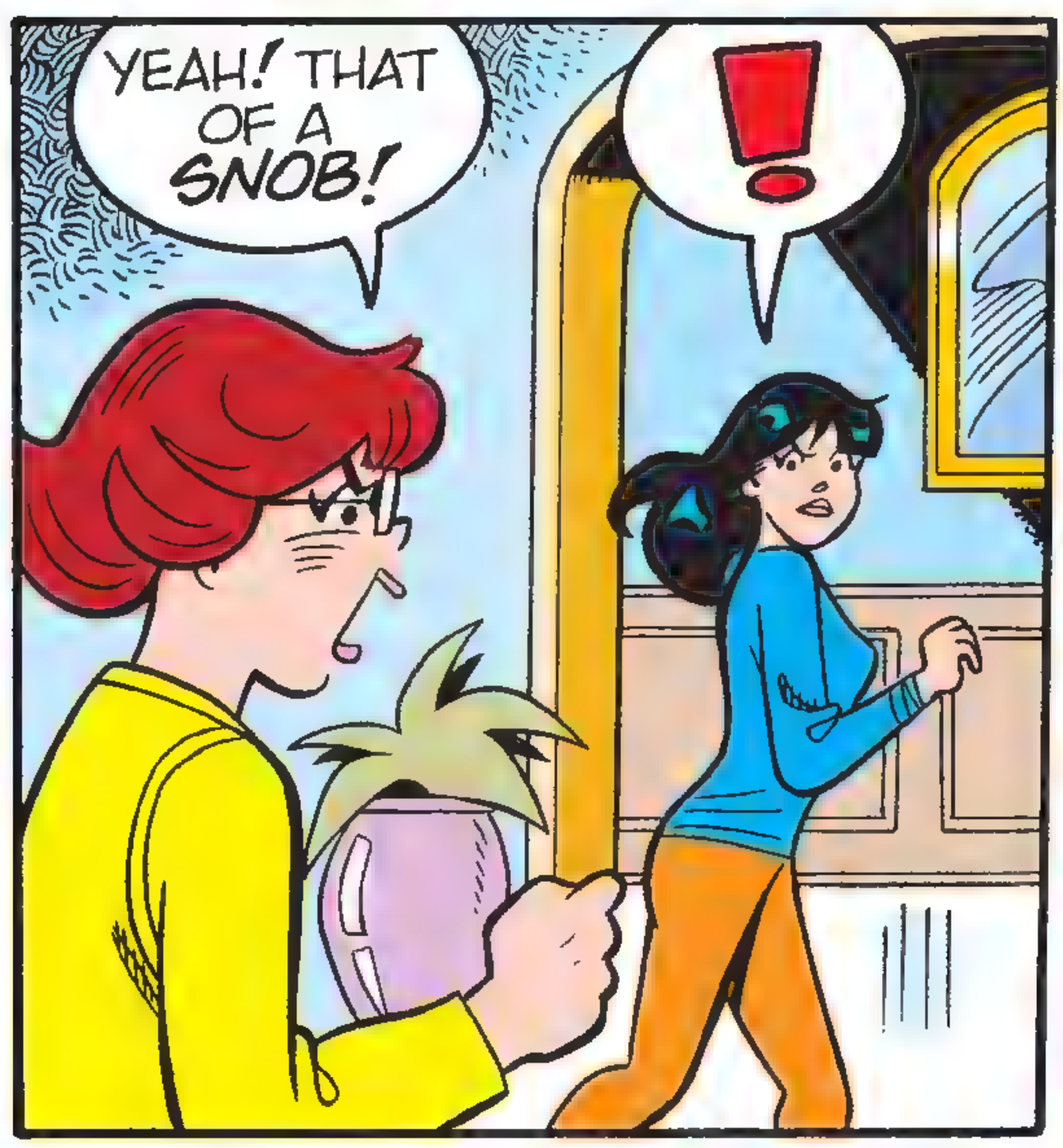
THAT'S "SPACE TREK," IF YOU DON'T MIND!
WHATEVER!


VERONICA, YOU'RE DOING THIS ALL WRONG!
YOU NEED TO CONJUGATE THESE VERBS...

AND LATER...
WOW! MARCY! YOU HELPED ME WITH MY LATIN HOMEWORK IN RECORD TIME!

HOW CAN I EVER THANK YOU?
WELL... I THINK I KNOW!


YOU CAN TAKE ME TO THE "SUPER-MEGA SCI-FI CON" IN SMITHVILLE NEXT WEEK!
MY CAR IS OUT OF COMMISSION, AND NONE OF MY FRIENDS CAN DRIVE!
UH, SORRY, MARCY! I APPRECIATE THE HELP, BUT NO THANKS!
I HAVE AN IMAGE TO MAINTAIN, YOU KNOW!


YEAH! THAT OF A SNOB!
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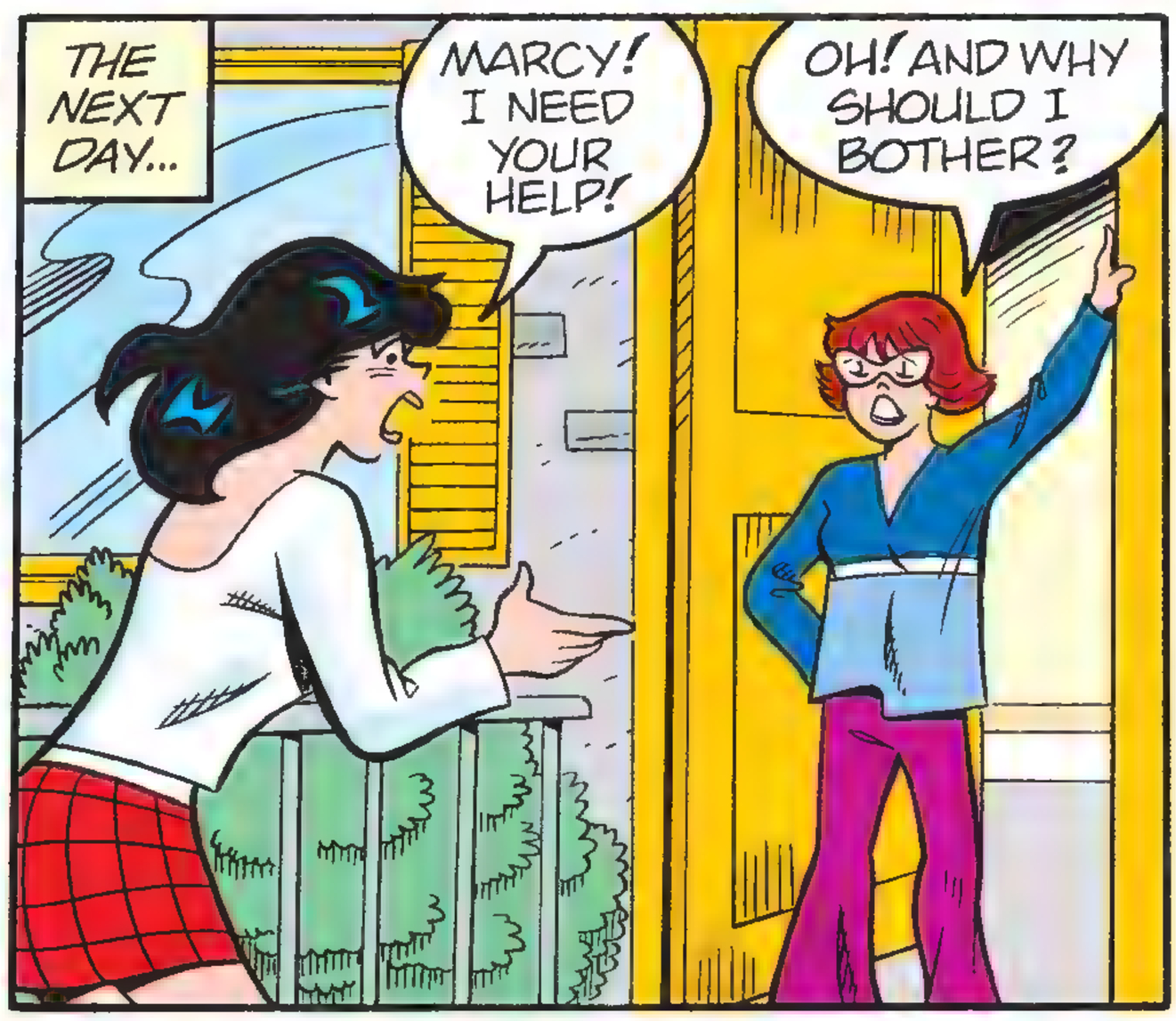
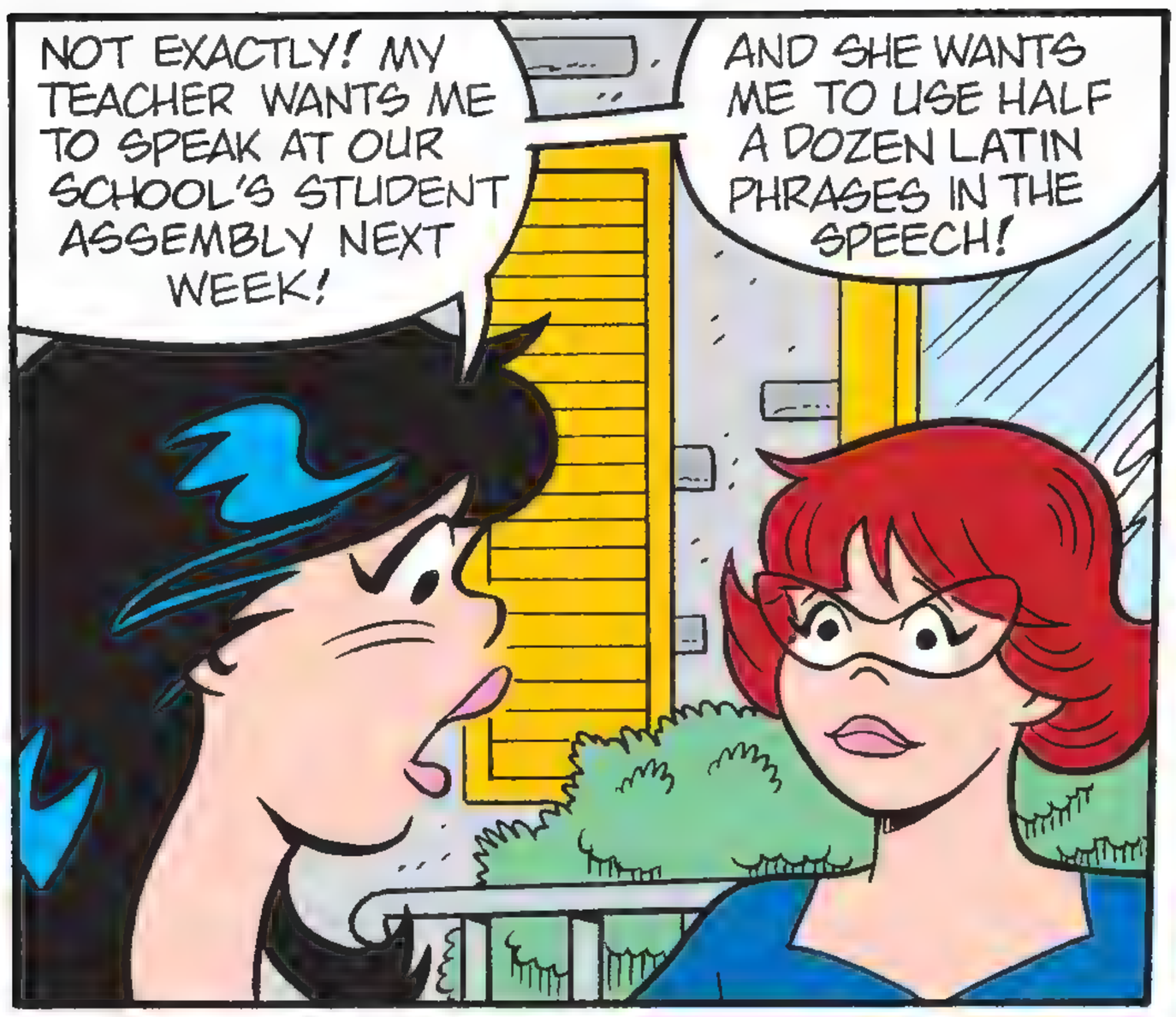
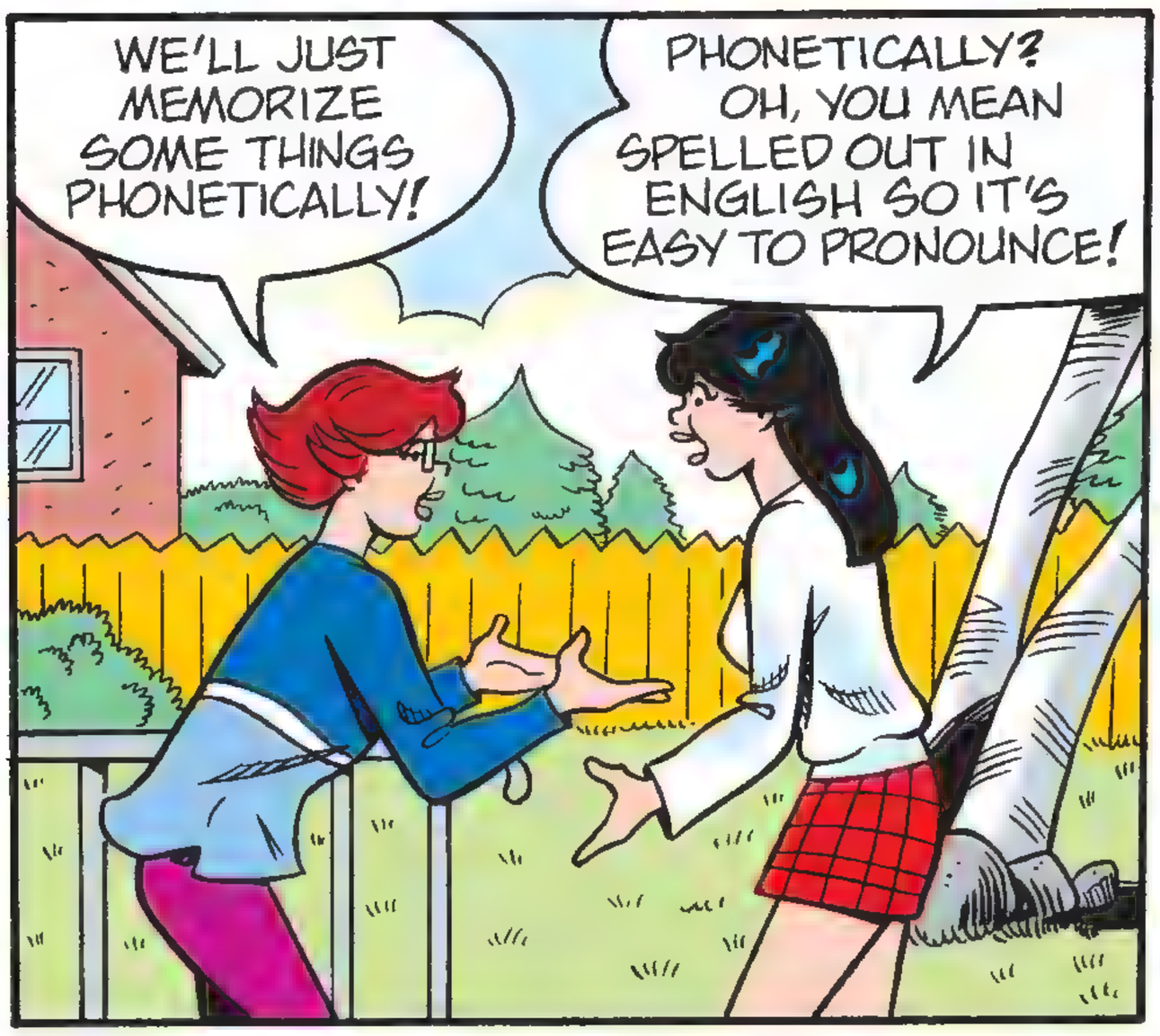

THE NEXT DAY...
MARCY! I NEED YOUR HELP!
OH! AND WHY SHOULD I BOTHER?

LISTEN, IF YOU HELP ME WITH THIS, I'LL GO TO THAT GEEKFEST WITH YOU!
WOW! THIS SOUNDS SERIOUS!

I GOT A FANTASTIC GRADE ON THAT LATIN PAPER YOU HELPED ME WITH!
THAT'S GOOD!


NOT EXACTLY! MY TEACHER WANTS ME TO SPEAK AT OUR SCHOOL'S STUDENT ASSEMBLY NEXT WEEK!
AND SHE WANTS ME TO USE HALF A DOZEN LATIN PHRASES IN THE SPEECH!

MARCY, I FORGET THIS STUFF AS SOON AS I LEARN IT!
NO PROB!


WE'LL JUST MEMORIZE SOME THINGS PHONETICALLY!
PHONETICALLY? OH, YOU MEAN SPELLED OUT IN ENGLISH SO IT'S EASY TO PRONOUNCE!

SOUNDS GOOD!
LET'S GET TO WORK!

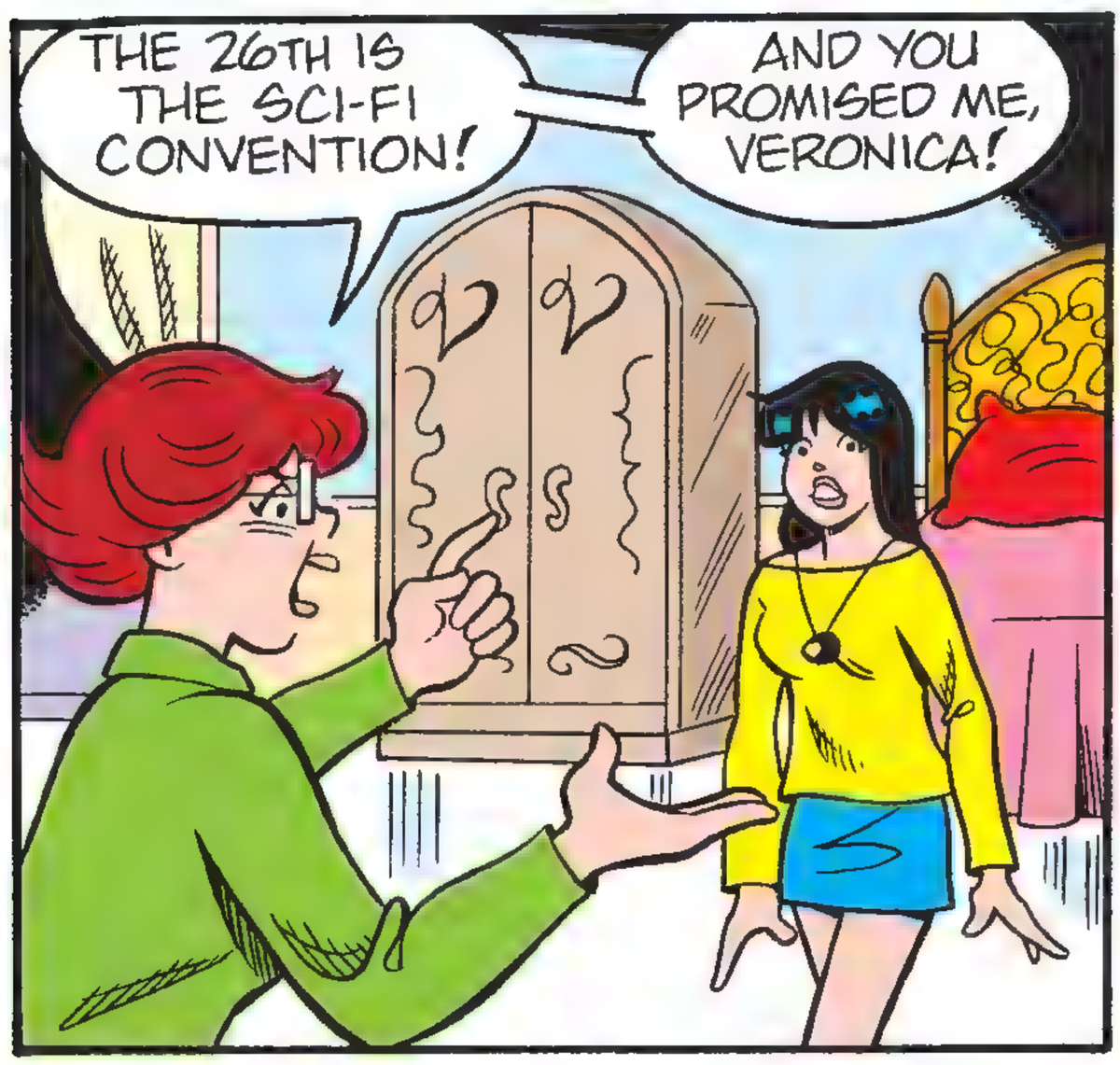
AFTER A FEW DAYS...
HOW'S THE SPEECH SOUND SO FAR, MARCY?
VERY GOOD!

THESE PEPPERING OF LATIN PHRASES WILL MAKE ME SOUND LIKE QUITE THE SCHOLAR!

RING!
OH, LET ME GET THAT!

OH, HI, RONALD! THE 26TH? I'D LOVE TO GO!! THANKS, IT'S A DATE!

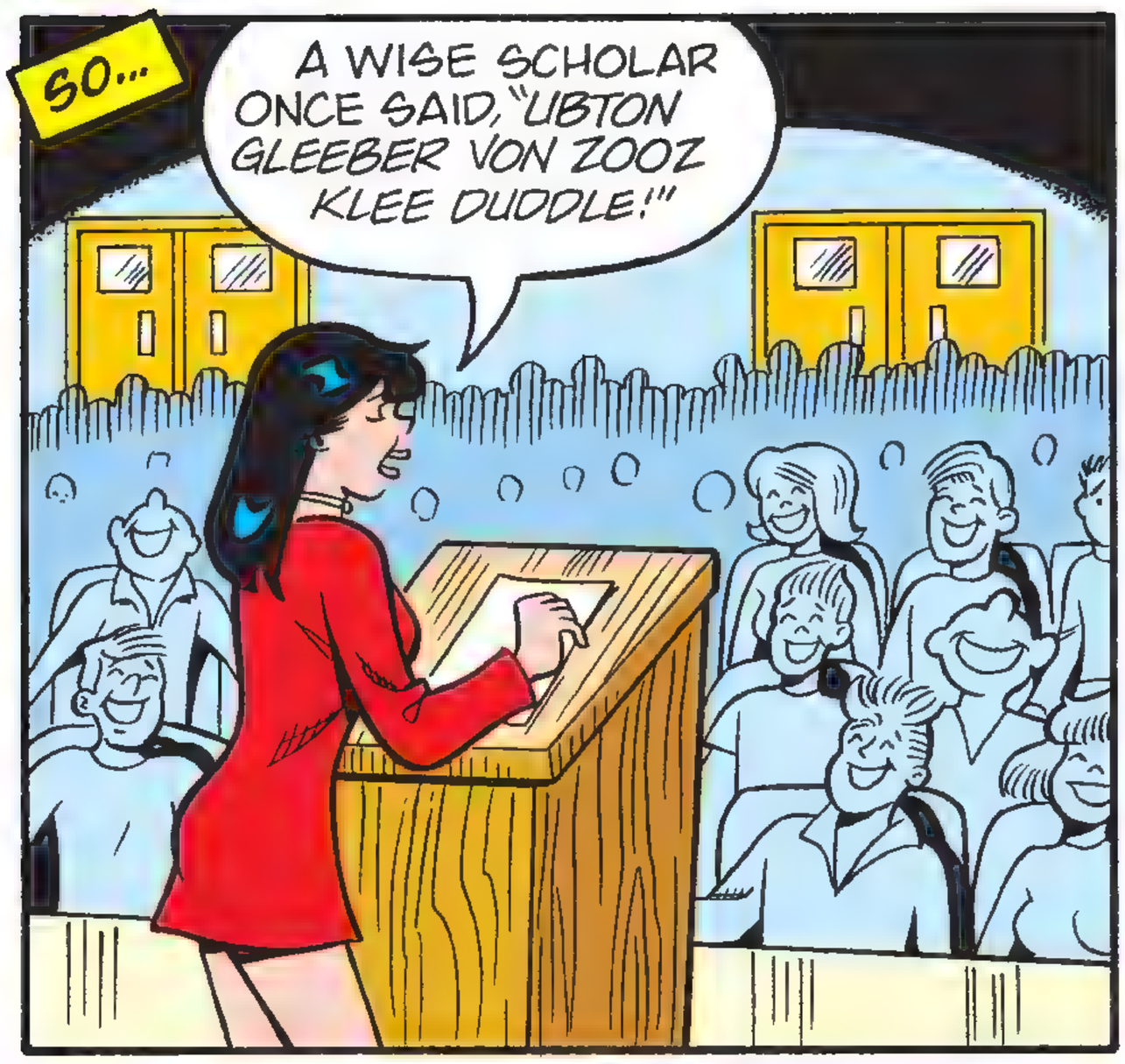
I CAN'T BELIEVE IT! RONALD PERKINS FINALLY ASKED ME OUT! IT'S MY LUCKY DAY! HEY, WHAT'S THE MATTER?


THE 26TH IS THE SCI-FI CONVENTION!
AND YOU PROMISED ME, VERONICA!

BUT MARCY! I'VE BEEN WAITING FOR MONTHS FOR HIM TO ASK ME OUT!
YOU UNDERSTAND, DON'T YOU?

OH, YEAH, SURE, VERONICA!
LET'S GET RID OF THESE NOTES!
I'VE GOT SOME BETTER STUFF FOR YOU TO PUT IN YOUR SPEECH!

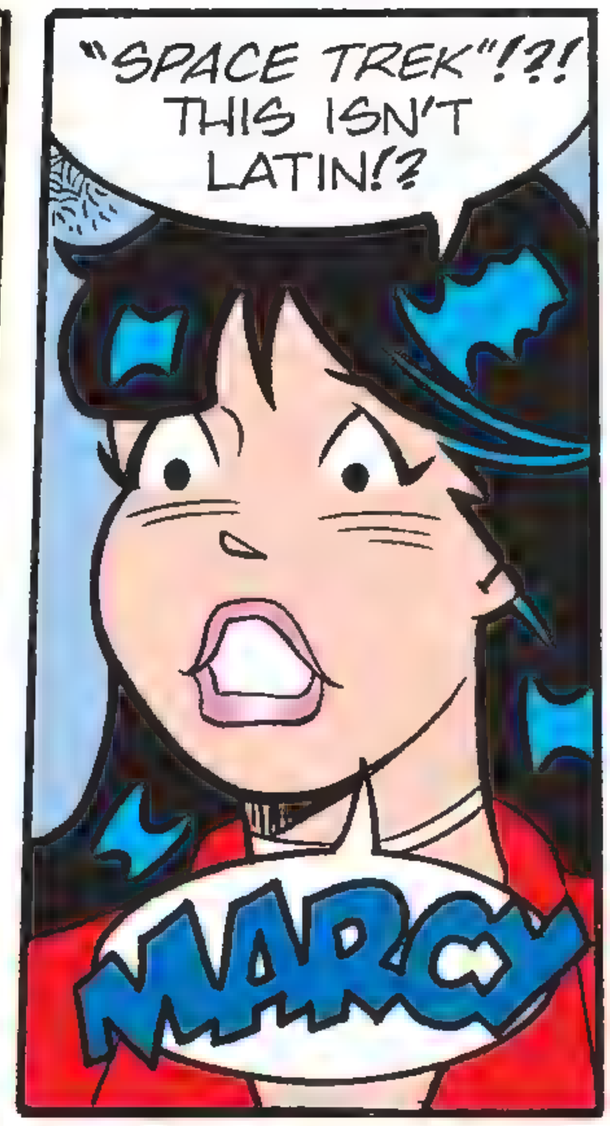
AT THE BIG ASSEMBLY...
MARCY, I'M ABOUT TO GO ON! I NEED MY SPEECH!
SORRY SO LATE! JUST PRONOUNCE THE QUOTES PHONETICALLY! YOU'LL BE FINE!

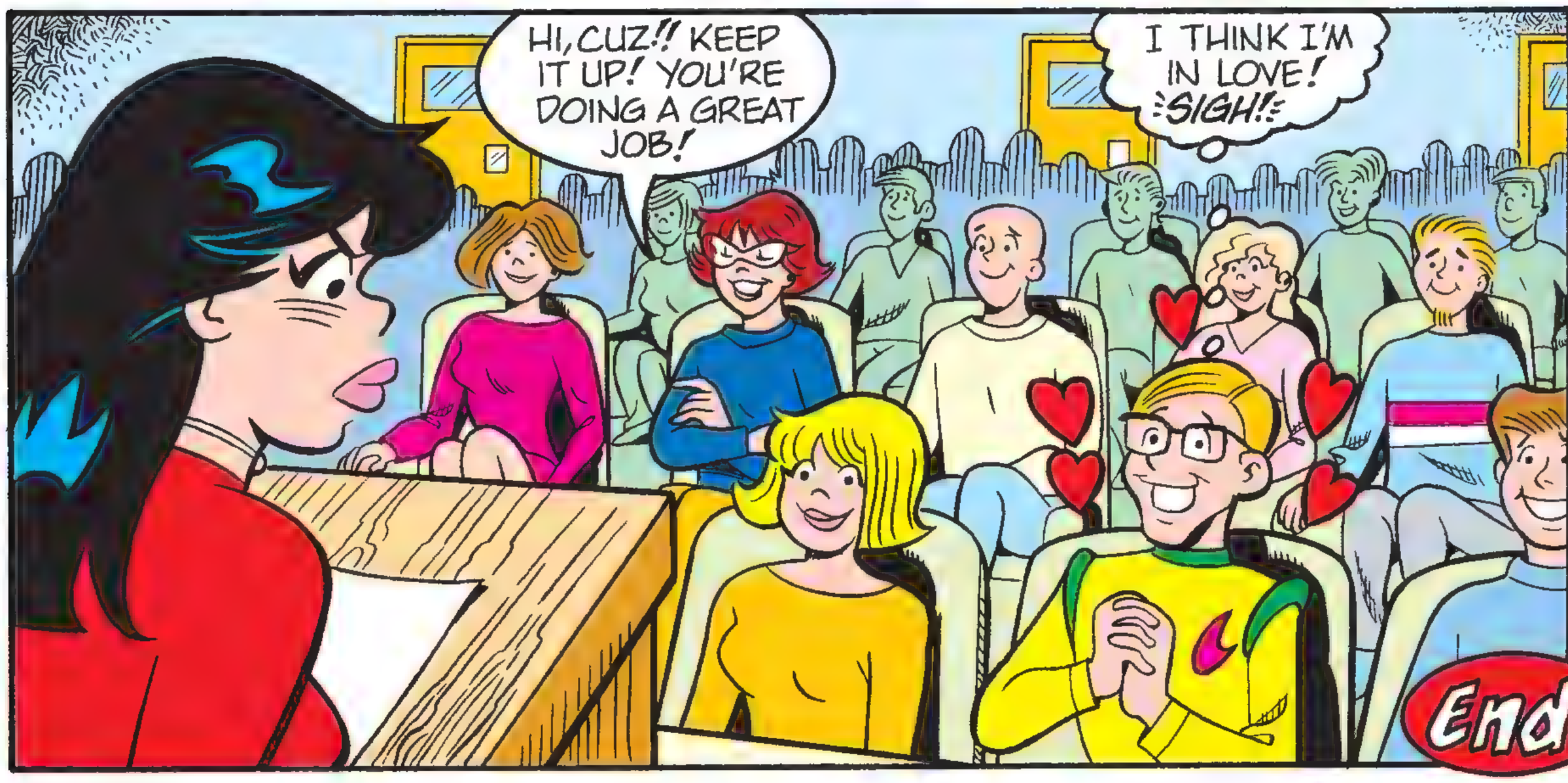

SO...
A WISE SCHOLAR ONCE SAID, "UBTON GLEEBER VON ZOOZ KLEE DUDDLE!"

WHY'S EVERYONE LAUGHING?
AND I ALWAYS LIKE TO THINK OF THE QUOTE, "UBBLE DE BUBBLE CLOZ DUN FLEEBLE!"

HA! HA!! Ha! HA!
WHAT'S SO FUNNY?

WE THINK IT'S FUNNY THAT YOU'RE USING "KLINKON" LANGUAGE FROM THE "SPACE TREK" SHOW!


"SPACE TREK"!?! THIS ISN'T LATIN!?
MARCY


HI, CUZ!! KEEP IT UP! YOU'RE DOING A GREAT JOB!
I THINK I'M IN LOVE! SIGH!
End

Betty

IN "THE BREAKING POINT"

THERE SHE IS!

POLLY! POLLY, OVER HERE!

GATE 4

MOM! DAD! SIS! IT SEEMS LIKE YEARS SINCE I'VE BEEN HOME!

FOUR TO BE EXACT!

LUCKY YOUR FLIGHT WASN'T DELAYED BY ALL THE SNOW IN THIS AREA!

I SUPPOSE BROTHER CHIC IS AWAY ON SOME HIGHLY CLASSIFIED MISSION AS USUAL?

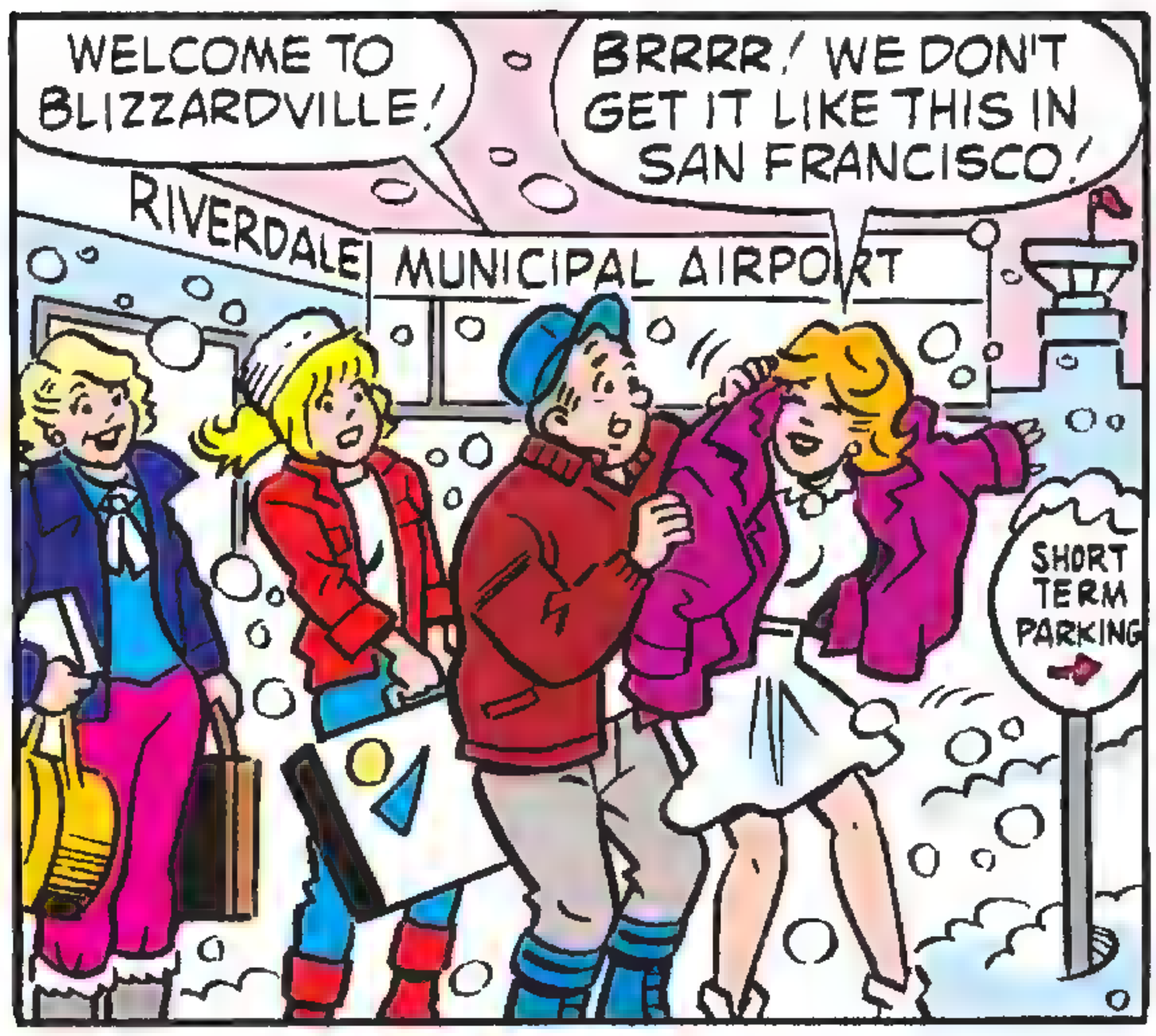
AFRAID SO! ...HIS SUPER SECRET GOVERNMENT JOB SENDS HIM TO ALL FOUR CORNERS OF THE GLOBE!

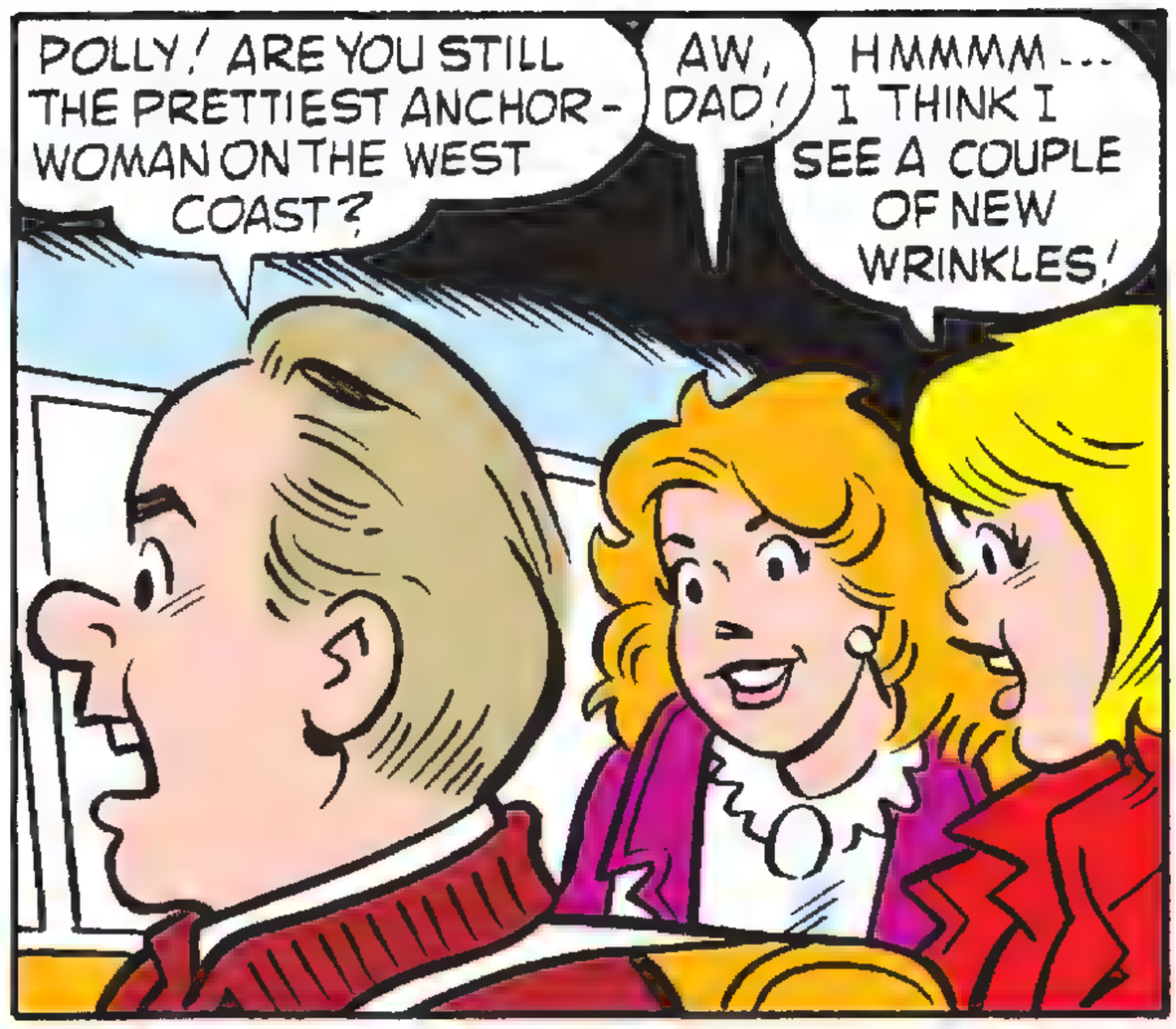
LAST WE HEARD, HE WAS IN AFRICA, POSING AS A HUT-TO-HUT SUSHI SALESMAN!

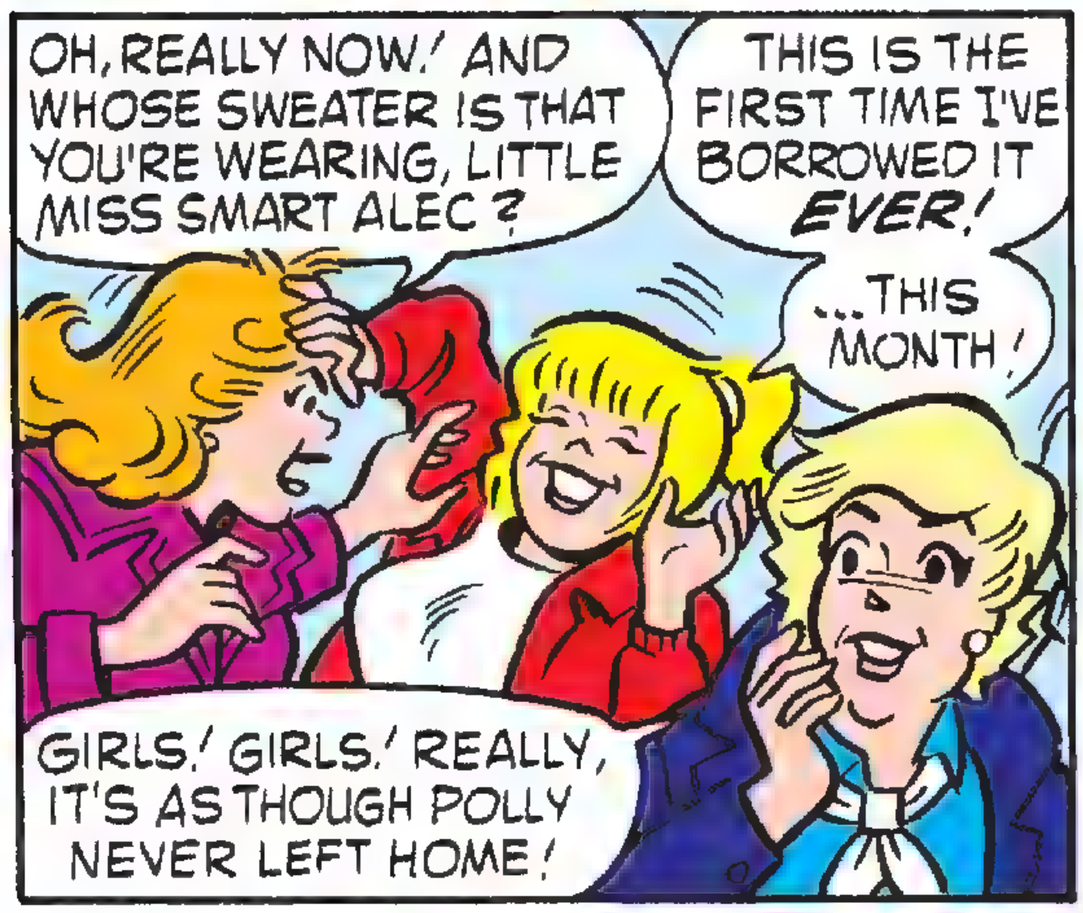
OH, I DO HOPE HE'S TAKING HIS VITAMINS!

CUSTOMS

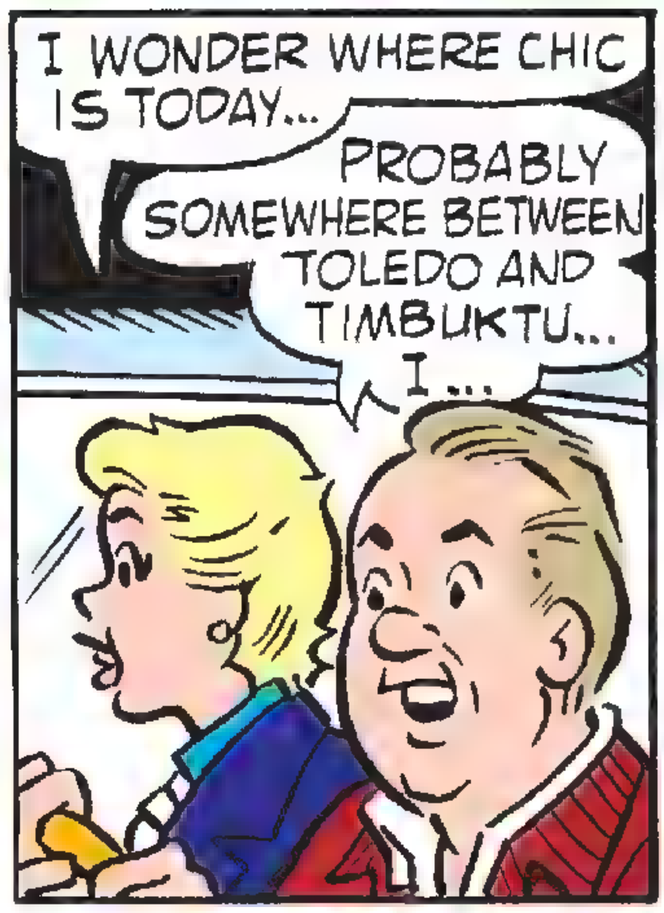
BAGGAGE

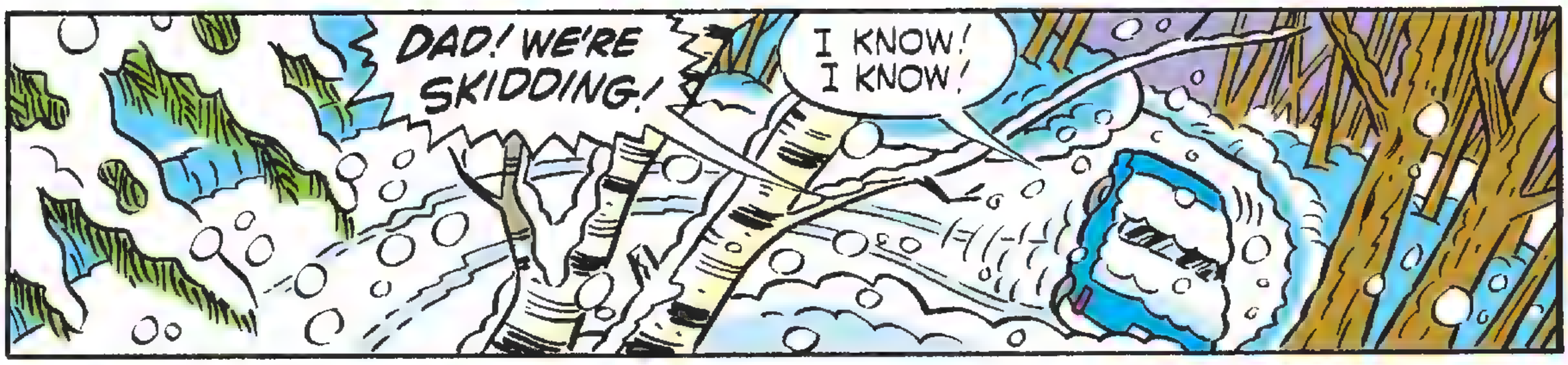

WELCOME TO BLIZZARDVILLE!
BRRRR! WE DON'T GET IT LIKE THIS IN SAN FRANCISCO!
RIVERDALE MUNICIPAL AIRPORT
SHORT TERM PARKING

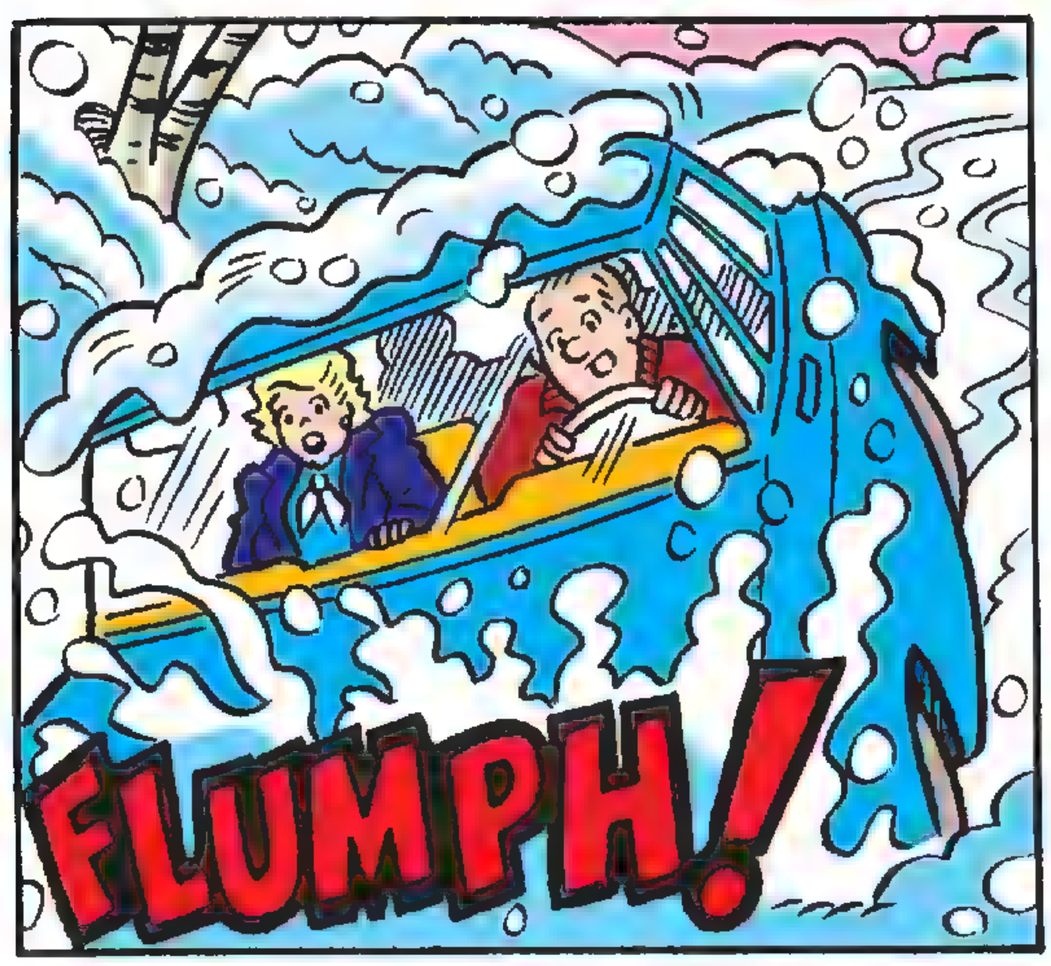

POLLY! ARE YOU STILL THE PRETTIEST ANCHOR-WOMAN ON THE WEST COAST?
AW, DAD!
HMMMM... I THINK I SEE A COUPLE OF NEW WRINKLES!

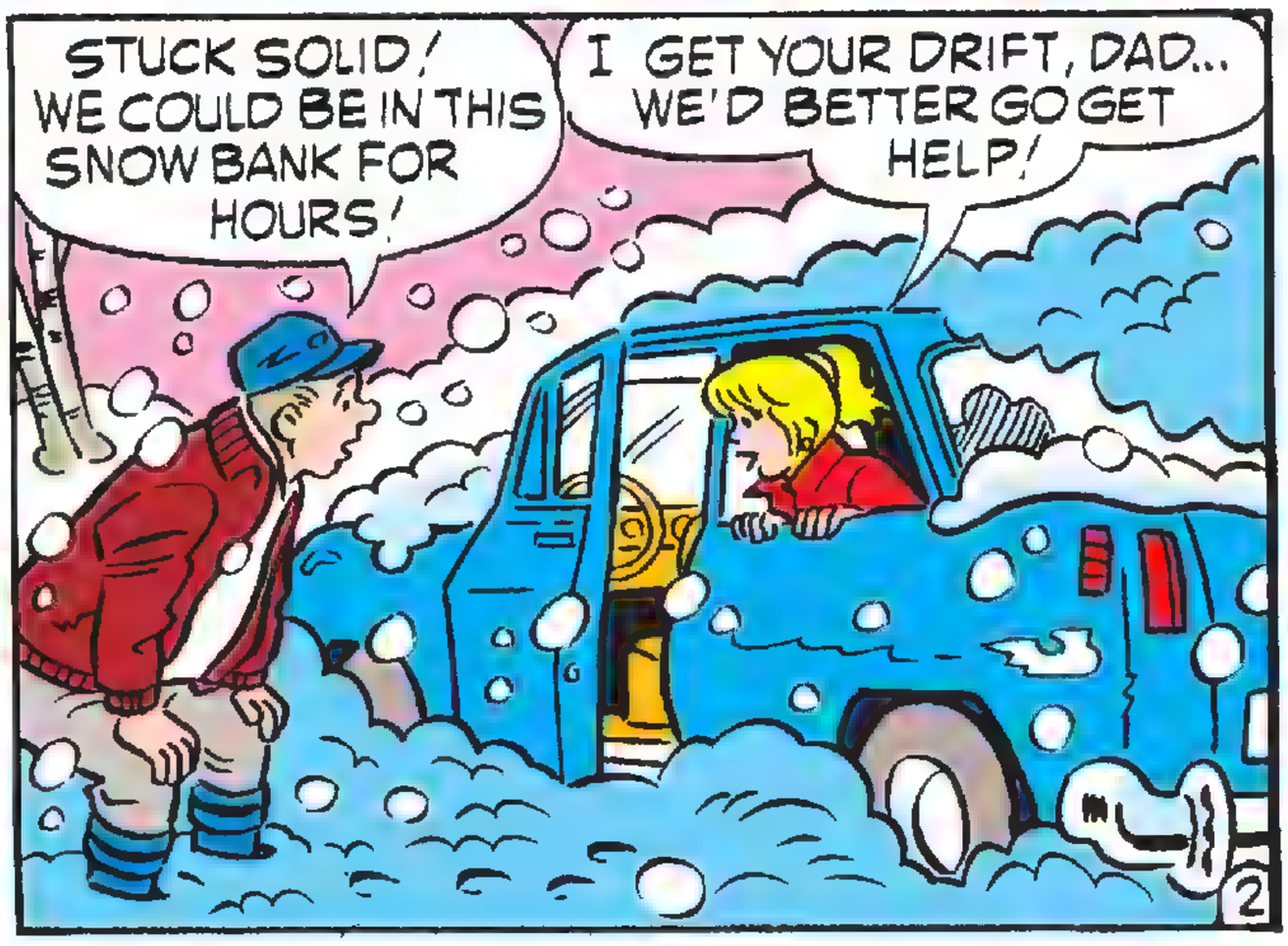

OH, REALLY NOW! AND WHOSE SWEATER IS THAT YOU'RE WEARING, LITTLE MISS SMART ALEC?
THIS IS THE FIRST TIME I'VE BORROWED IT EVER!
...THIS MONTH!
GIRLS! GIRLS! REALLY, IT'S AS THOUGH POLLY NEVER LEFT HOME!

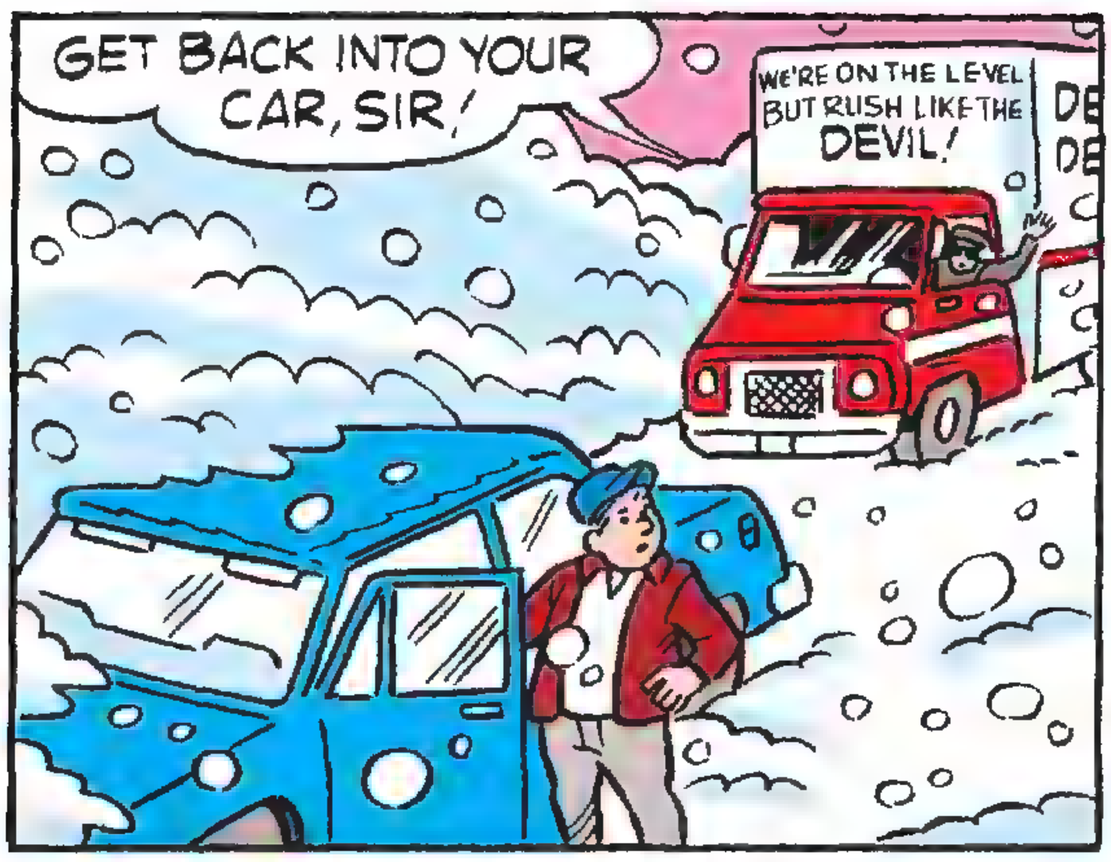
GO EASY, BETS! POLLY'S JOB PUTS HER UNDER A LOT OF TENSION!
DAD, I'M JUST FINE! REALLY!

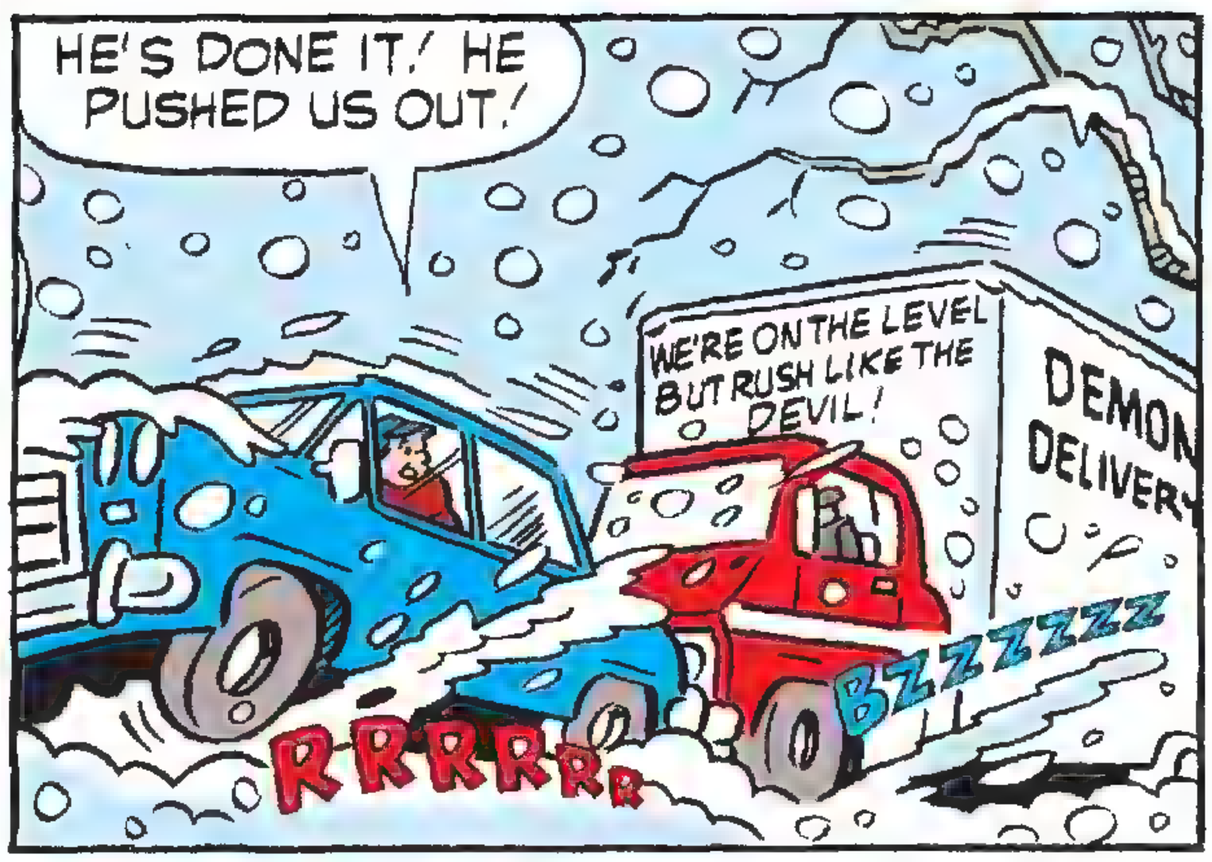

I WONDER WHERE CHIC IS TODAY...
PROBABLY SOMEWHERE BETWEEN TOLEDO AND TIMBUKTU... I...

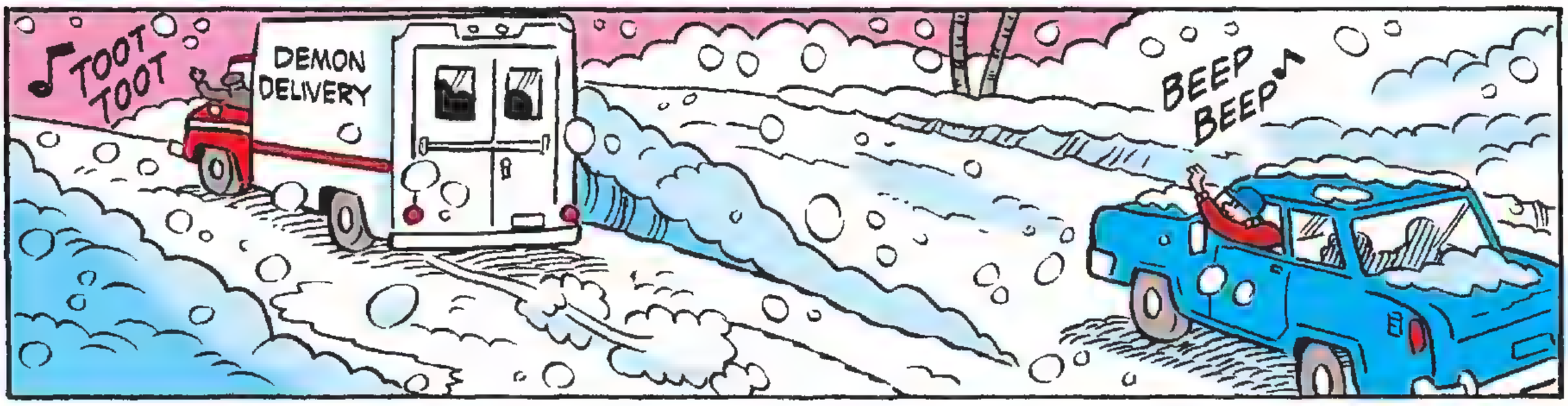

DAD! WE'RE SKIDDING!
I KNOW! I KNOW!

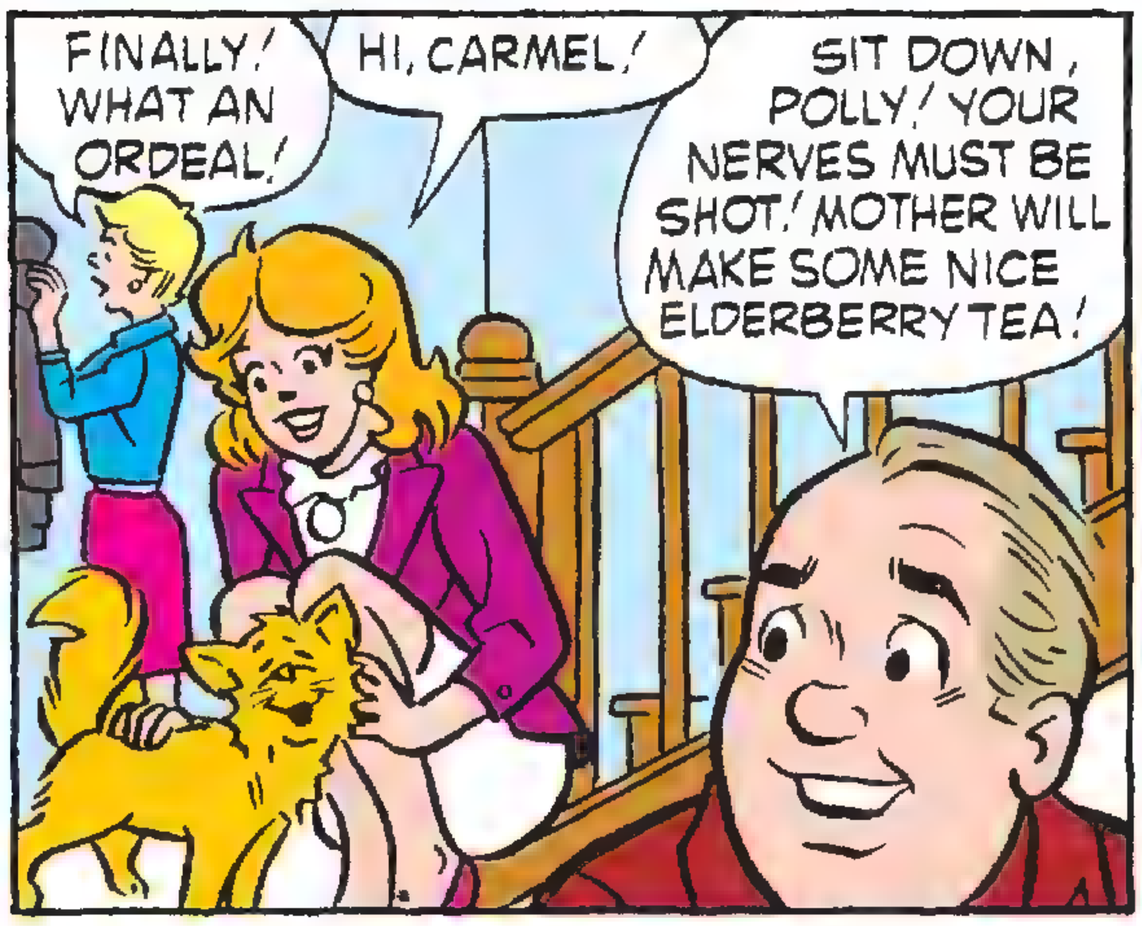

FLUMPH!

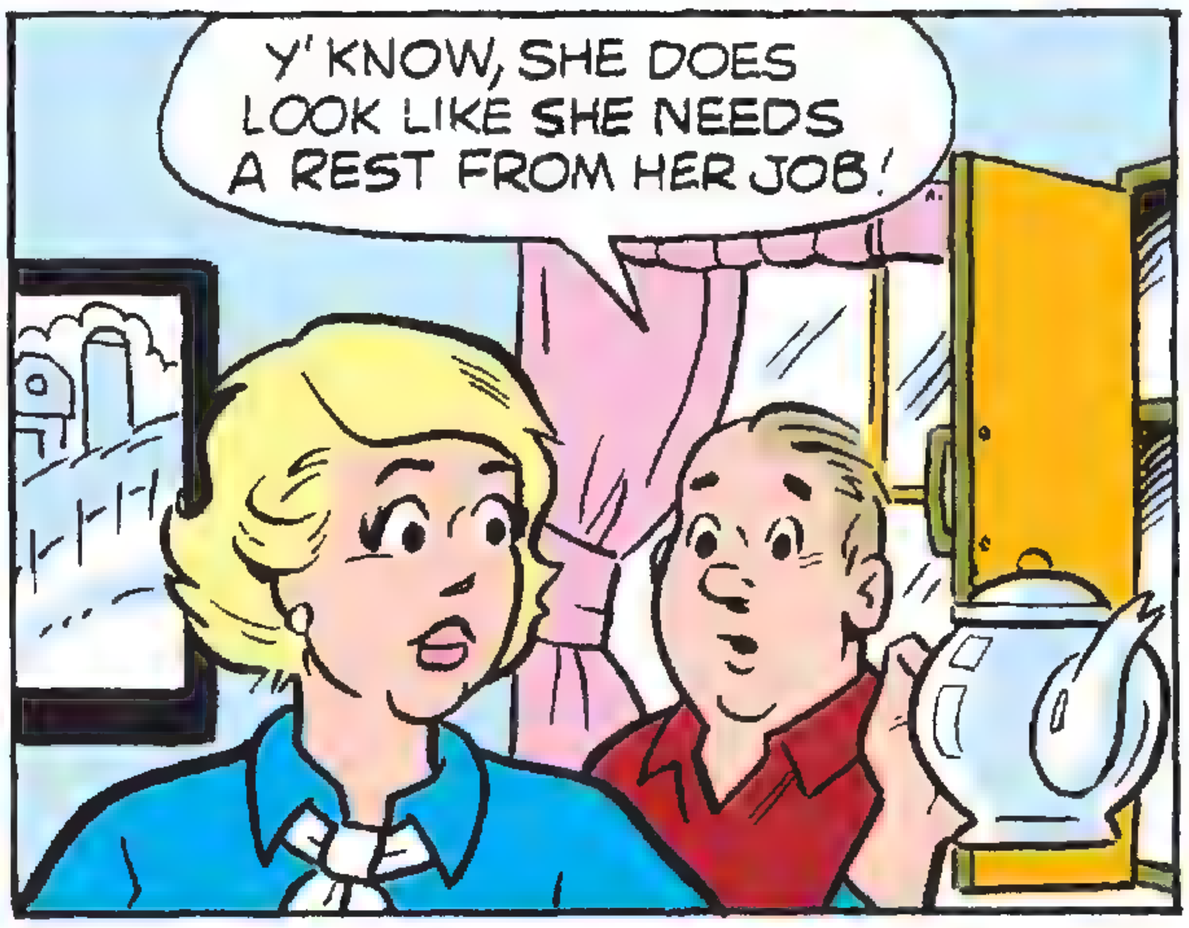

STUCK SOLID! WE COULD BE IN THIS SNOW BANK FOR HOURS!
I GET YOUR DRIFT, DAD... WE'D BETTER GO GET HELP!

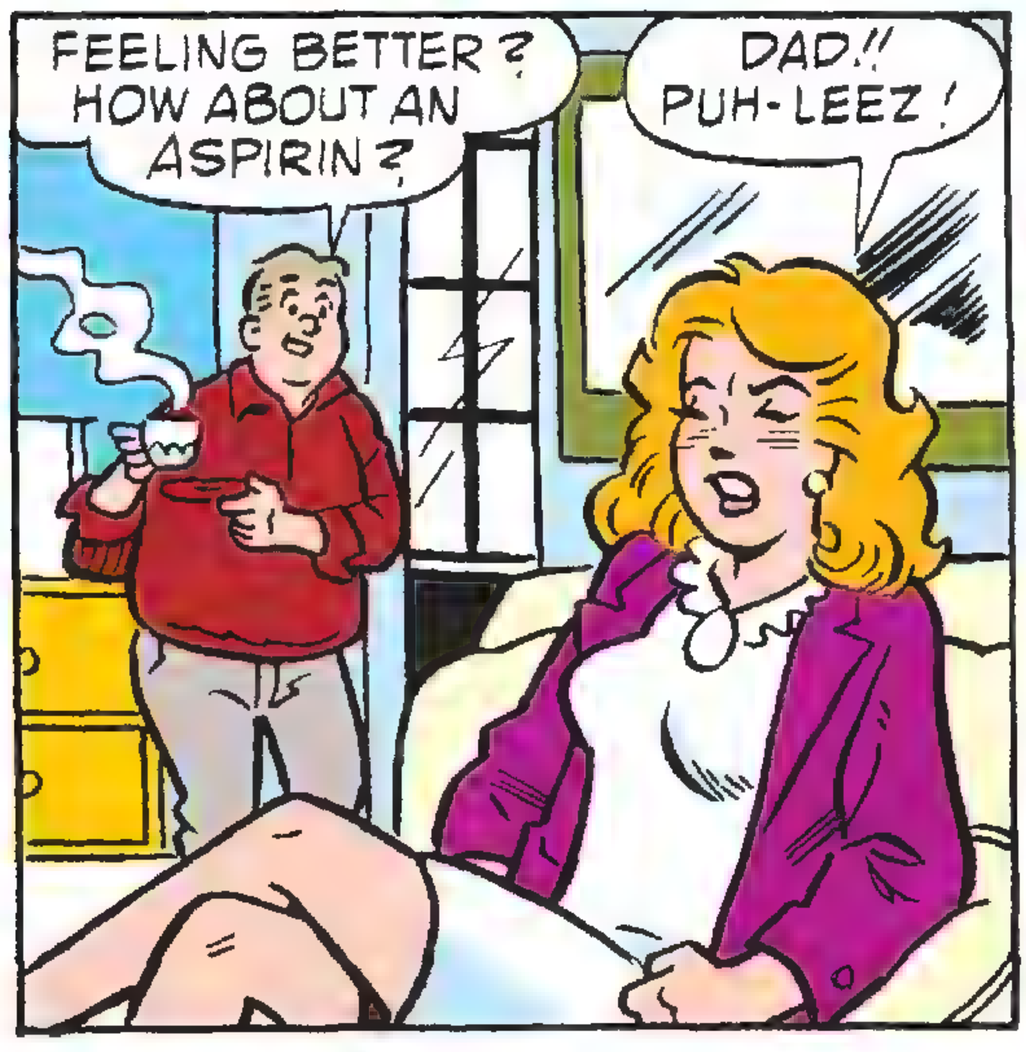

GET BACK INTO YOUR CAR, SIR!
WE'RE ON THE LEVEL BUT RUSH LIKE THE DEVIL!

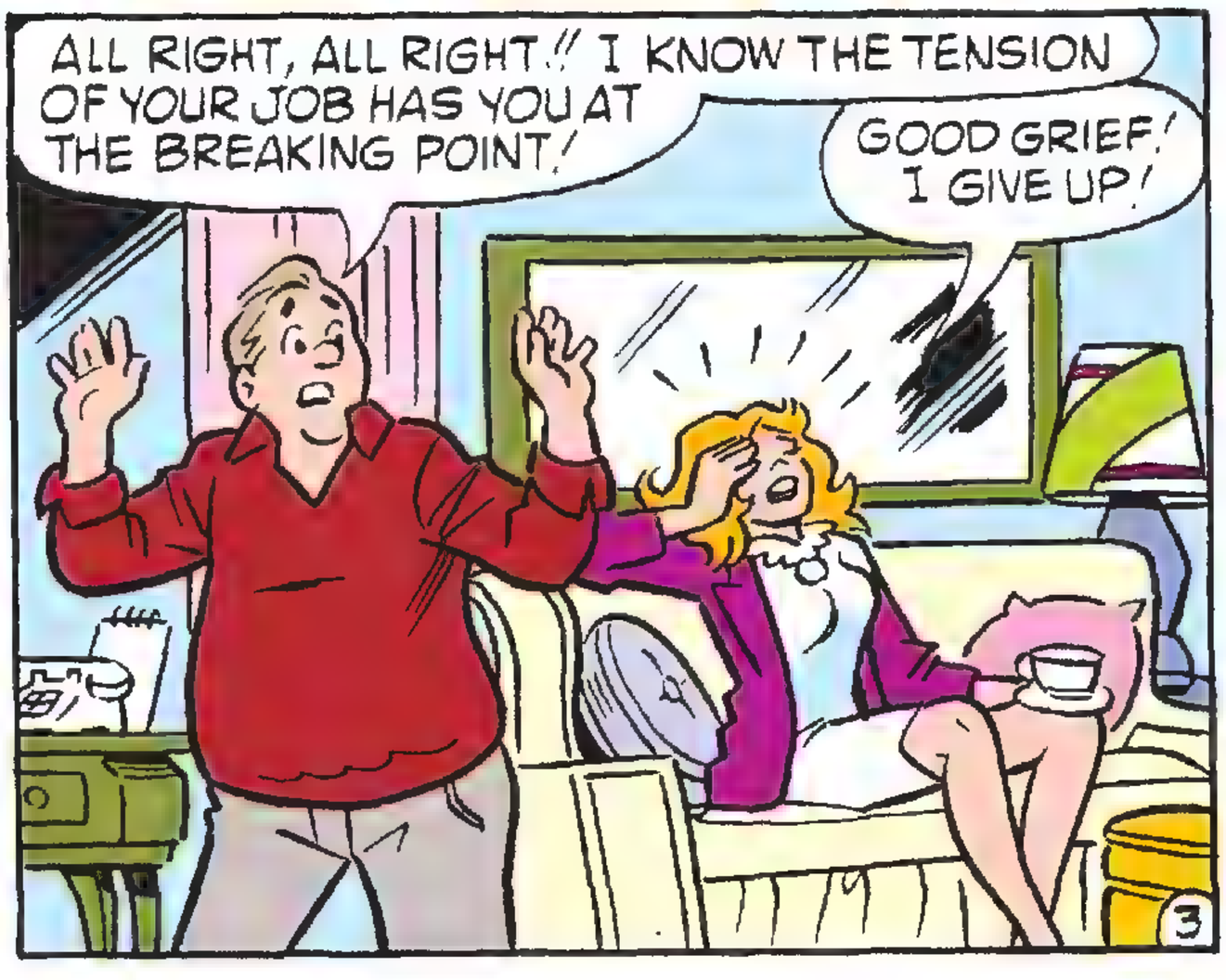

HE'S DONE IT! HE PUSHED US OUT!
WE'RE ON THE LEVEL BUT RUSH LIKE THE DEVIL!
DEMON DELIVERY
RRRRRR
BZZZZZZZ

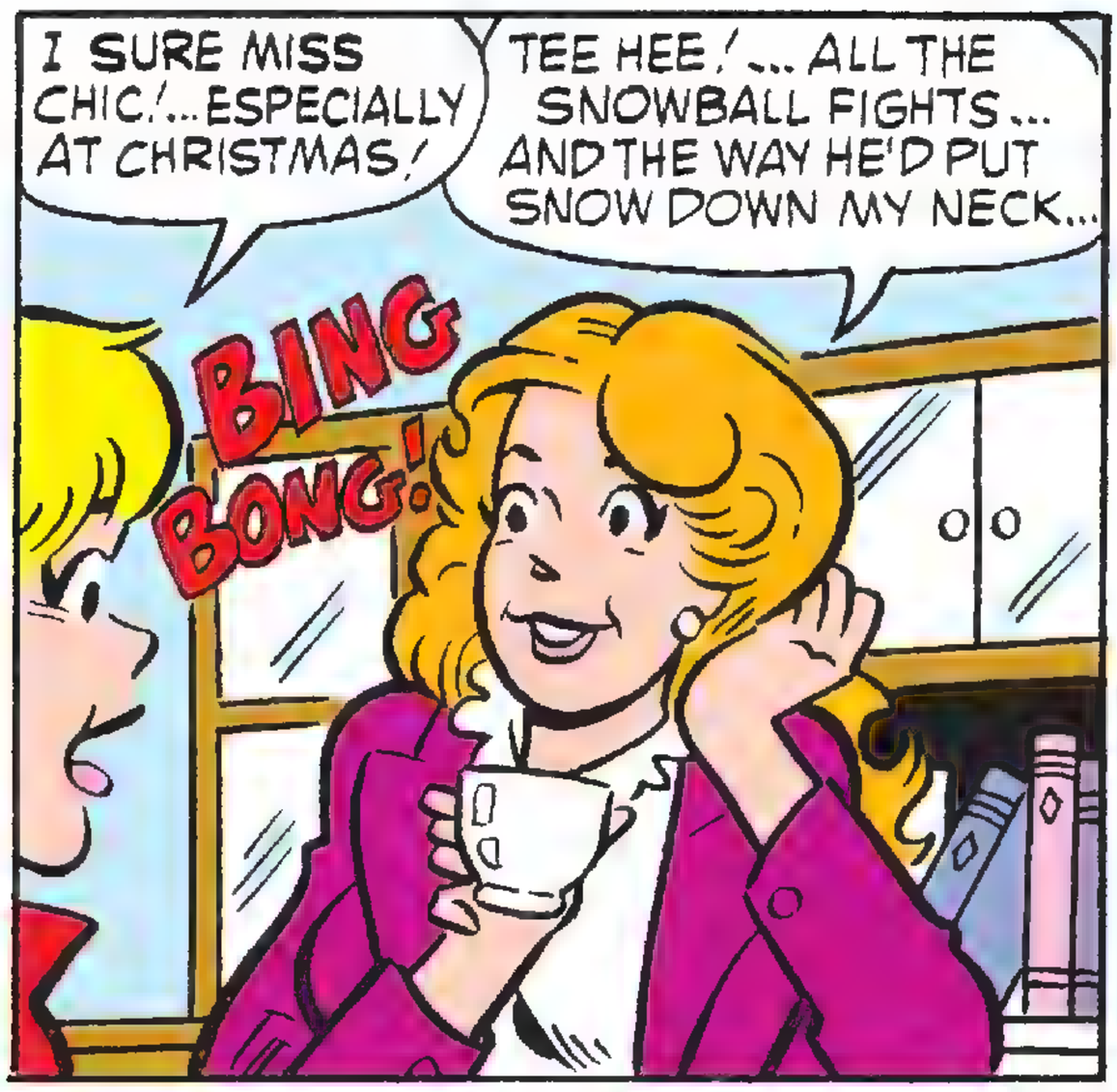

TOOT TOOT
DEMON DELIVERY
BEEP BEEP

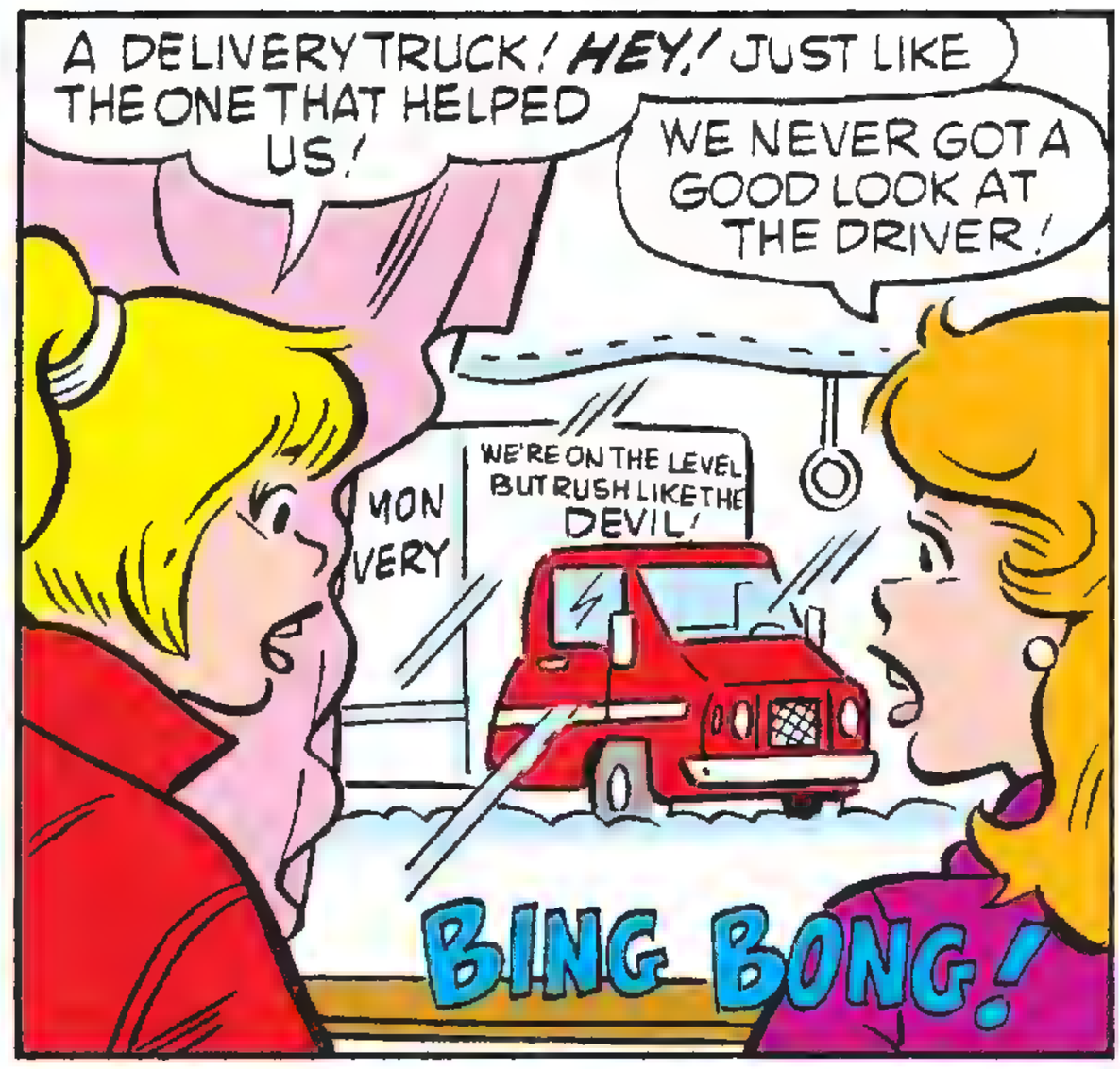

FINALLY! WHAT AN ORDEAL!
HI, CARMEL!
SIT DOWN, POLLY! YOUR NERVES MUST BE SHOT! MOTHER WILL MAKE SOME NICE ELDERBERRY TEA!

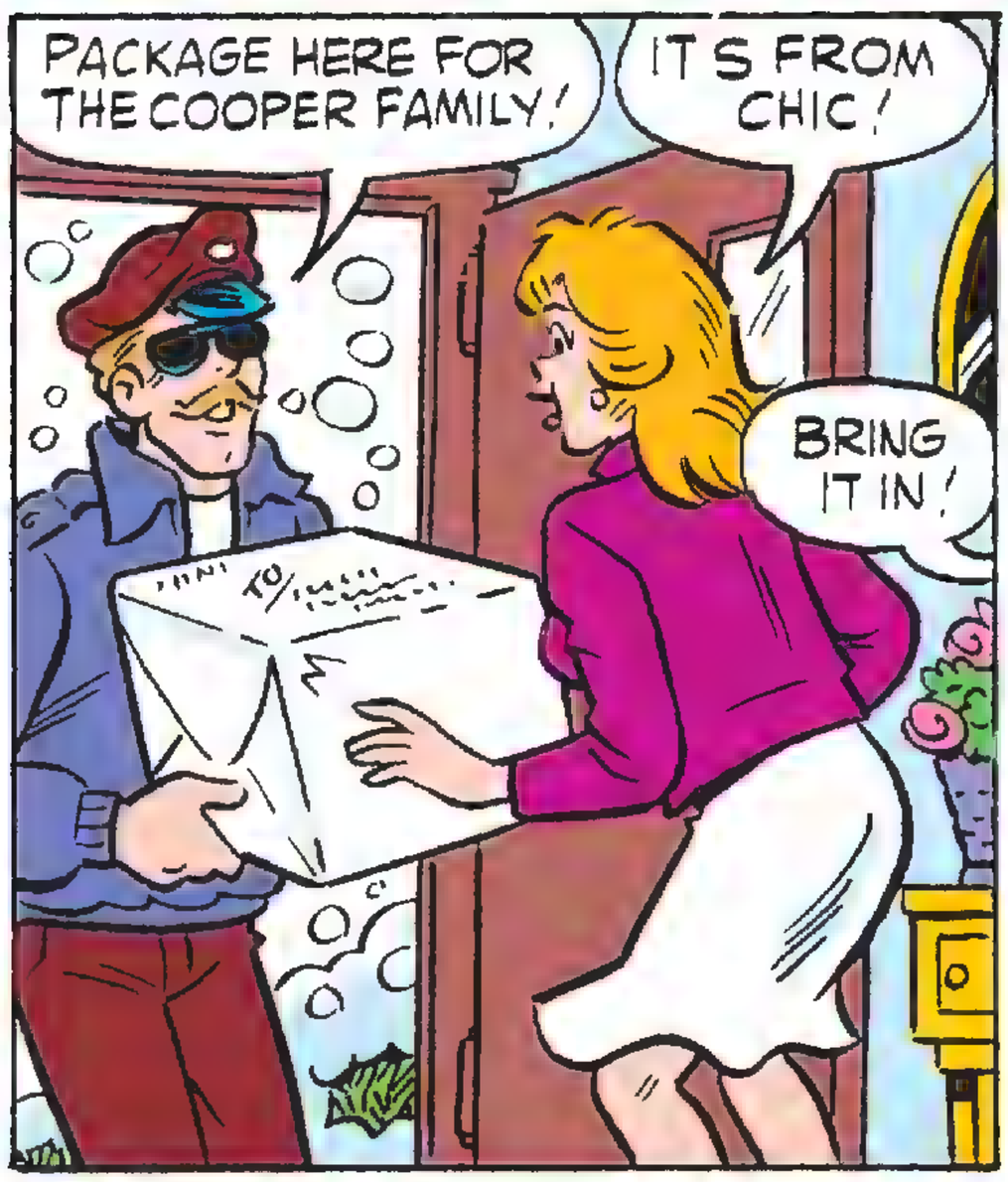

Y' KNOW, SHE DOES LOOK LIKE SHE NEEDS A REST FROM HER JOB!

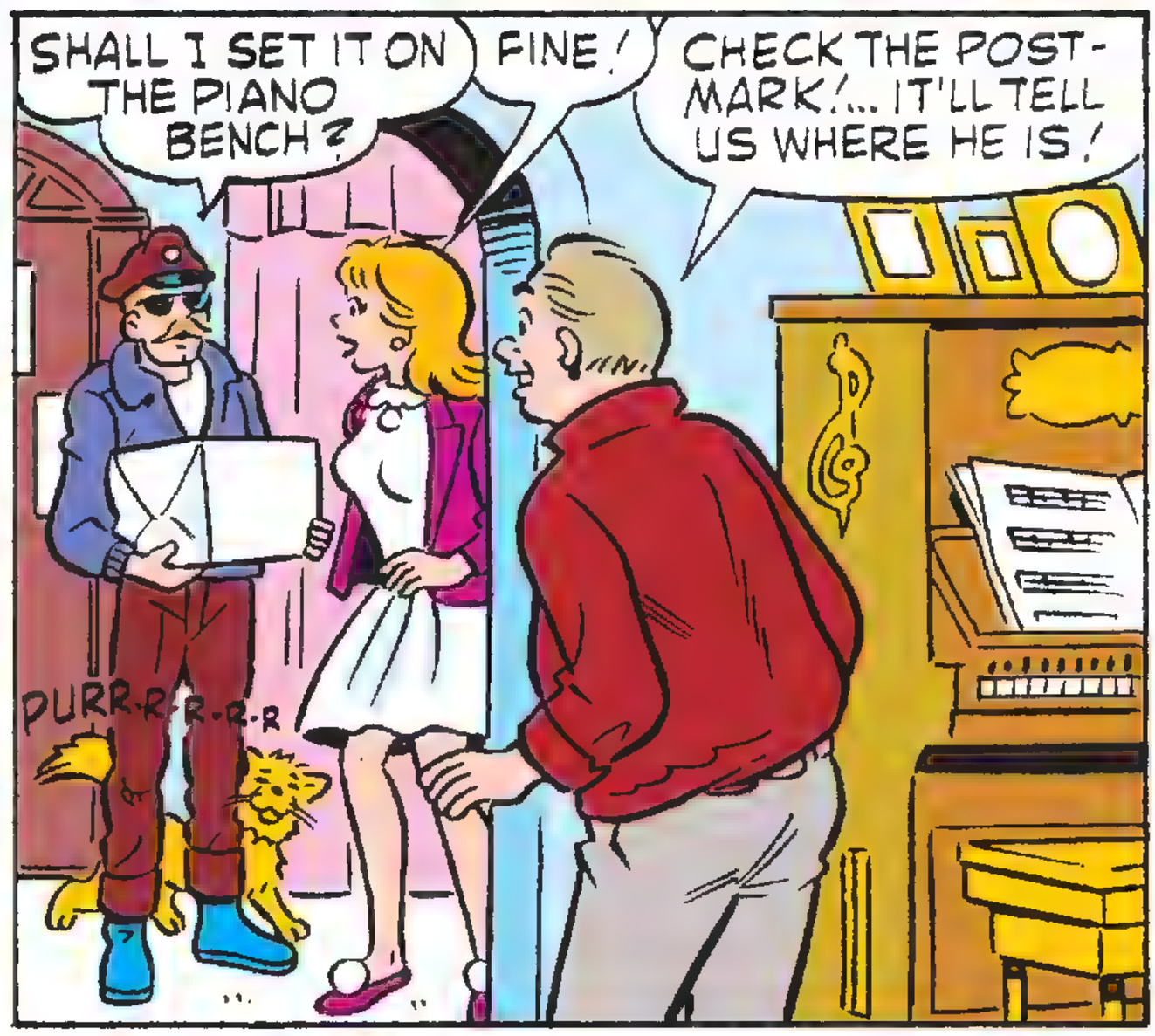

FEELING BETTER? HOW ABOUT AN ASPIRIN?
DAD!! PUH-LEEZ!


ALL RIGHT, ALL RIGHT!! I KNOW THE TENSION OF YOUR JOB HAS YOU AT THE BREAKING POINT!
GOOD GRIEF! I GIVE UP!


I SURE MISS CHIC!...ESPECIALLY AT CHRISTMAS!
TEE HEE!... ALL THE SNOWBALL FIGHTS... AND THE WAY HE'D PUT SNOW DOWN MY NECK...
BING BONG!

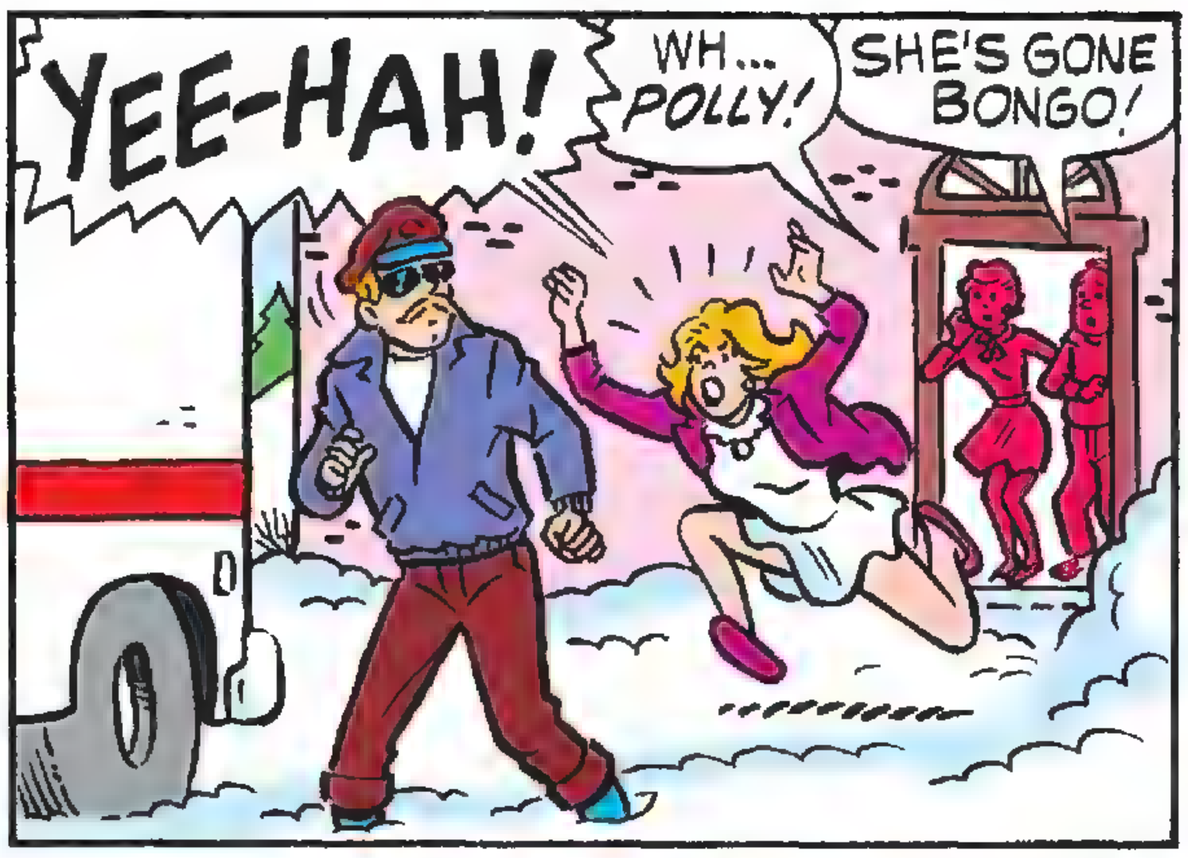

A DELIVERY TRUCK! HEY! JUST LIKE THE ONE THAT HELPED US!
WE NEVER GOT A GOOD LOOK AT THE DRIVER!
MON VERY
WE'RE ON THE LEVEL BUT RUSH LIKE THE DEVIL!
BING BONG!

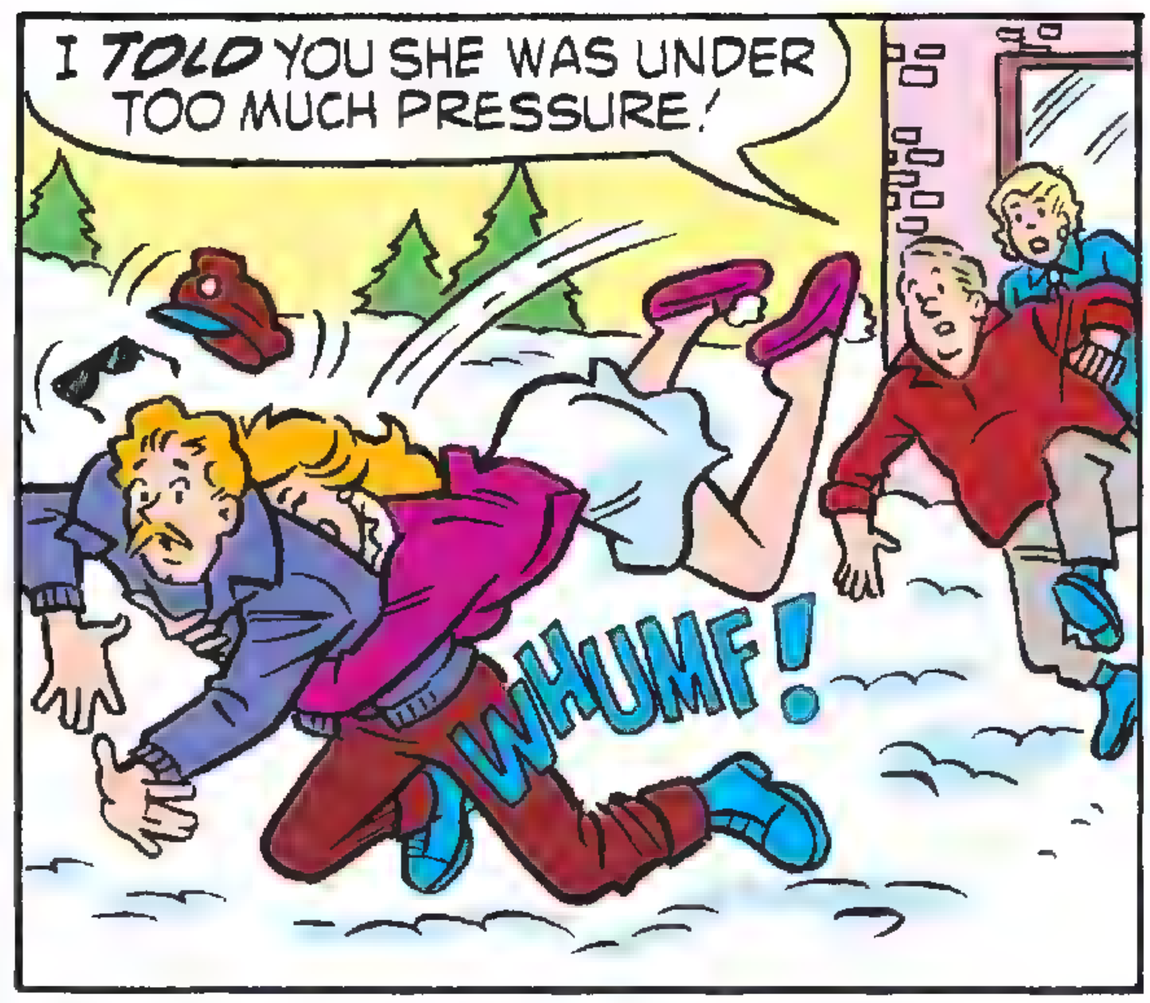

PACKAGE HERE FOR THE COOPER FAMILY!
IT'S FROM CHIC!
BRING IT IN!

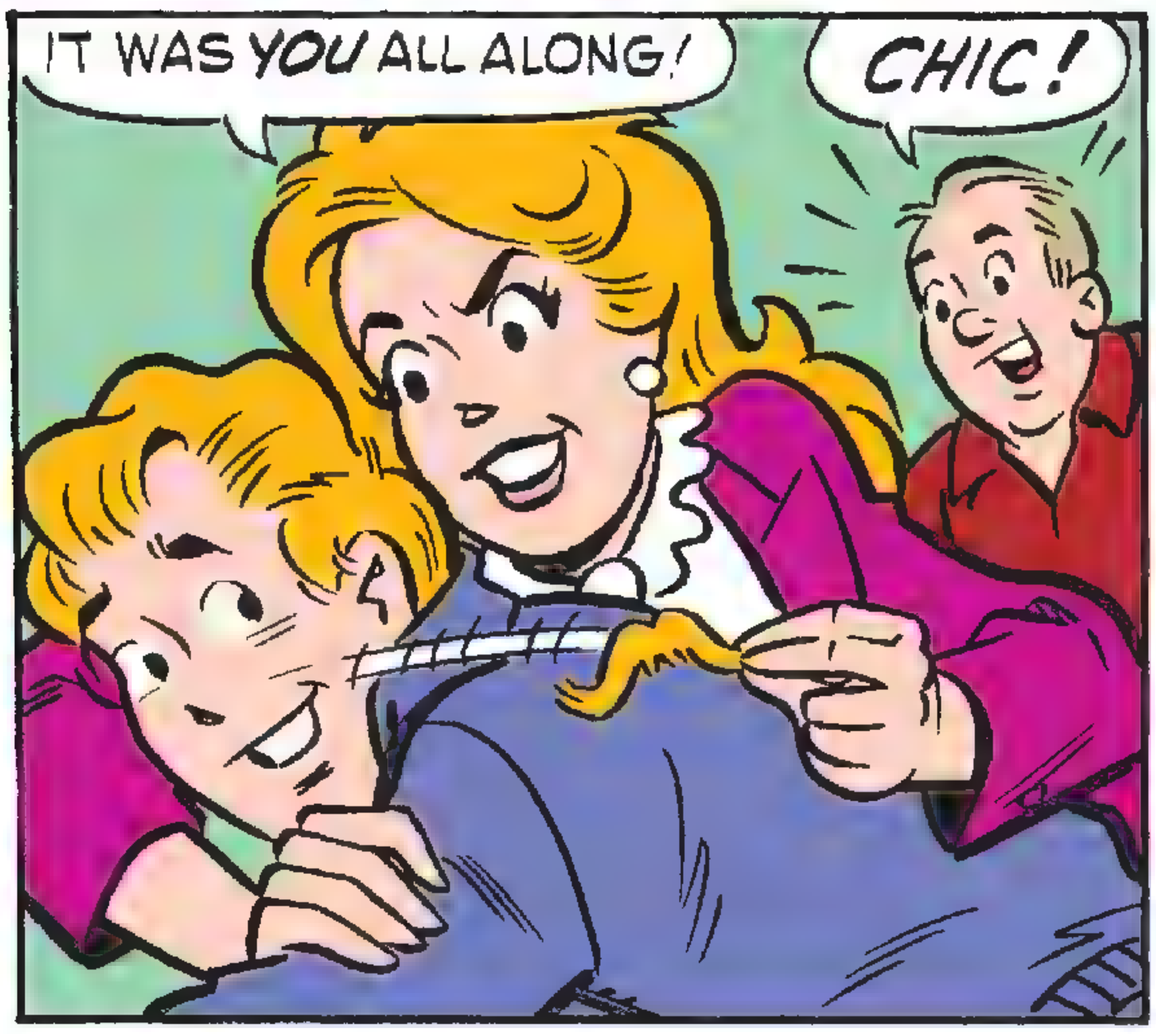

SHALL I SET IT ON THE PIANO BENCH?
FINE!
CHECK THE POST-MARK!... IT'LL TELL US WHERE HE IS!
PURR-R-R-R-R

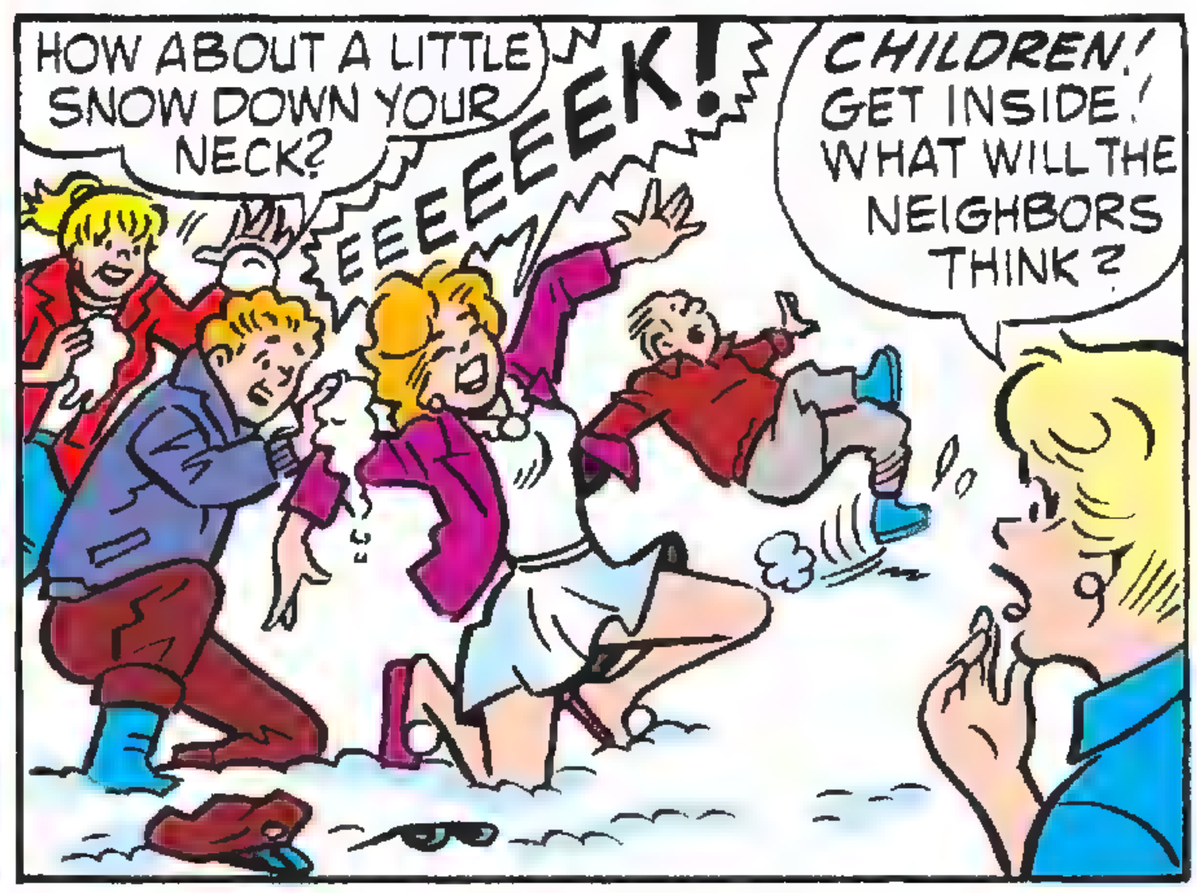
THERE IS NONE! MUST BE COURIER MAIL!
MERRY CHRISTMAS!
HMM! HOW'D HE KNOW THE PIANO BENCH WAS IN THE NEXT ROOM... AND CARMEL DOESN'T TAKE TO STRANGERS ... EXCEPT-

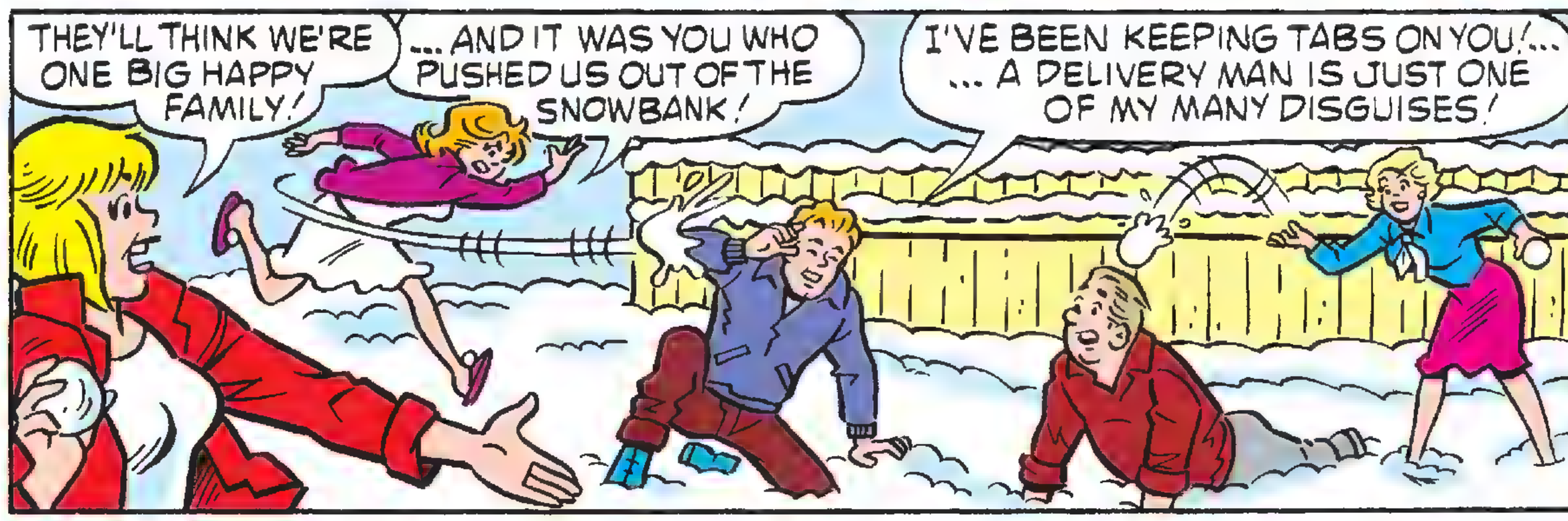
HE'S NO STRANGER!

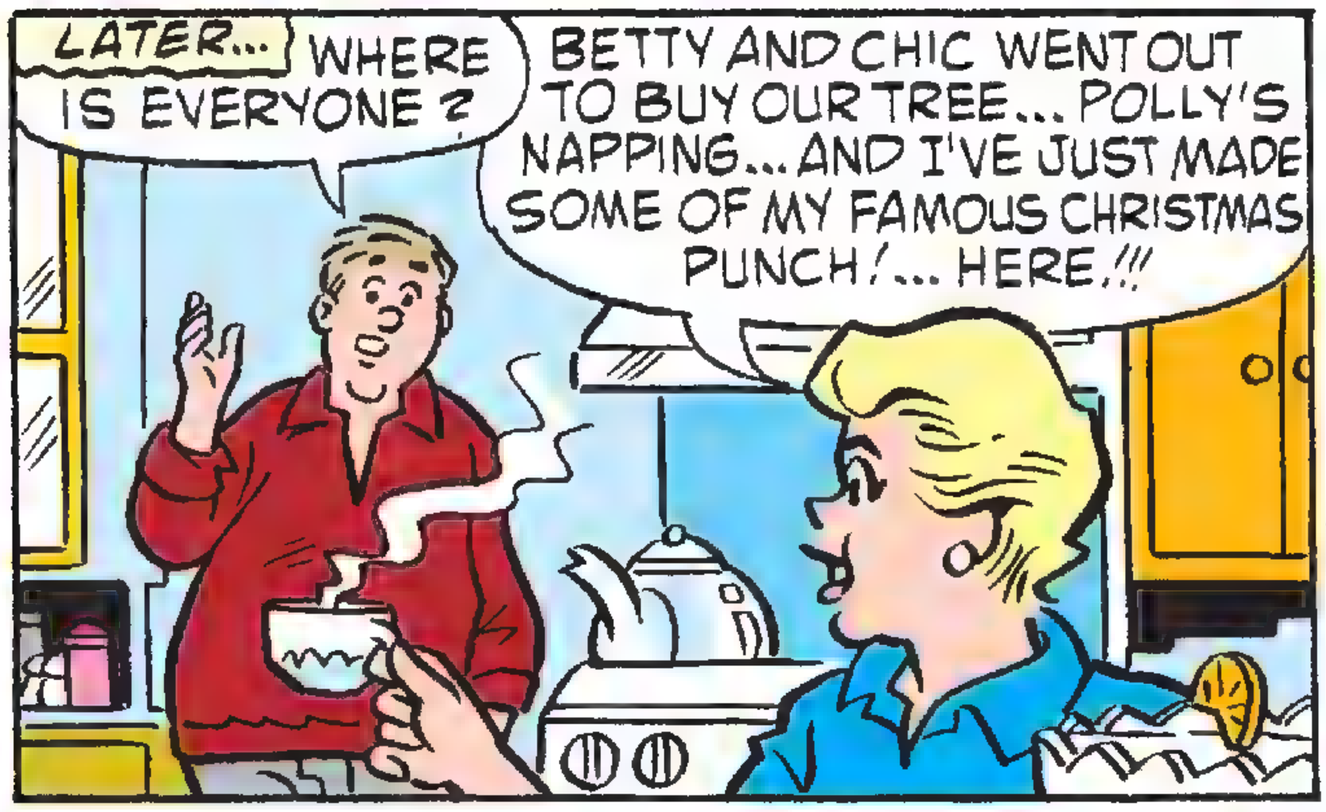

YEE-HAH!
WH... POLLY!
SHE'S GONE BONGO!

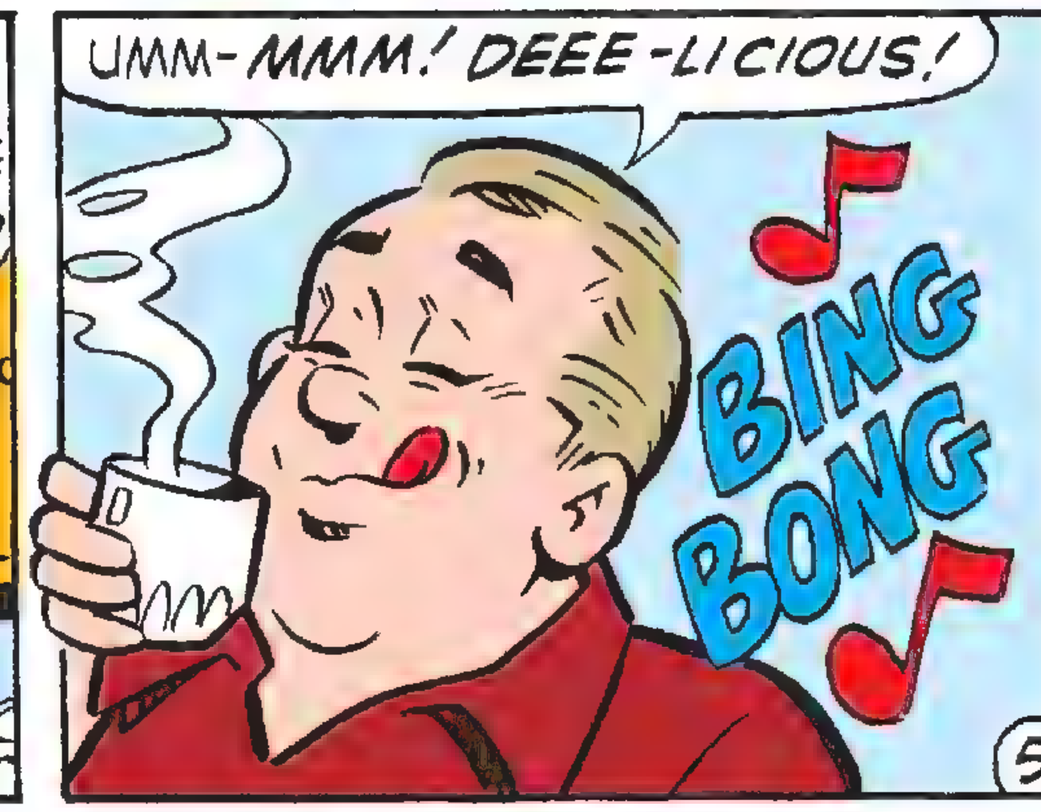

I TOLD YOU SHE WAS UNDER TOO MUCH PRESSURE!
WHUMF!

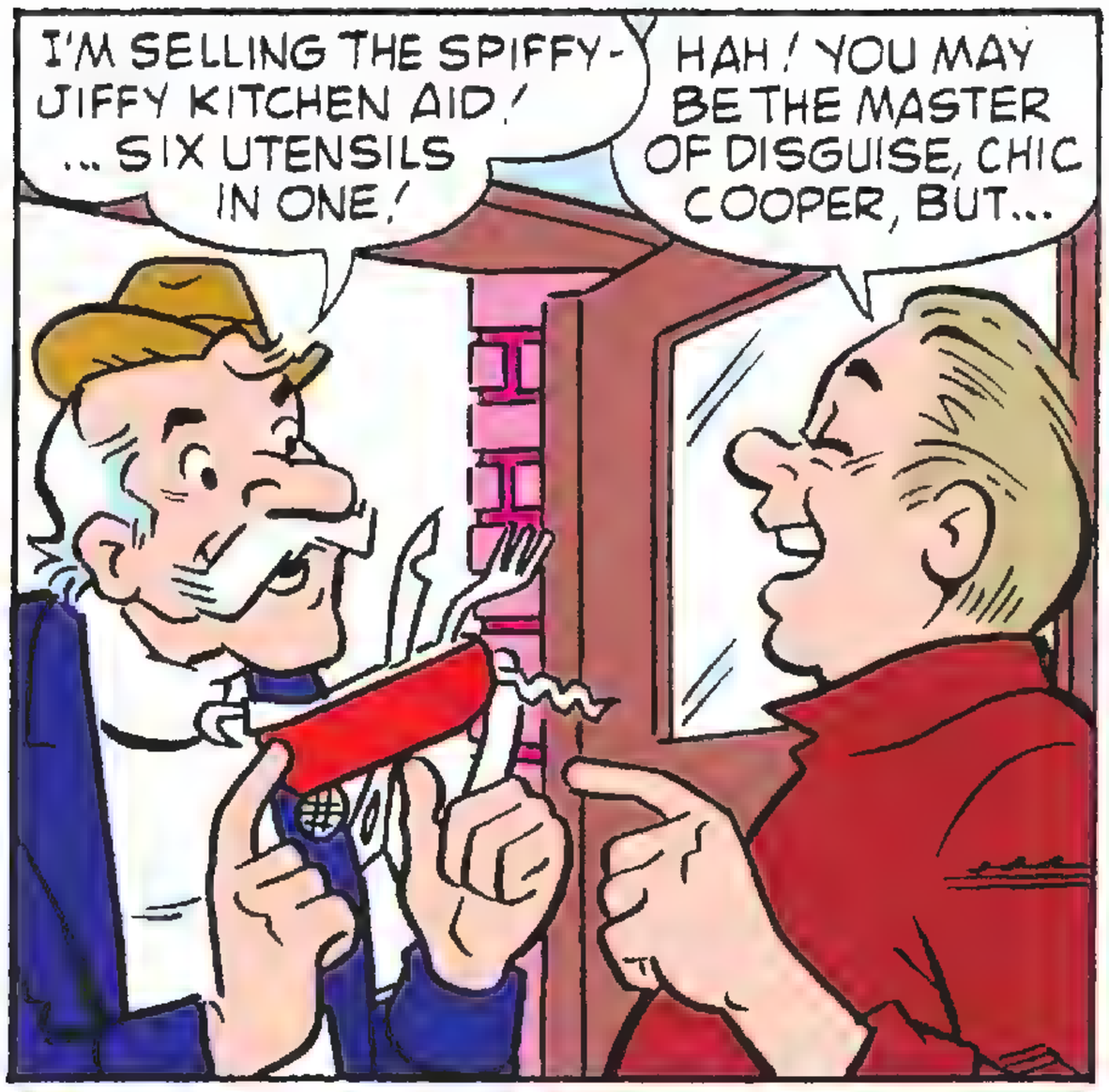

IT WAS YOU ALL ALONG!
CHIC!

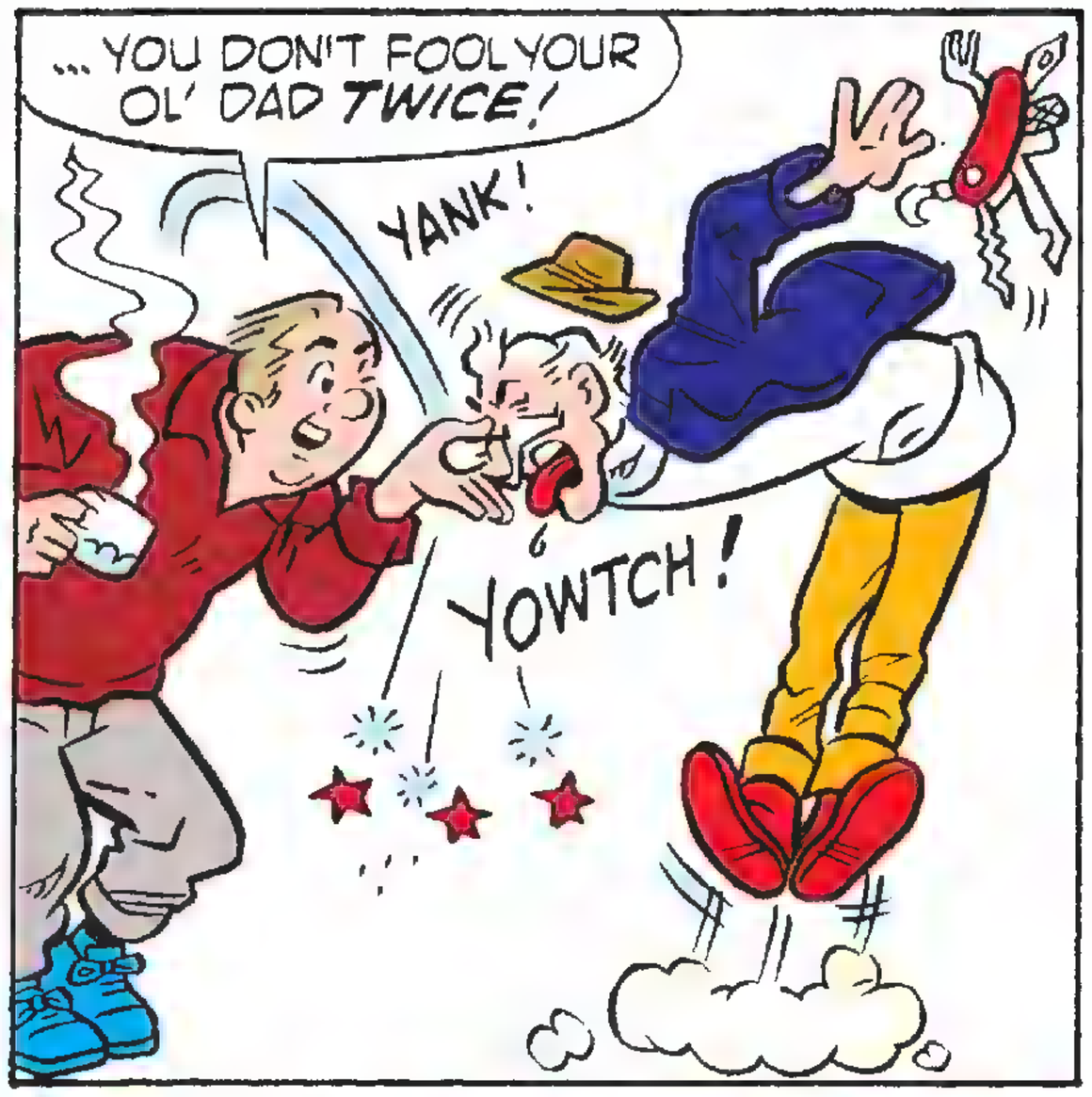

HOW ABOUT A LITTLE SNOW DOWN YOUR NECK?
EEEEEEEEK!
CHILDREN! GET INSIDE! WHAT WILL THE NEIGHBORS THINK?

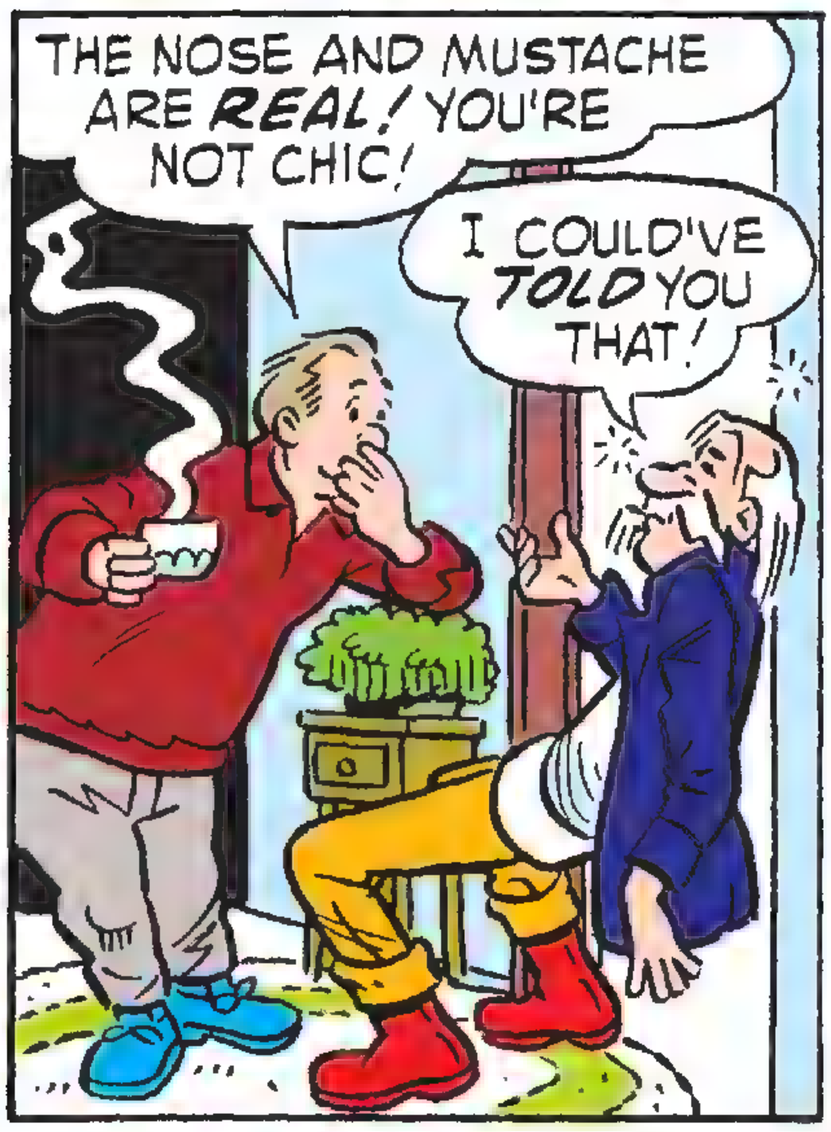

THEY'LL THINK WE'RE ONE BIG HAPPY FAMILY!
... AND IT WAS YOU WHO PUSHED US OUT OF THE SNOWBANK!
I'VE BEEN KEEPING TABS ON YOU!... ... A DELIVERY MAN IS JUST ONE OF MY MANY DISGUISES!


LATER...
WHERE IS EVERYONE?
BETTY AND CHIC WENT OUT TO BUY OUR TREE... POLLY'S NAPPING... AND I'VE JUST MADE SOME OF MY FAMOUS CHRISTMAS PUNCH!... HERE!!!


UMM-MMM! DEEE-LICIOUS!
BING BONG

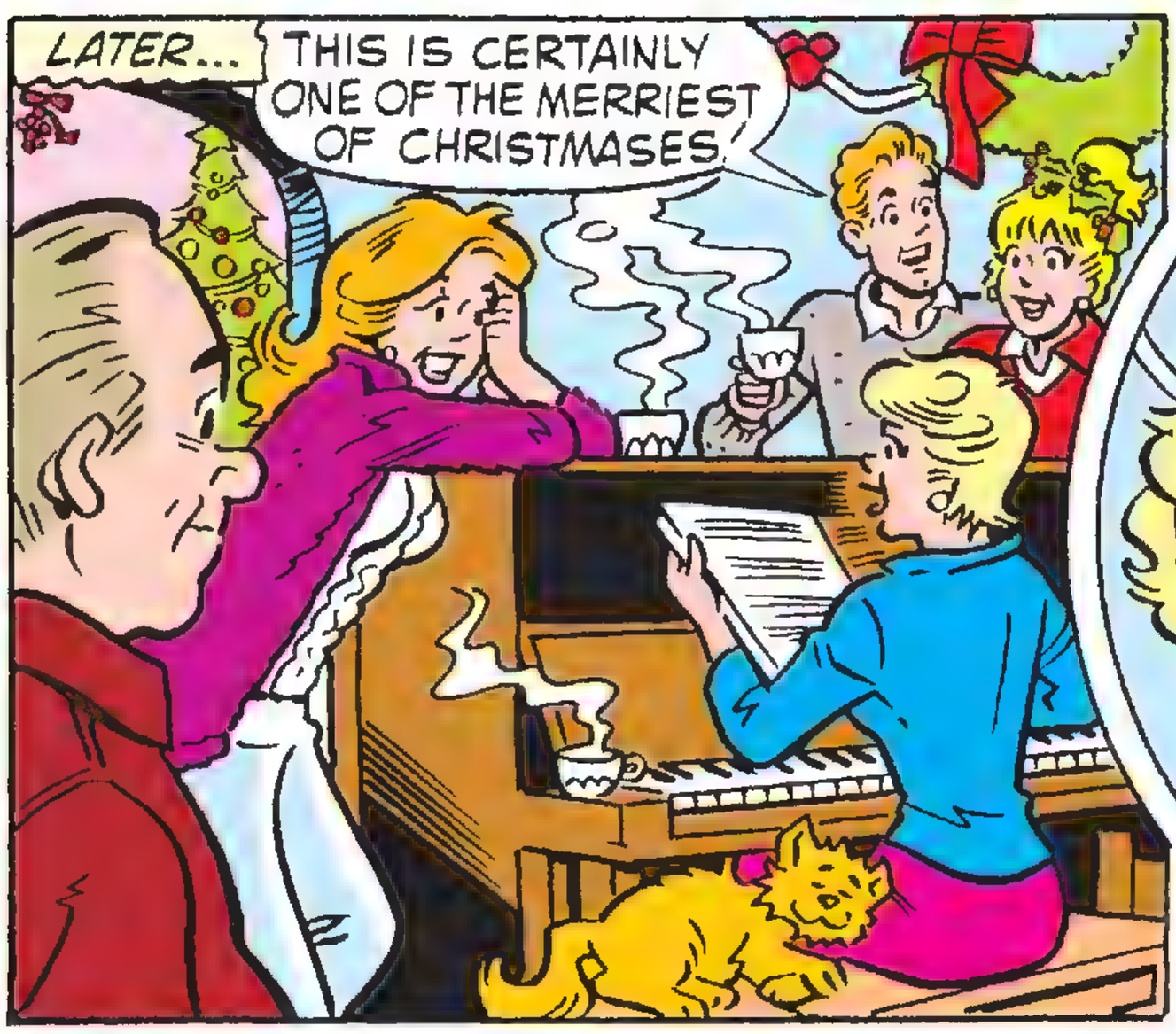

I'M SELLING THE SPIFFY-JIFFY KITCHEN AID! ... SIX UTENSILS IN ONE!
HAH! YOU MAY BE THE MASTER OF DISGUISE, CHIC COOPER, BUT...

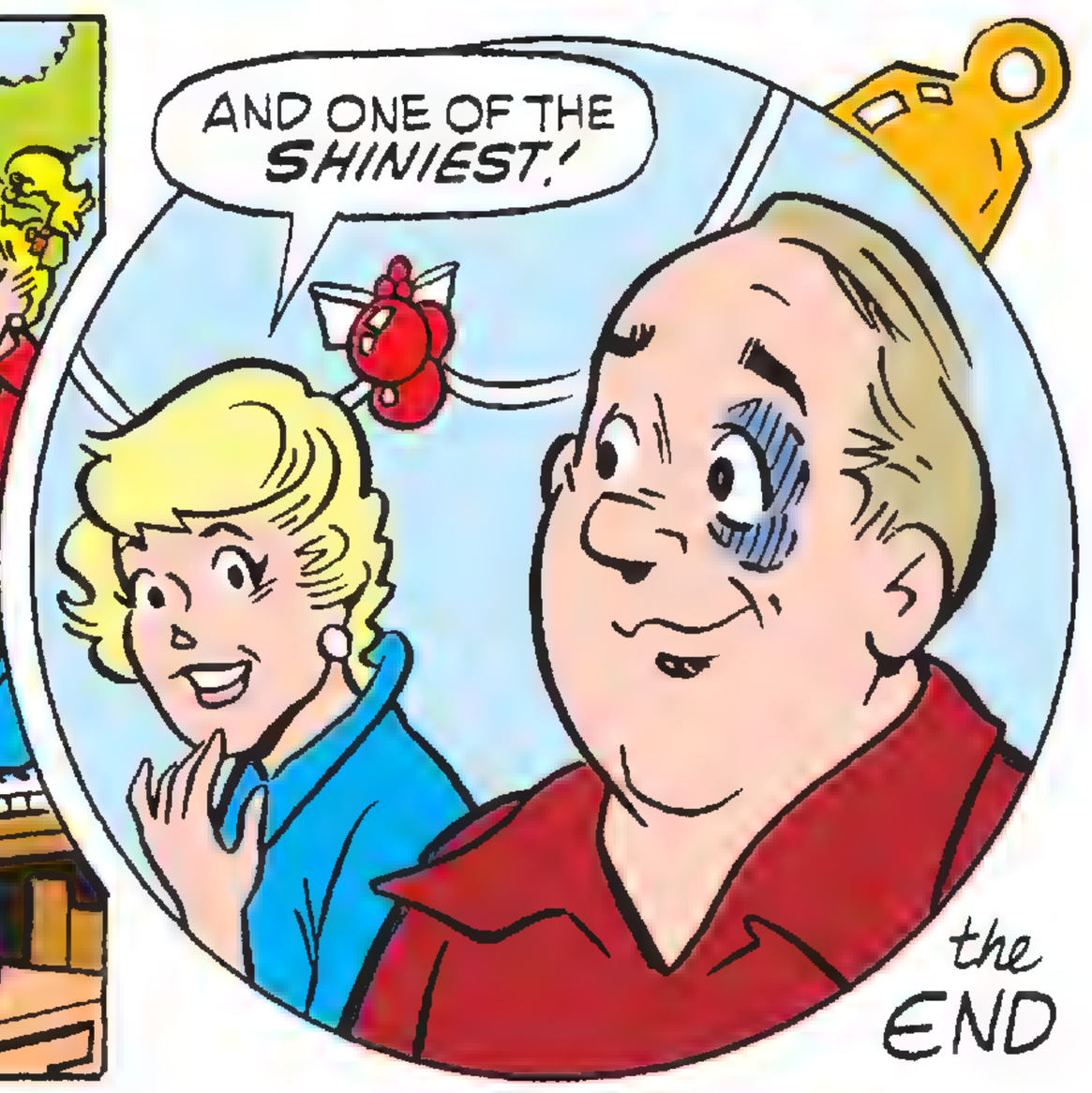

... YOU DON'T FOOL YOUR OL' DAD TWICE!
YANK!
YOWTCH!


THE NOSE AND MUSTACHE ARE REAL! YOU'RE NOT CHIC!
I COULD'VE TOLD YOU THAT!

...ER... WOULD A LITTLE PUNCH MAKE YOU FEEL BETTER?
IT SURE WOULD!

POW!


LATER...
THIS IS CERTAINLY ONE OF THE MERRIEST OF CHRISTMASES!


AND ONE OF THE SHINIEST!

the END

Archie AND Reggie in "THE MEDIATOR"

WHAT'S WITH THIS GUY, ARCH? WHY'S HE BLOCKING HALF THE ROAD?

I THINK HE PULLED OVER BECAUSE HE'S LOST!

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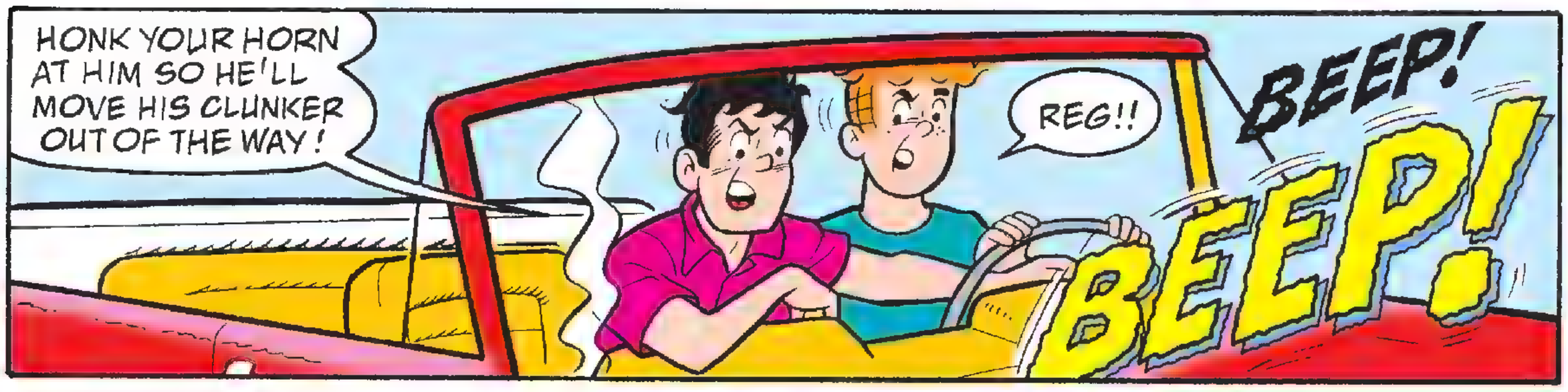
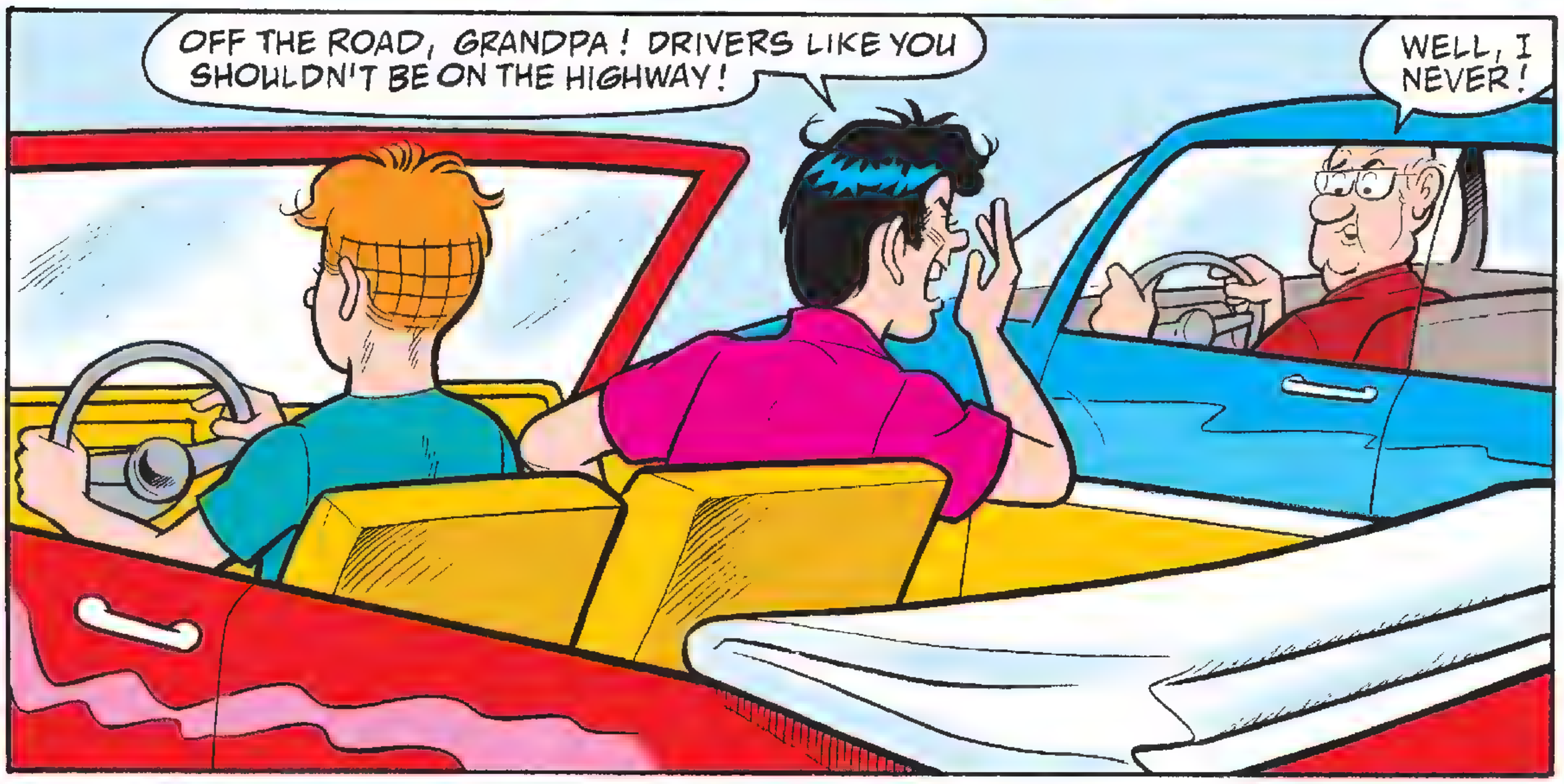
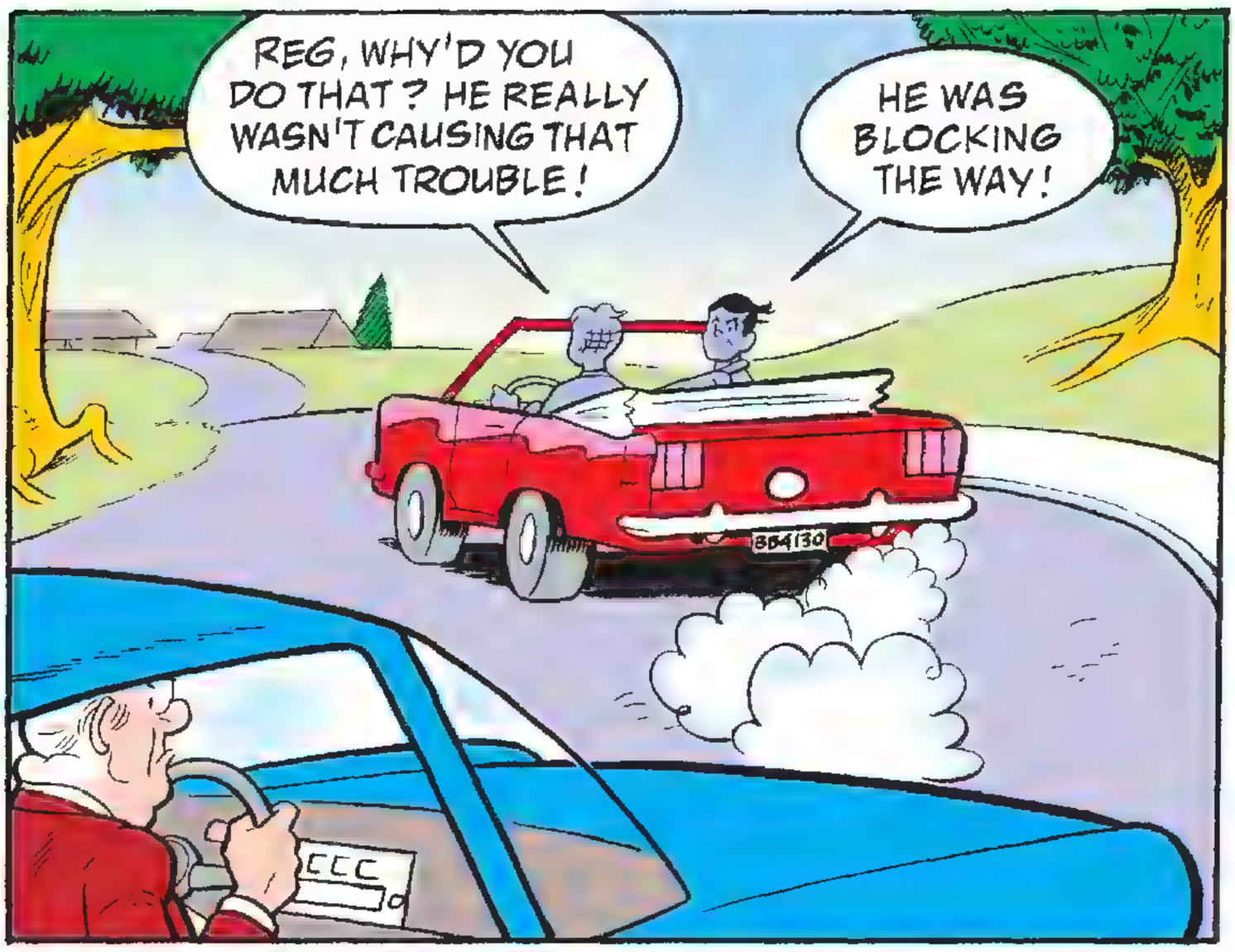
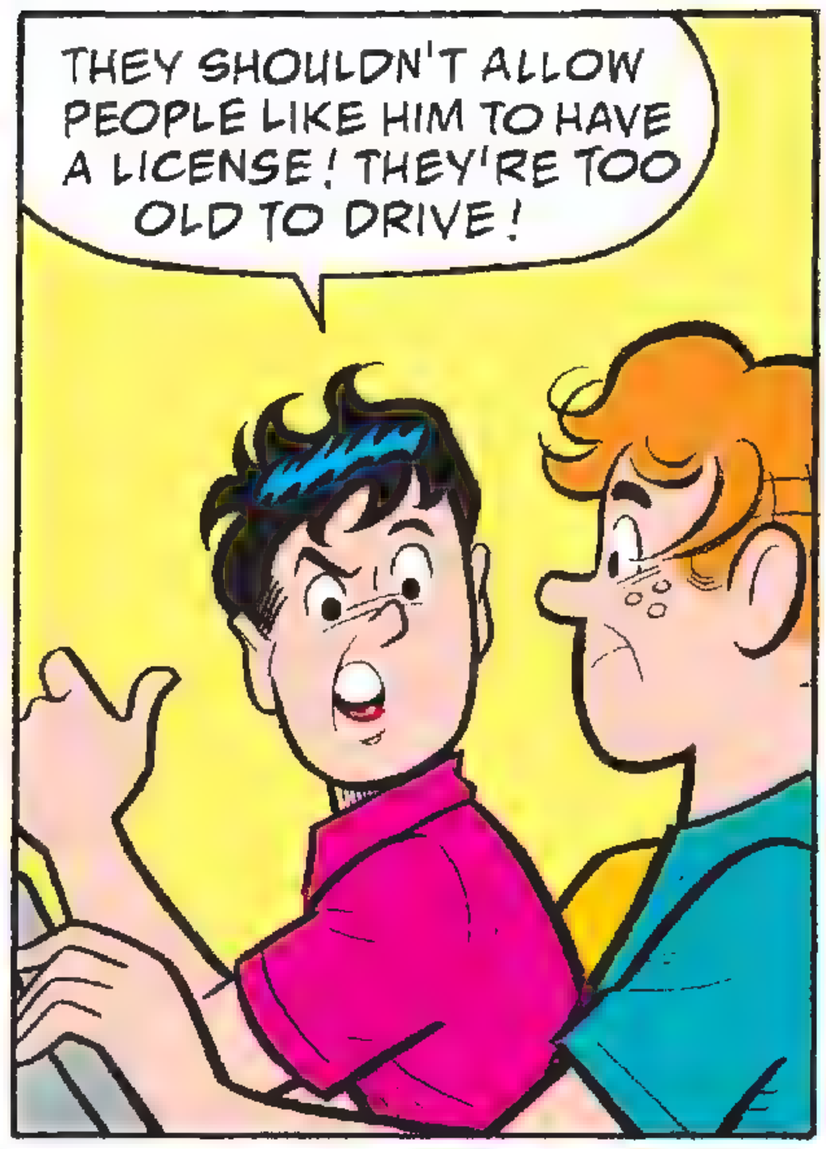
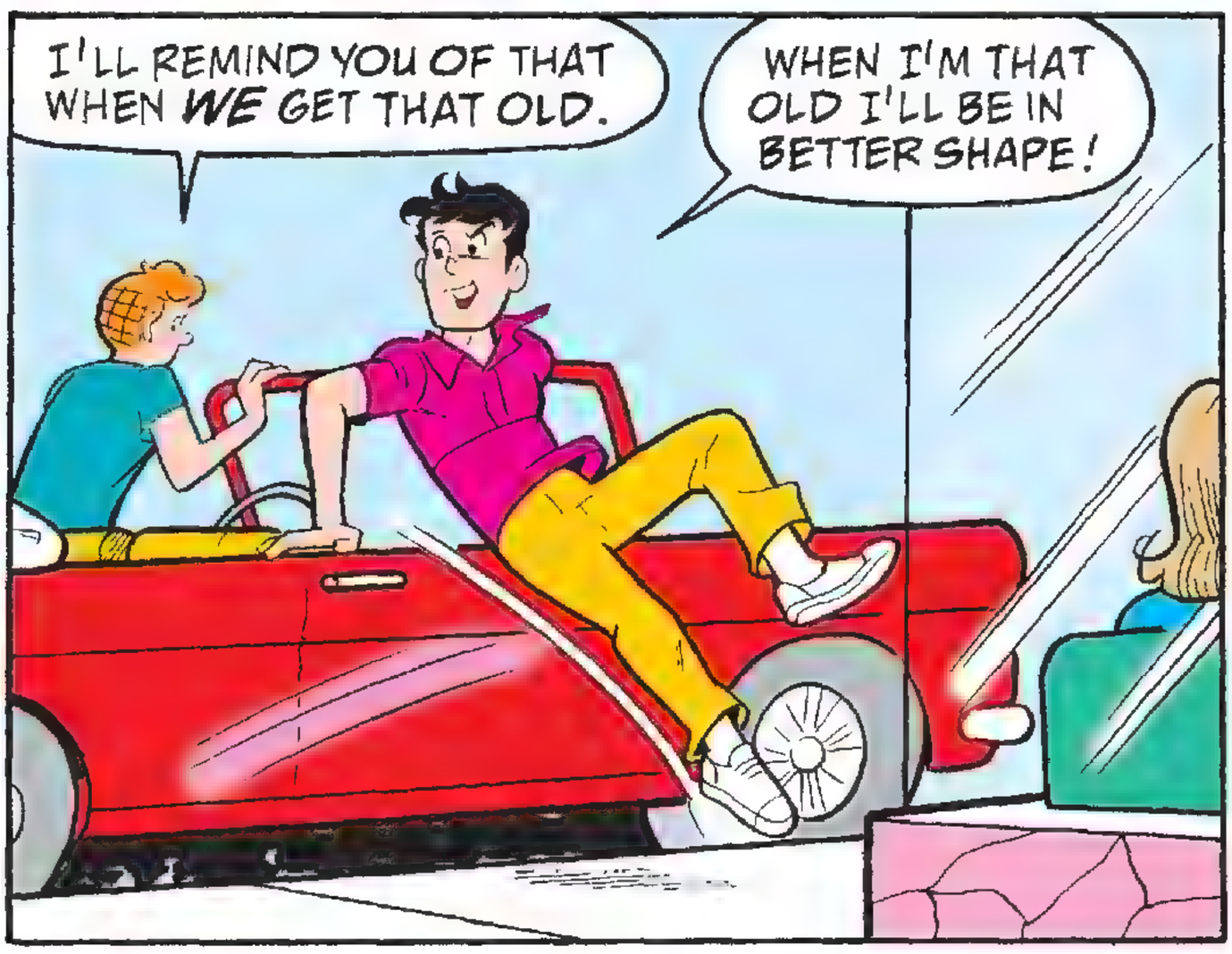
INKS: RICH KOSLOWSKI



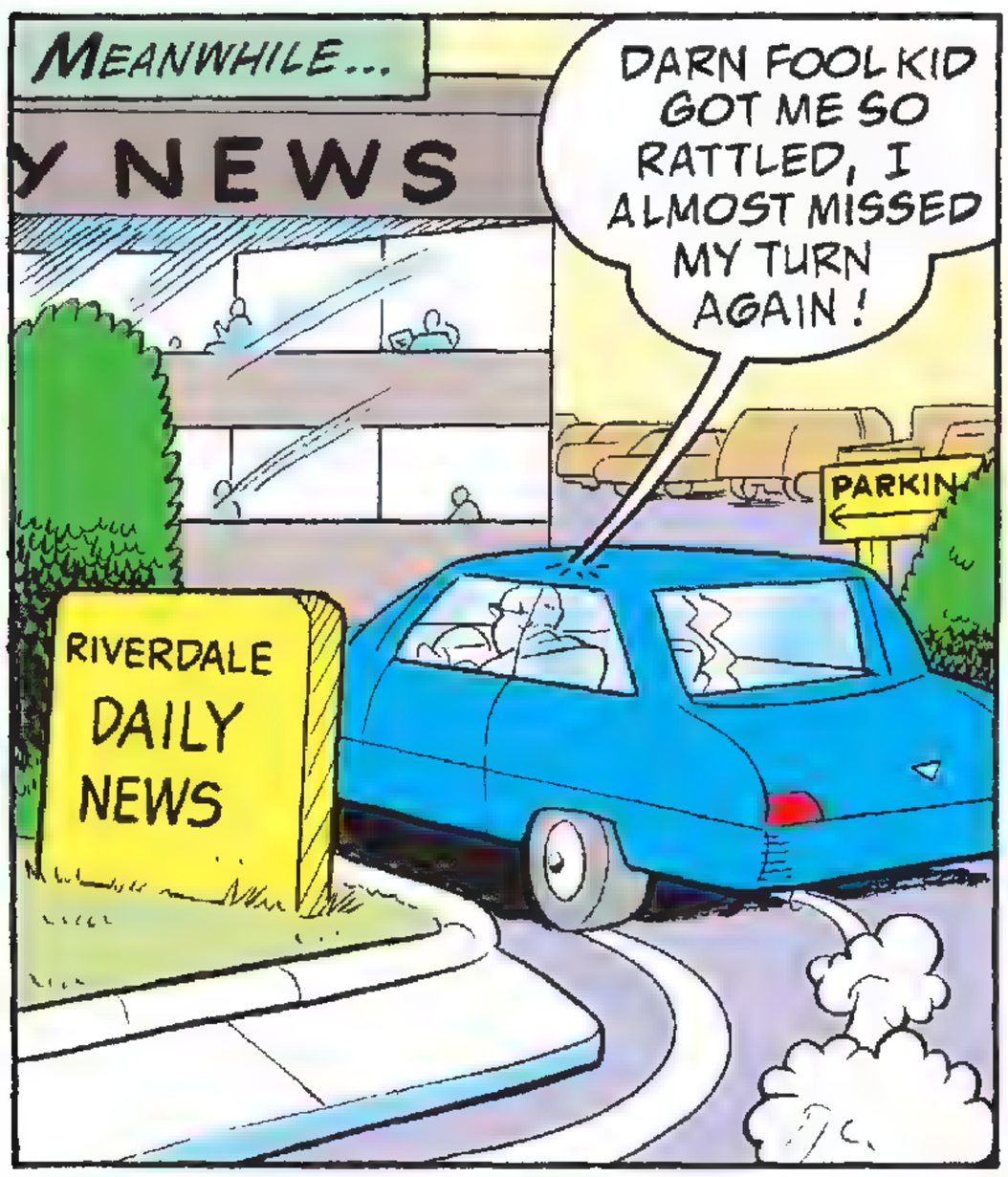



REG, WHY'D YOU DO THAT? HE REALLY WASN'T CAUSING THAT MUCH TROUBLE!
HE WAS BLOCKING THE WAY!


THEY SHOULDN'T ALLOW PEOPLE LIKE HIM TO HAVE A LICENSE! THEY'RE TOO OLD TO DRIVE!


I'LL REMIND YOU OF THAT WHEN *WE* GET THAT OLD.
WHEN I'M THAT OLD I'LL BE IN BETTER SHAPE!

BOTH MENTALLY AND PHYSICALLY!
I'M NOT SURE ABOUT THE MENTAL PART EVEN NOW.


MEANWHILE...
Y NEWS
DARN FOOL KID GOT ME SO RATTLED, I ALMOST MISSED MY TURN AGAIN!
PARKIN
RIVERDALE DAILY NEWS

THERE YOU ARE, MR. SAYLES! I'D ABOUT GIVEN UP ON YOU.
I'M ABOUT TO GIVE UP ON YOU, AS WELL!
MANTLE

I HAD SOME RUDENESS DONE TO ME ON THE WAY HERE BY YOUR SON, MANTLE!

WHAT--? REGGIE??

HE HONKED AND TOSSED INSULTS AT ME BACK ON THE HIGHWAY! ALL BECAUSE I WASN'T MOVING FAST ENOUGH TO SUIT HIM!

I'LL HAVE A TALK WITH REGGIE ABOUT IT TONIGHT. I'M SORRY, MR. SAYLES!

SO AM I, MANTLE!

IN FACT, I'VE HALF A MIND TO PULL ALL MY ADVERTISING FROM YOUR PAPER, AND PUT IT IN THE CROSS-TOWN PAPER INSTEAD!

PLEASE DON'T BE HASTY!

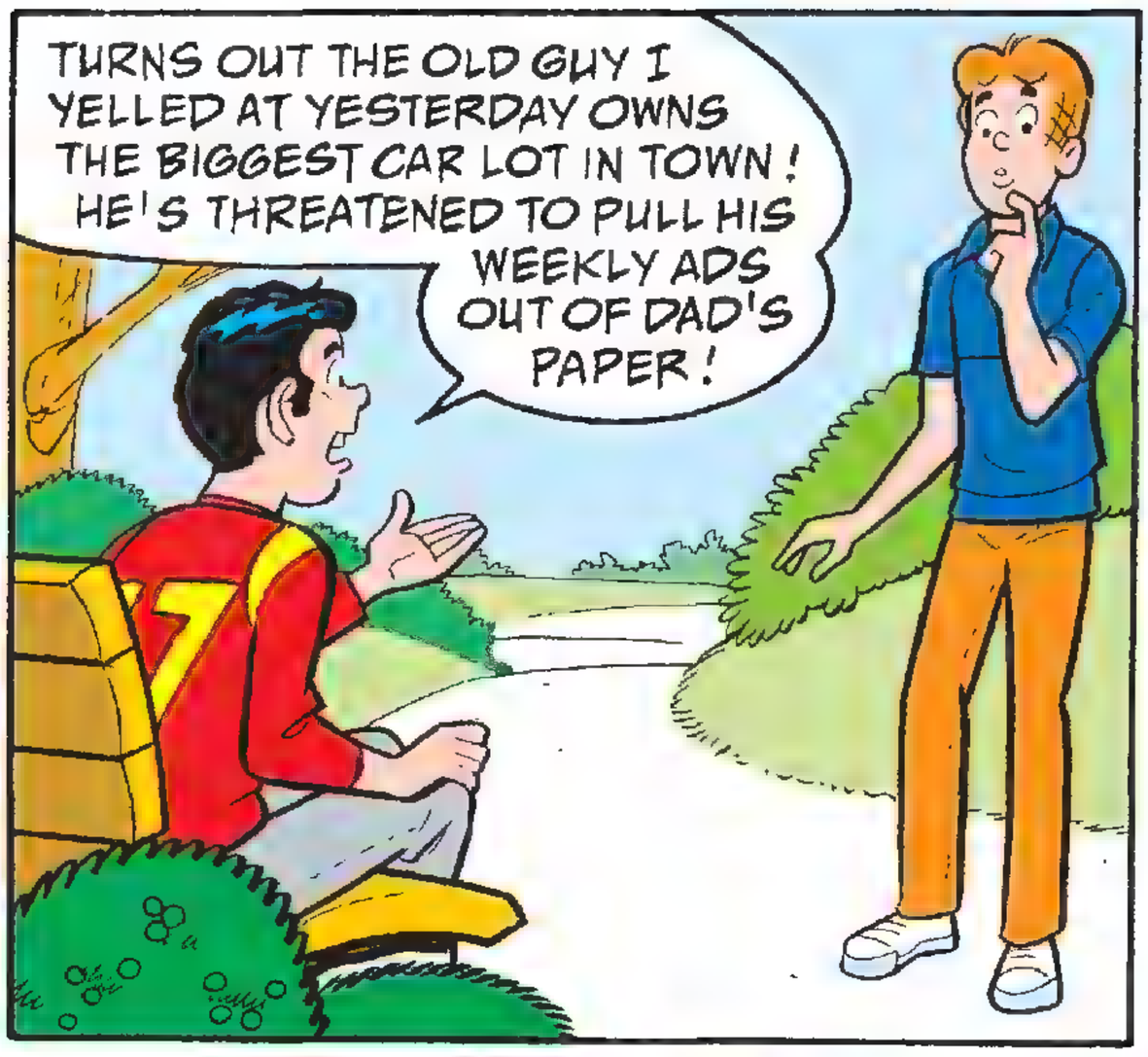
OH, I WON'T! I'M GOING HOME TO THINK ABOUT IT. I'LL GIVE YOU MY ANSWER TOMORROW!

=SIGH= YOU DO WHAT YOU HAVE TO.

THE NEXT DAY...

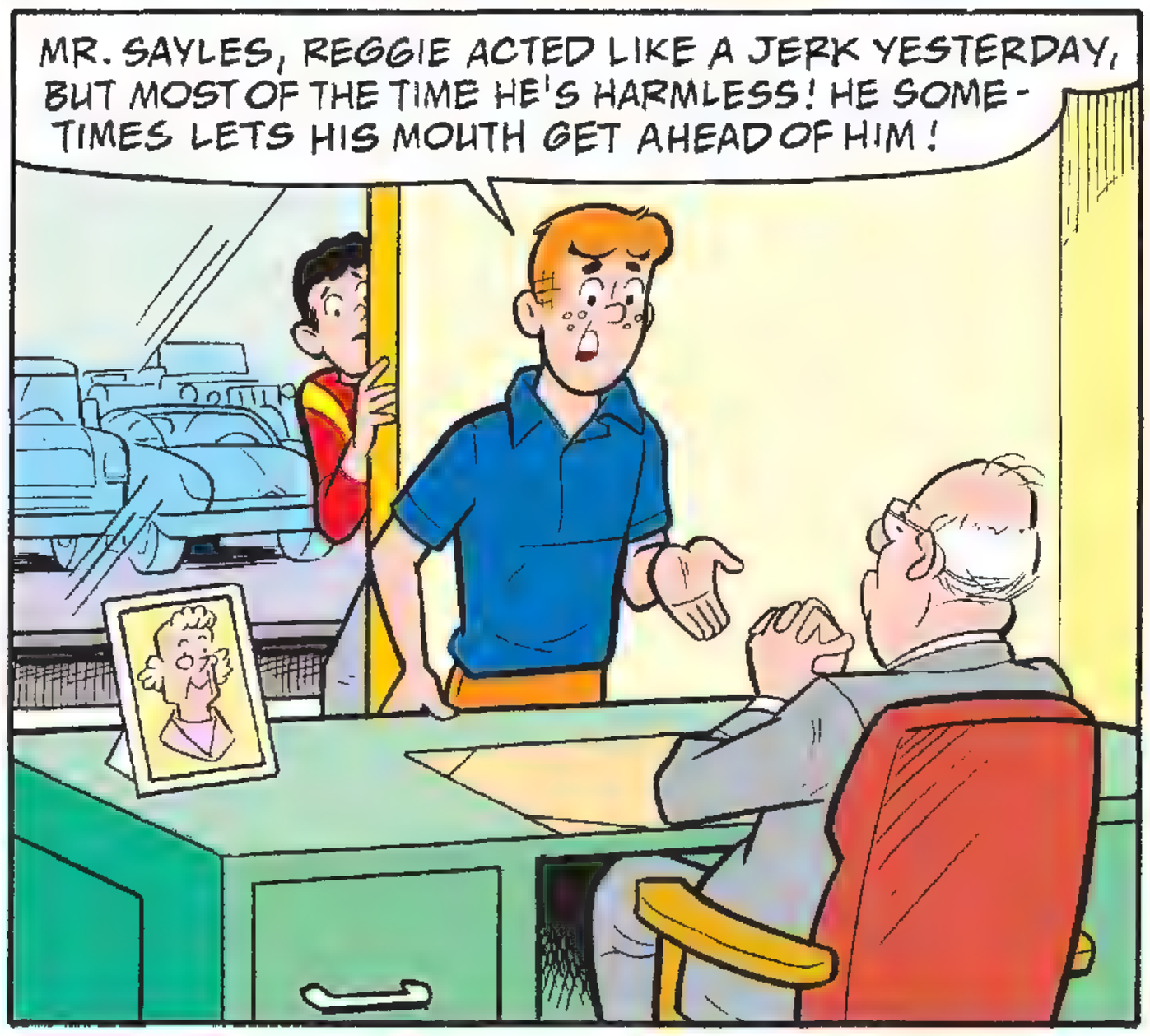
WHERE'S THAT FAMOUS MANTLE SWAGGER? YOU'RE LOOKING DOWN!

MY DAD'S GROUNDED ME!


TURNS OUT THE OLD GUY I YELLED AT YESTERDAY OWNS THE BIGGEST CAR LOT IN TOWN! HE'S THREATENED TO PULL HIS WEEKLY ADS OUT OF DAD'S PAPER!

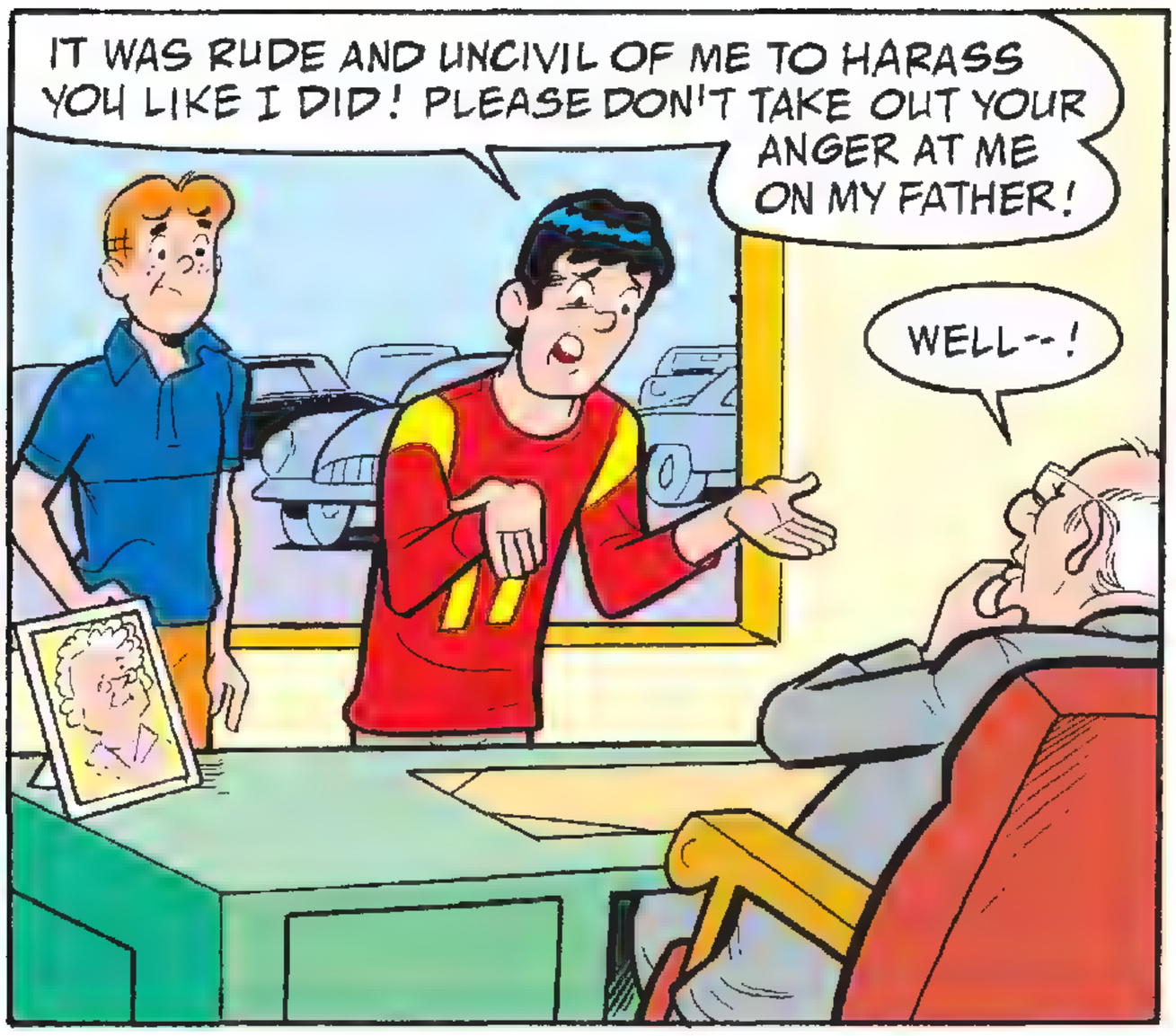
I ADMIT IT, I WAS A JERK! YOU CAN GLOAT IF YOU LIKE! ≡SIGH≡ I SURE WISH I COULD GO BACK AND CHANGE THINGS, THOUGH!

I KNOW MR. SAYLES... I'VE DONE SOME LAWN WORK FOR HIM RECENTLY! MAYBE I CAN PUT IN A GOOD WORD FOR YOU! C'MON!

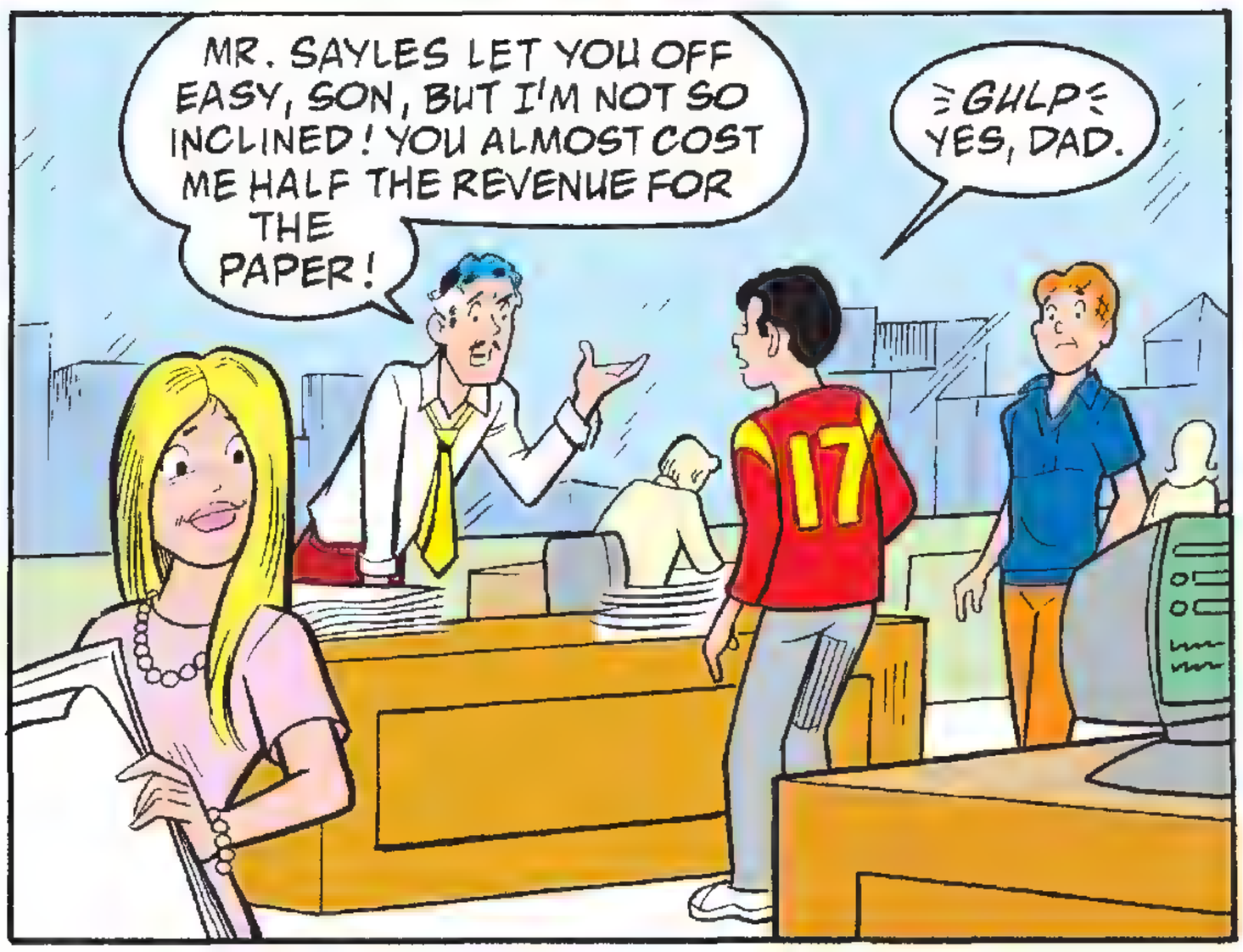

MR. SAYLES, REGGIE ACTED LIKE A JERK YESTERDAY, BUT MOST OF THE TIME HE'S HARMLESS! HE SOMETIMES LETS HIS MOUTH GET AHEAD OF HIM!

PLEASE DON'T PUNISH MR. MANTLE FOR REGGIE'S STUPIDITY! HIS PAPER CAN'T STAND THE LOSS OF YOUR WEEKLY ADS!
HARUMPH!

YOU'RE A GOOD FRIEND TO SPEAK UP FOR YOUNG MANTLE! HOWEVER... HASN'T HE THE DECENCY TO APOLOGIZE HIMSELF?
YES I DO, SIR!
REG!

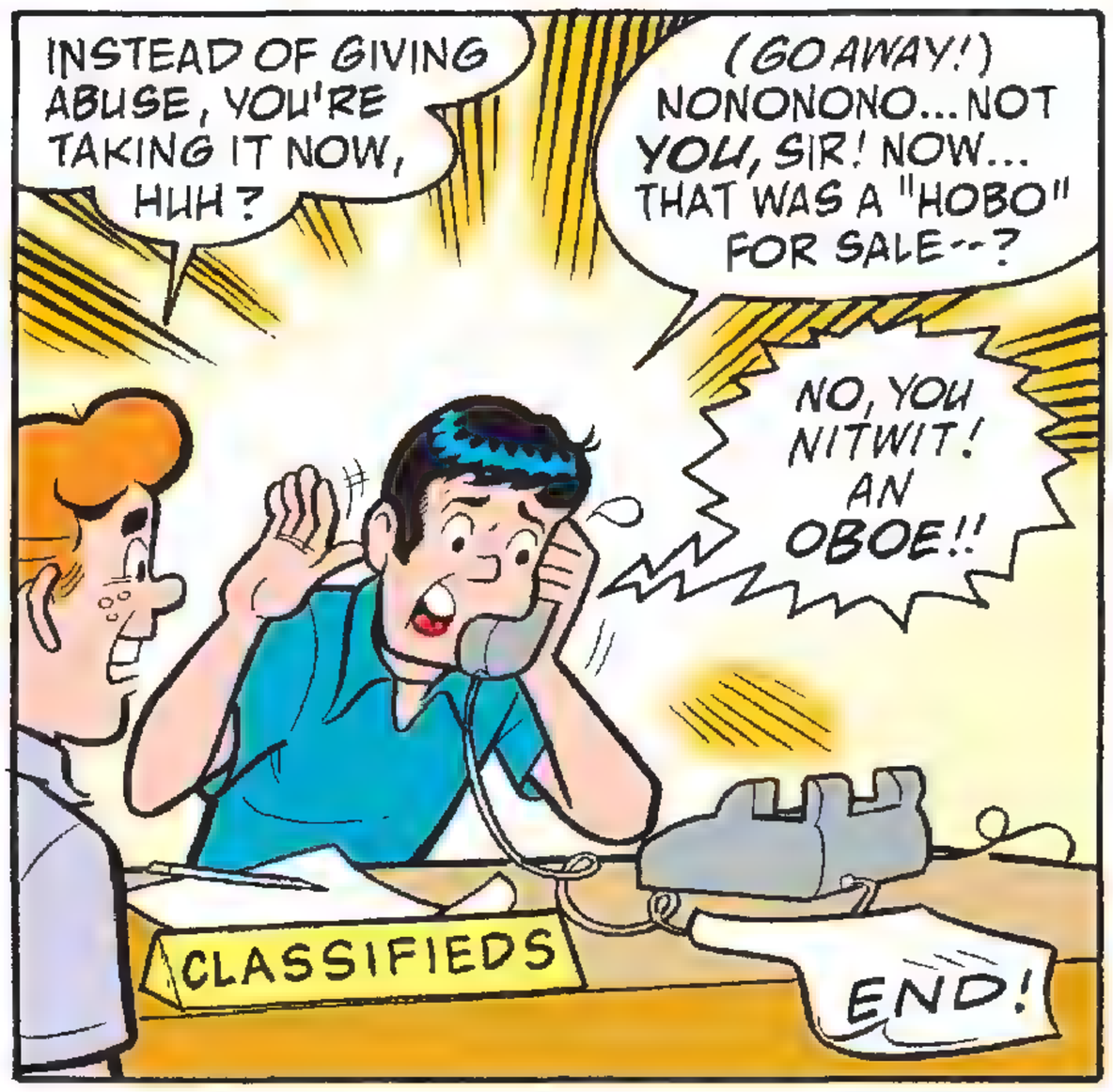

IT WAS RUDE AND UNCIVIL OF ME TO HARASS YOU LIKE I DID! PLEASE DON'T TAKE OUT YOUR ANGER AT ME ON MY FATHER!
WELL--!

APOLOGY ACCEPTED! AND TELL YOUR DAD I'LL BE BRINGING THE COPY FOR MY AD OVER LATER!
PHEW!


MR. SAYLES LET YOU OFF EASY, SON, BUT I'M NOT SO INCLINED! YOU ALMOST COST ME HALF THE REVENUE FOR THE PAPER!
GULP YES, DAD.

I'VE DECIDED NOT TO GIVE YOU THAT PLUM SUMMER INTERN JOB IN ADVERTISING!
NO--?

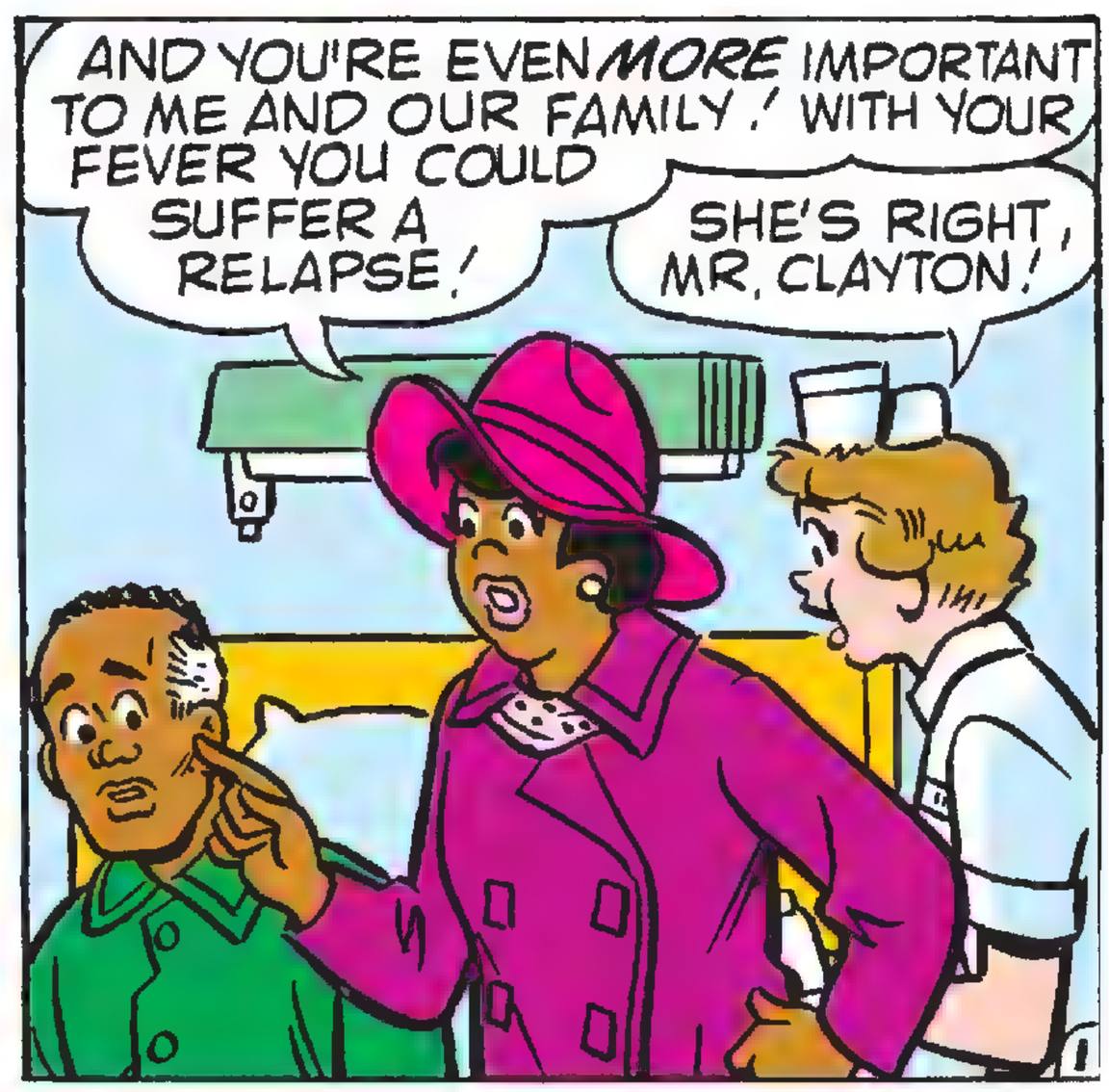
INSTEAD, YOU'LL WORK IN CLASSIFIEDS ON THE PHONES, TAKING ADS FOR THE PAPER! IT'LL BE YOUR PUNISHMENT!
NO KIDDING!!

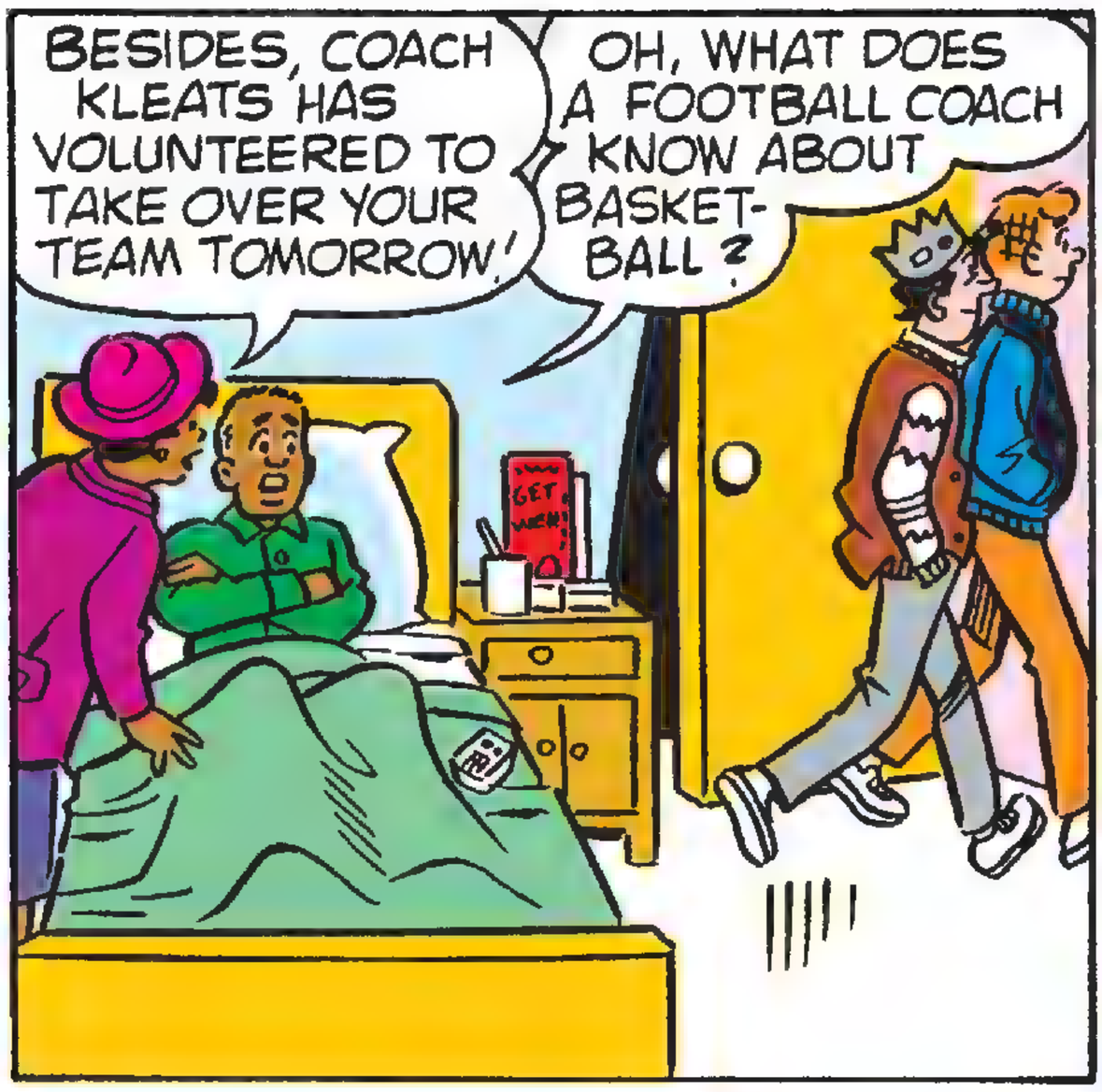

INSTEAD OF GIVING ABUSE, YOU'RE TAKING IT NOW, HUH?
(GO AWAY!) NONONONO...NOT YOU, SIR! NOW... THAT WAS A "HOBO" FOR SALE--?
NO, YOU NITWIT! AN OBOE!!
CLASSIFIEDS
END!

COACH CLAYTON IN "IT'S ALL IN THE FAMILY"

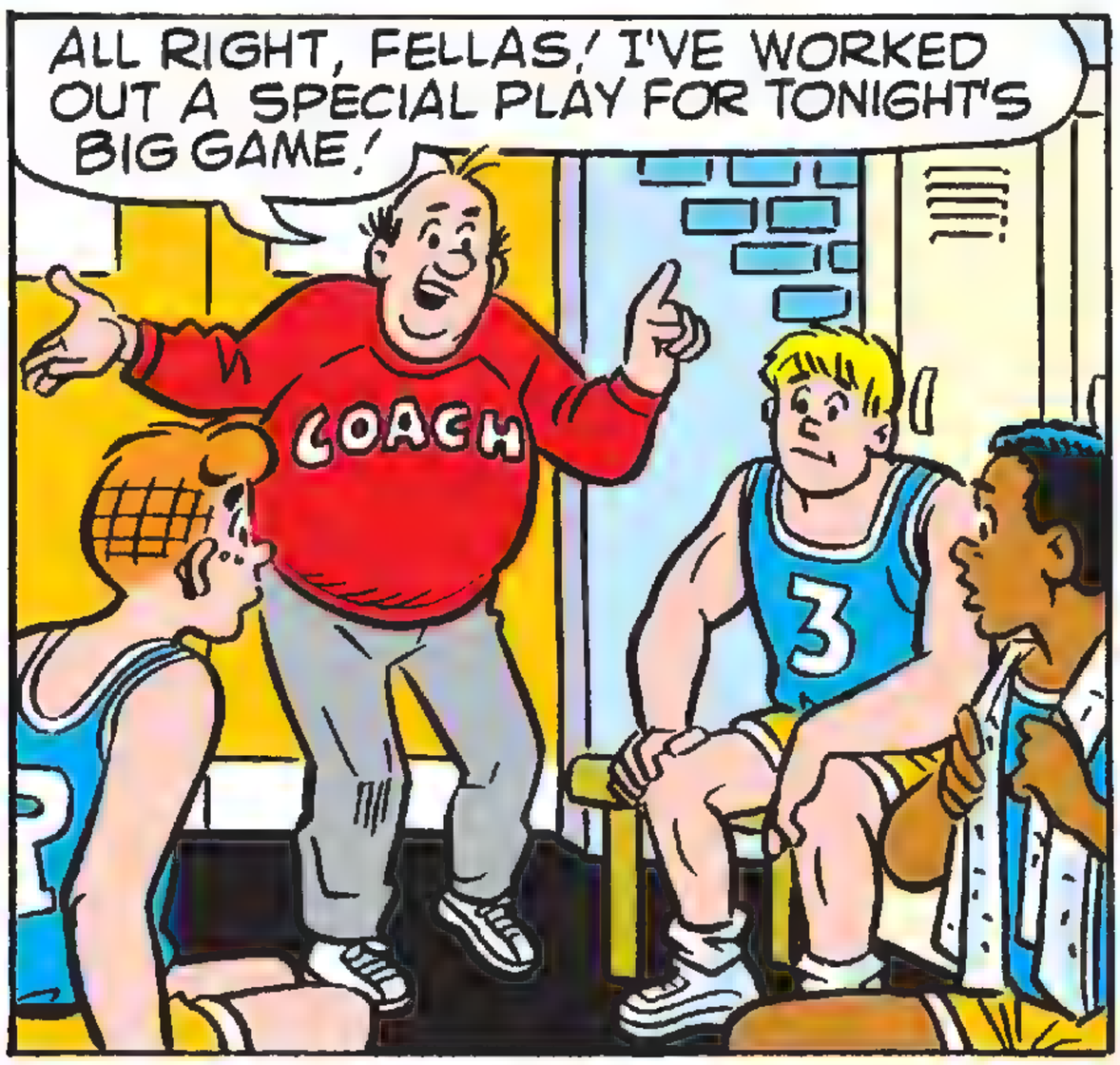
IF THEY GO INTO A ZONE DEFENSE I WANT YOU GUYS TO SPREAD THEM OUT BY...

OUT! OUT! EVERYBODY OUT! THIS IS A HOSPITAL, NOT A LOCKER ROOM!




BESIDES, COACH KLEATS HAS VOLUNTEERED TO TAKE OVER YOUR TEAM TOMORROW!
OH, WHAT DOES A FOOTBALL COACH KNOW ABOUT BASKET-BALL?

PROBABLY A LOT MORE THAN YOU GIVE HIM CREDIT FOR!
HMPF!


ALL RIGHT, FELLAS! I'VE WORKED OUT A SPECIAL PLAY FOR TONIGHT'S BIG GAME!
COACH
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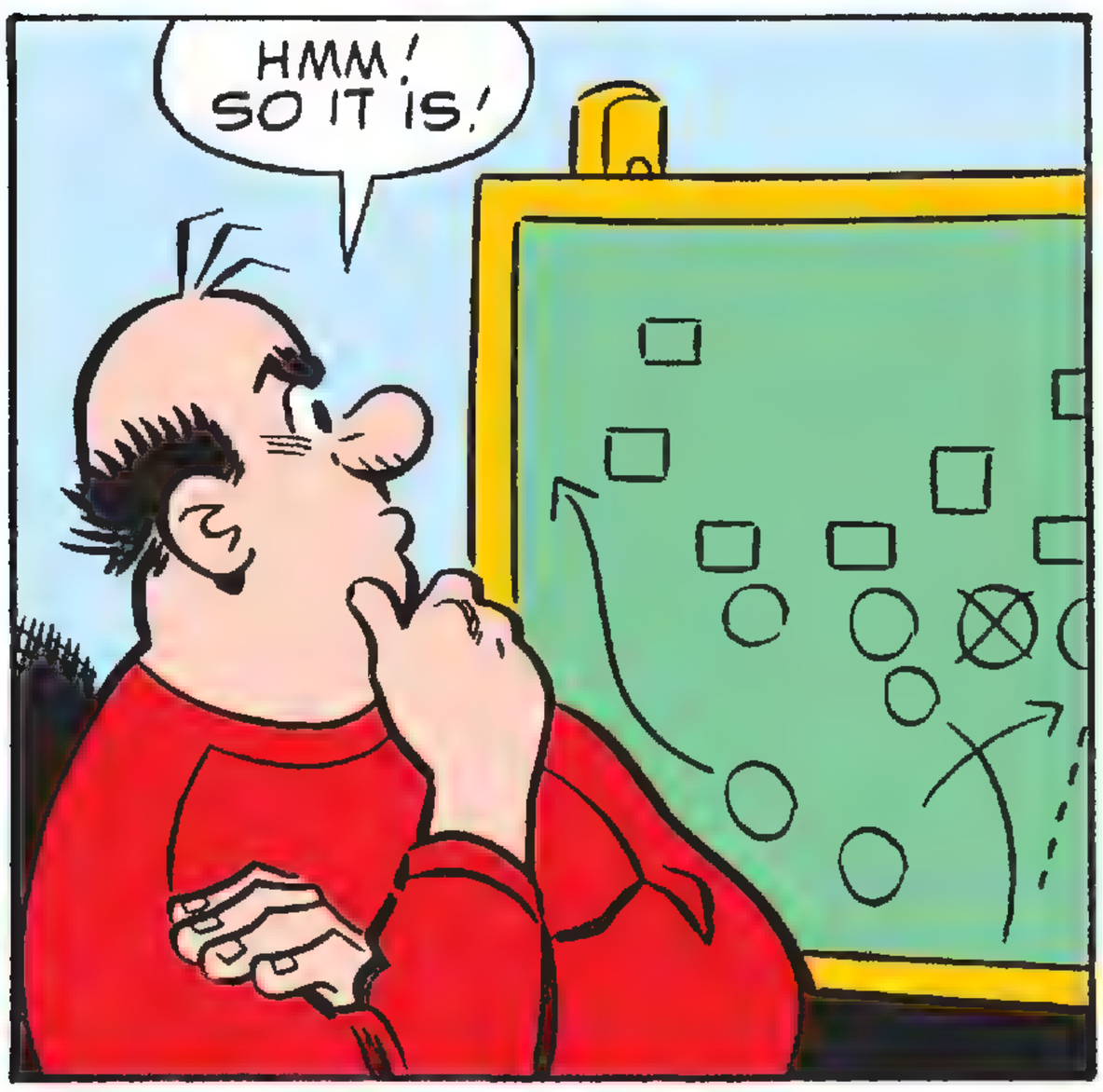
LET ME SET IT UP WHERE YOU CAN ALL SEE IT!
BUT, COACH! THAT'S A FOOTBALL PLAY!


HMM! SO IT IS!

HEY! NOT TO WORRY! JUST GO OUT THERE AND PLAY YOUR GAME! IT'LL ALL WORK OUT FOR THE BEST!
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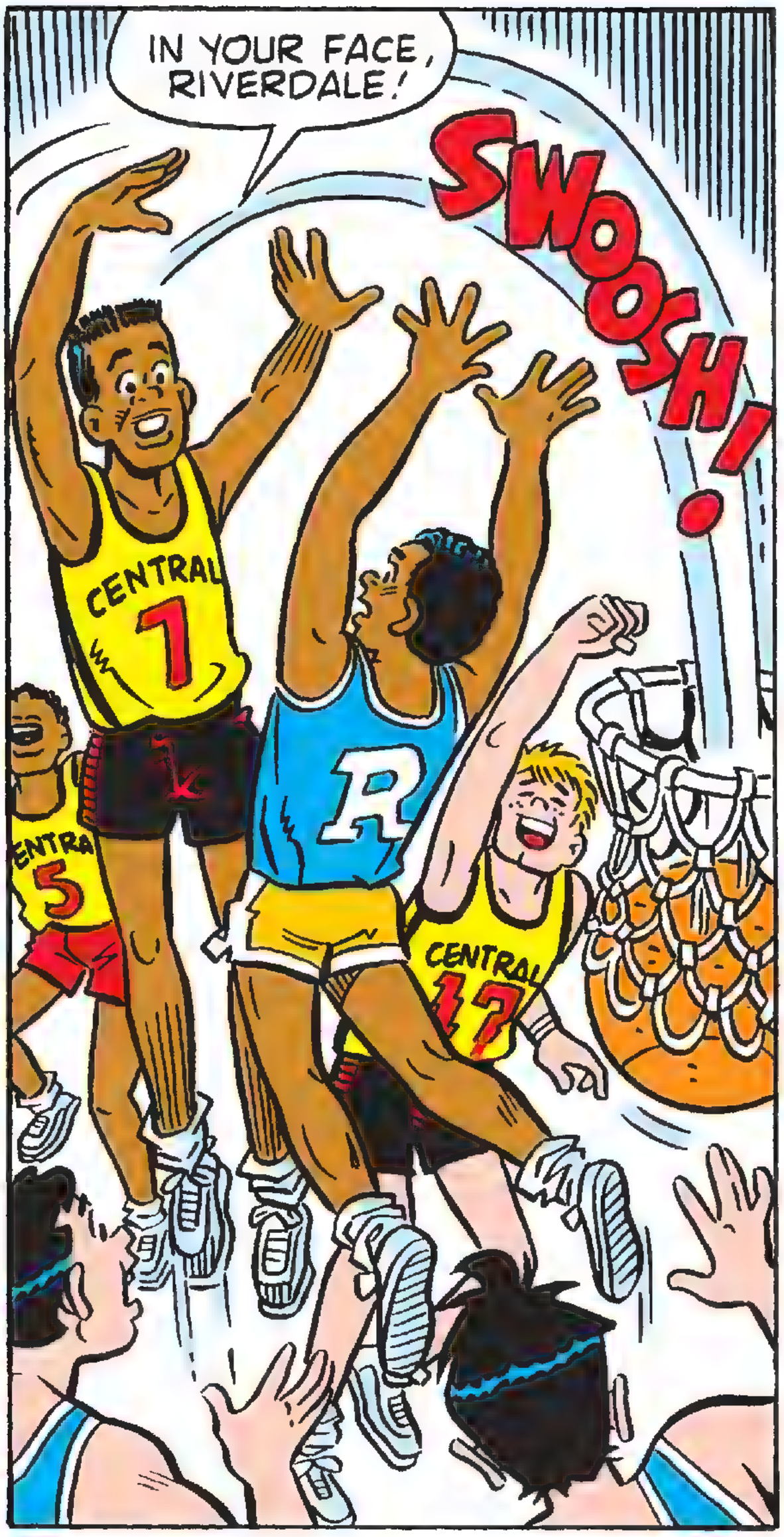
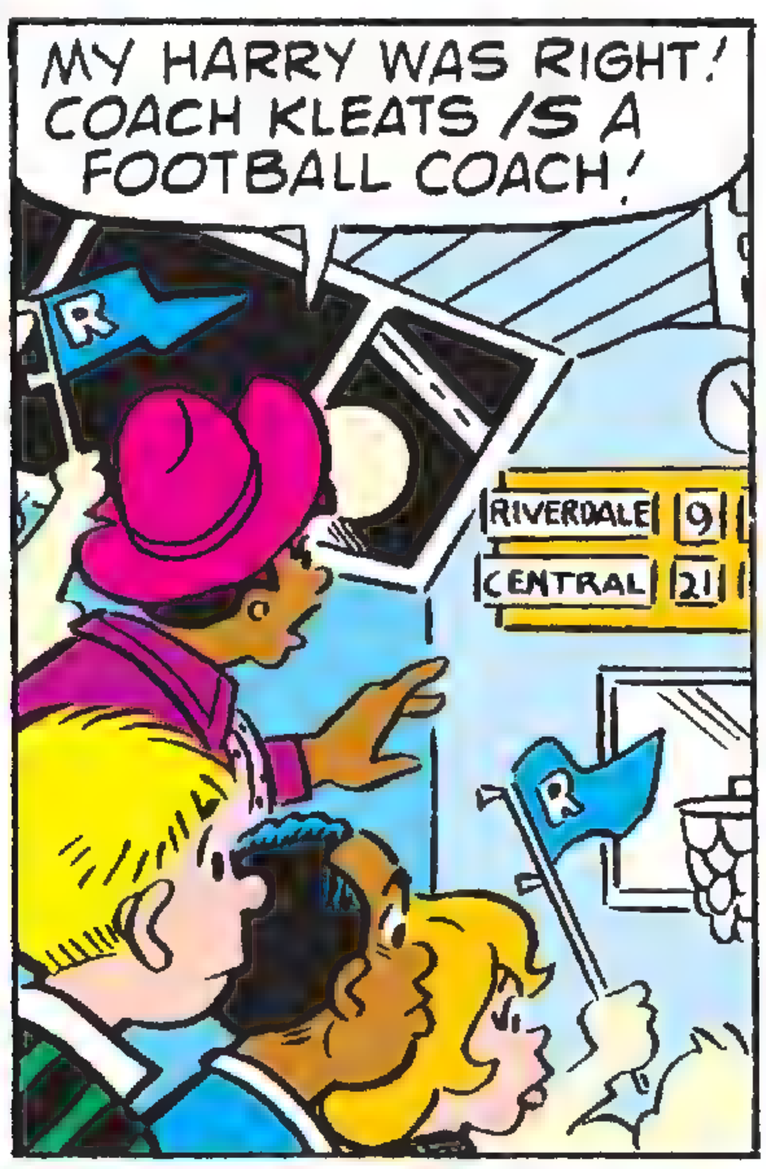

IN YOUR FACE, RIVERDALE!
SWOOSH!
CENTRAL 7
CENTRAL 5
R
CENTRAL 17

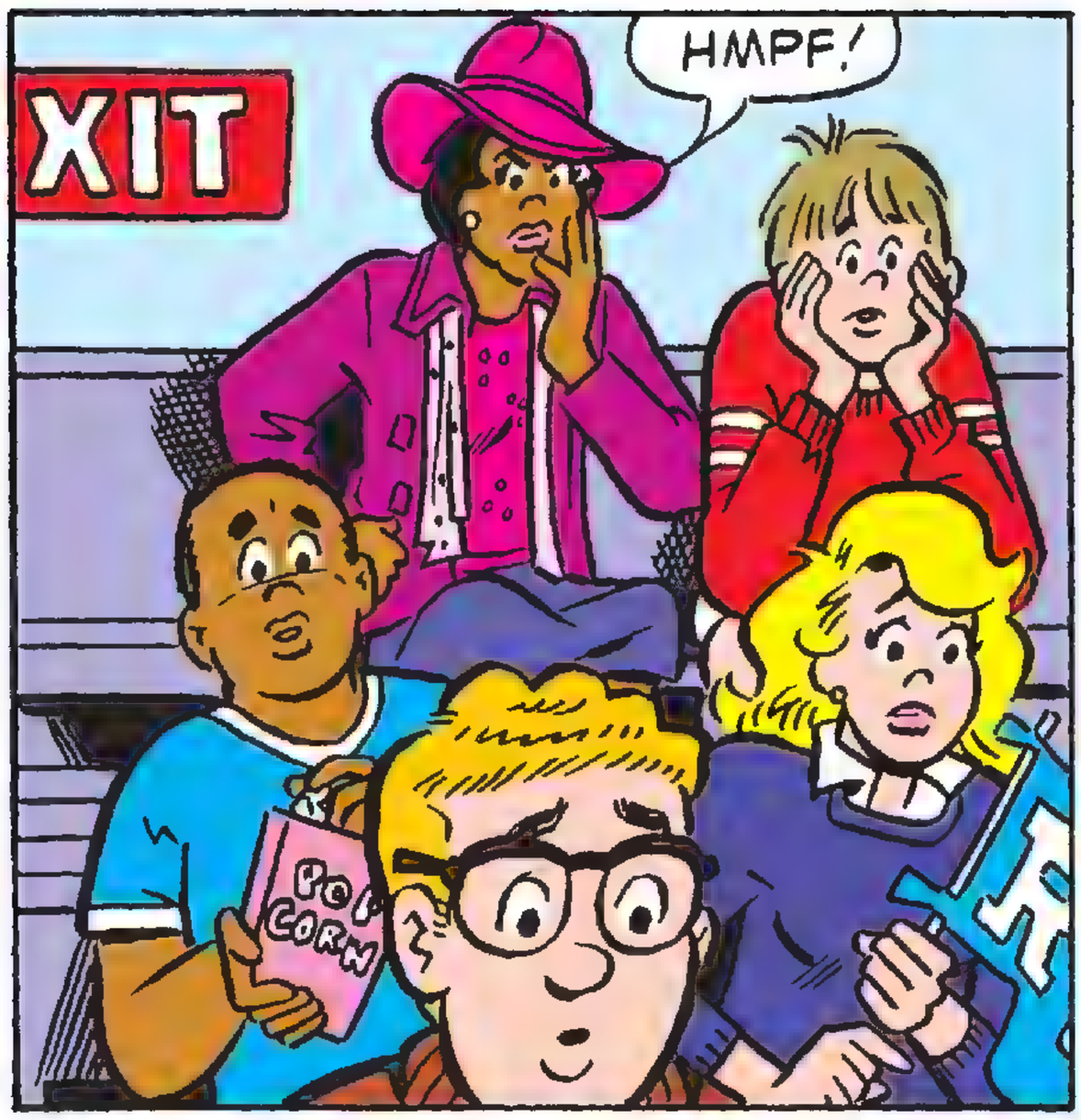
YOU GUYS CAN'T BE THE VARSITY! YOU MUST BE THE JAYVEES!
SLAM!

CENTRAL JUMPS OFF TO A QUICK 12 TO 0 LEAD! RIVERDALE SEEMS HELPLESS AND HOPELESS!
GOOD GRIEF! THEY'RE REALLY GIVING IT TO US!


MY HARRY WAS RIGHT! COACH KLEATS IS A FOOTBALL COACH!
R
RIVERDALE 9
CENTRAL 21
R

THEY'RE KILLING US WITH THEIR TRANSITION GAME!... KEEP THOSE GUARDS BACK!
R

HEY, LADY! IF YOU KNOW SO MUCH, HOW COME YOU'RE NOT COACHING?
EXIT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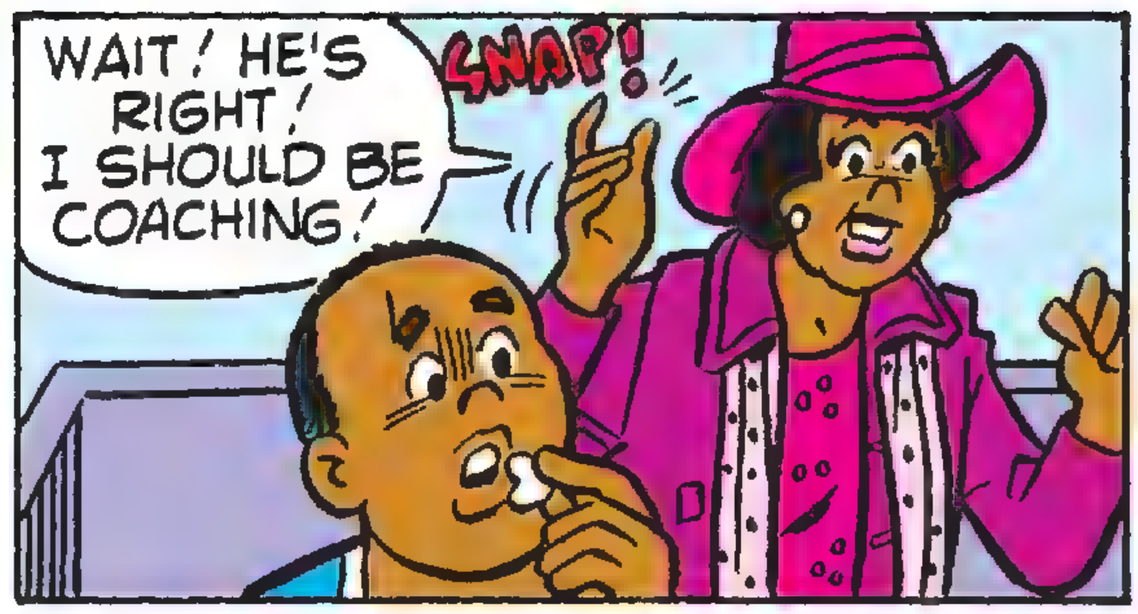
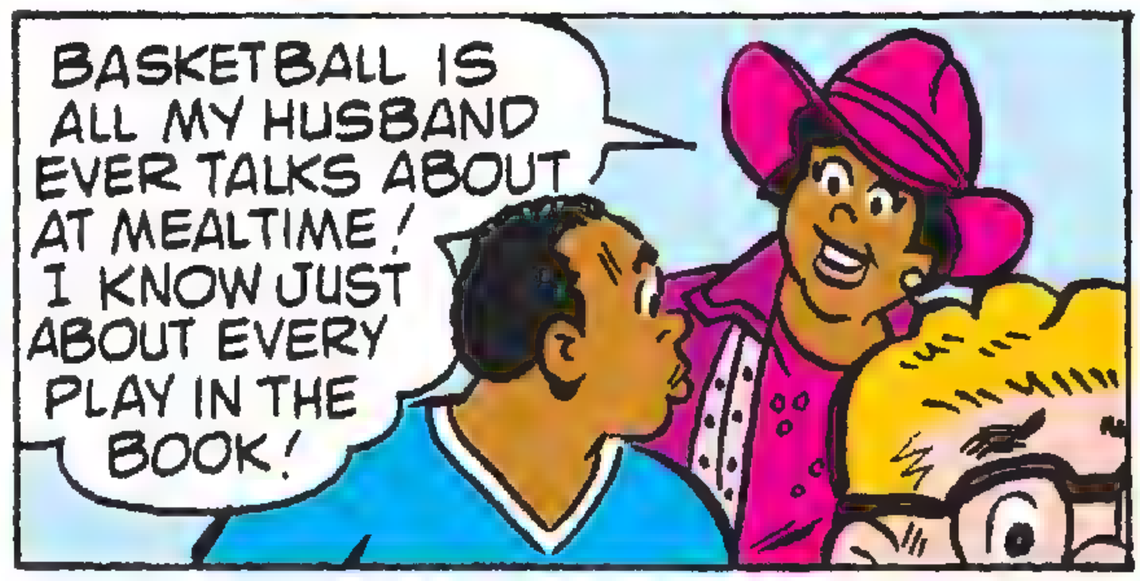
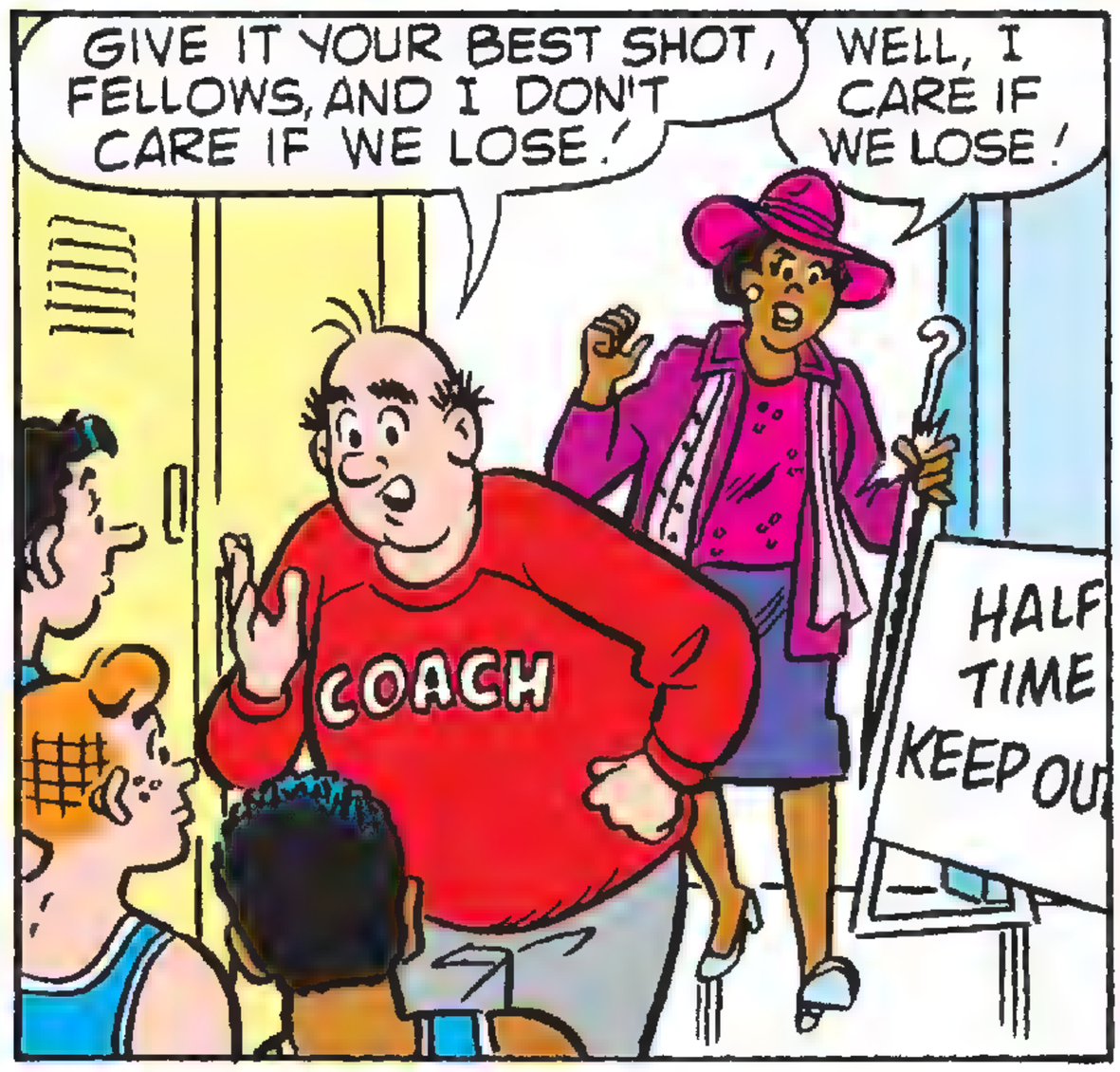
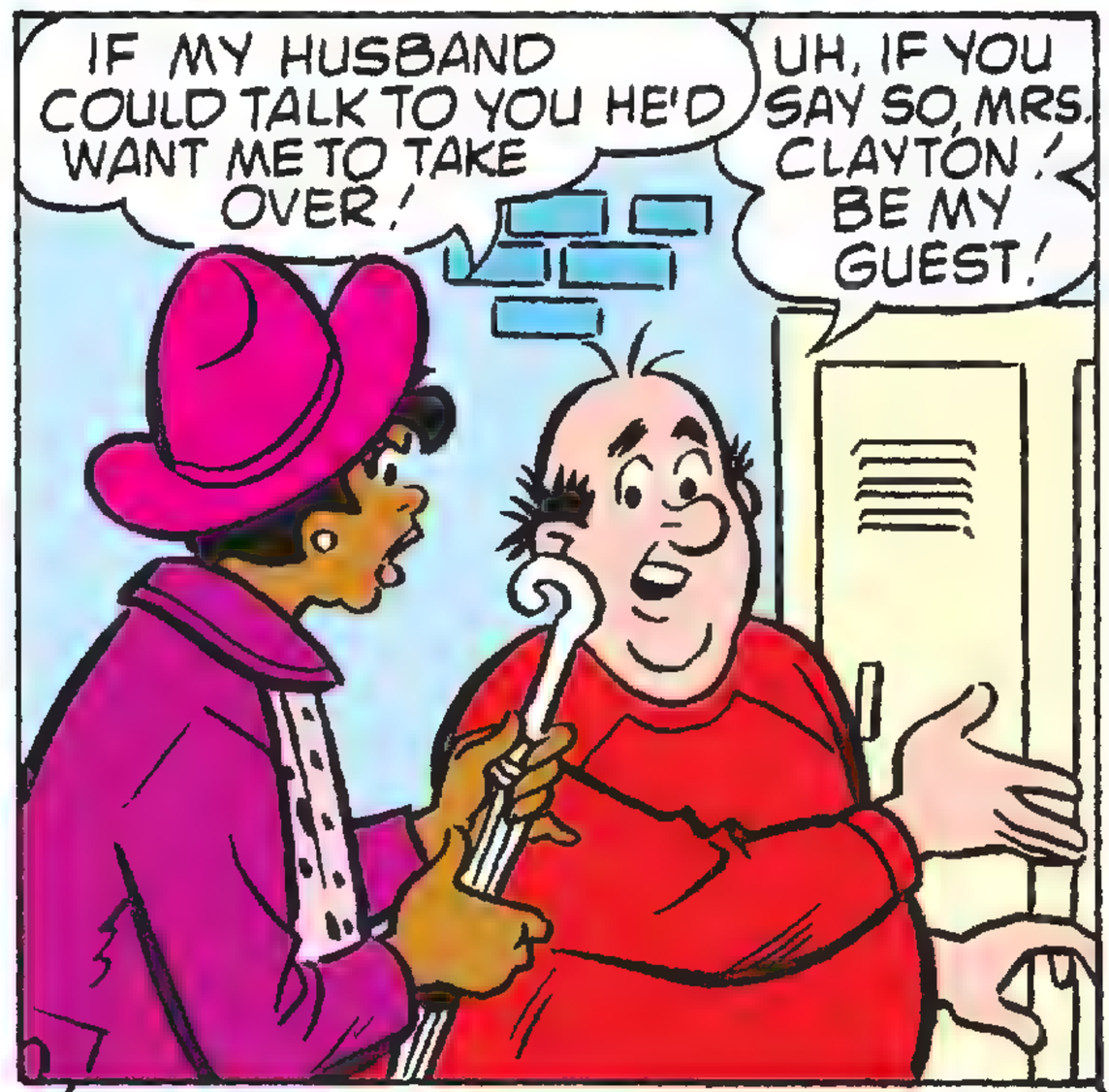
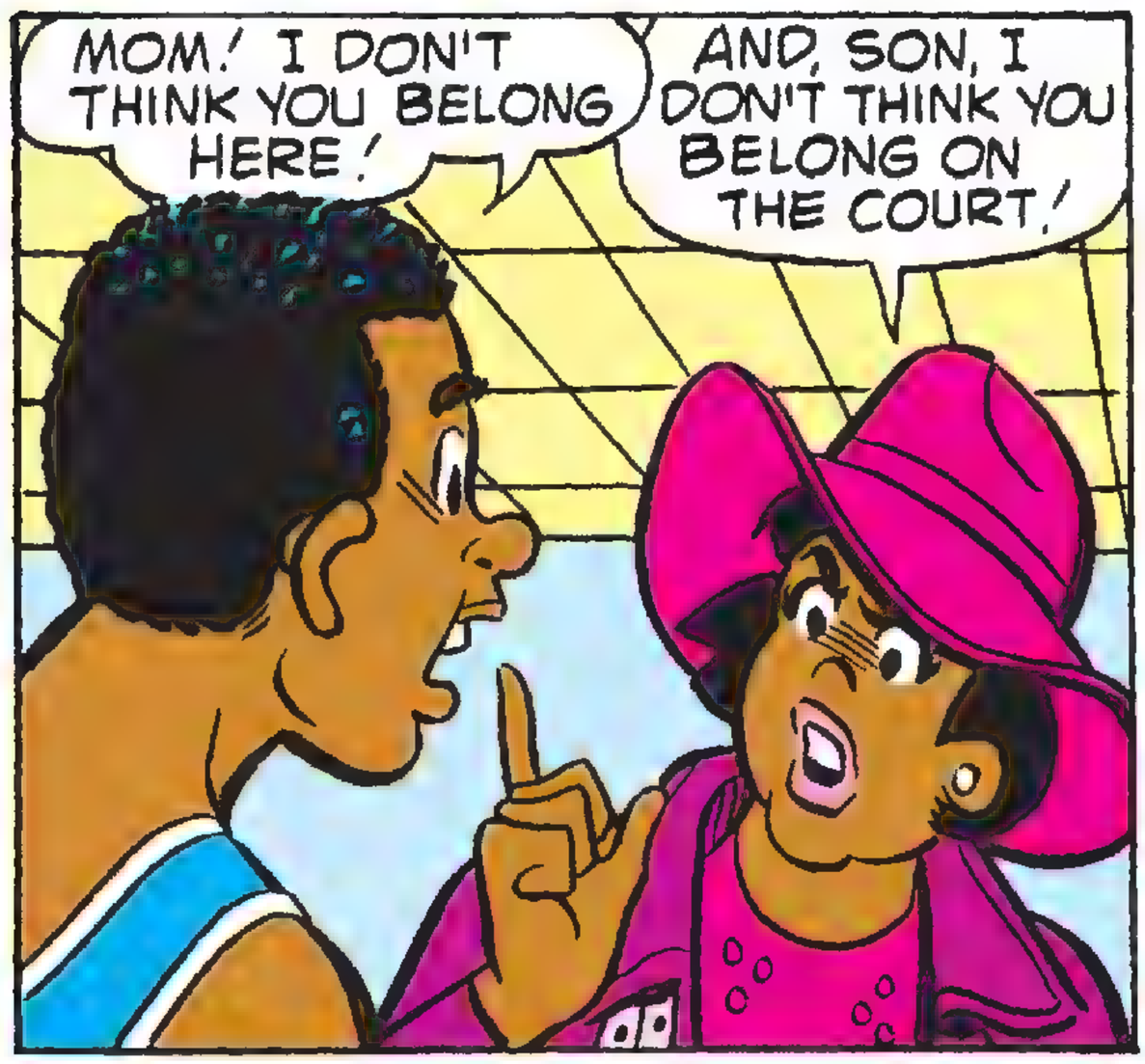
HMPF!
POP CORN


WAIT! HE'S RIGHT! I SHOULD BE COACHING!
SNAP!


BASKETBALL IS ALL MY HUSBAND EVER TALKS ABOUT AT MEALTIME! I KNOW JUST ABOUT EVERY PLAY IN THE BOOK!


GIVE IT YOUR BEST SHOT, FELLOWS, AND I DON'T CARE IF WE LOSE!
WELL, I CARE IF WE LOSE!
COACH
HALF TIME
KEEP OUT


IF MY HUSBAND COULD TALK TO YOU HE'D WANT ME TO TAKE OVER!
UH, IF YOU SAY SO, MRS. CLAYTON! BE MY GUEST!


MOM! I DON'T THINK YOU BELONG HERE!
AND, SON, I DON'T THINK YOU BELONG ON THE COURT!

...IF YOU DON'T DO A BETTER JOB OF GUARDING YOUR MAN, I'M GROUNDING YOU FOR A WEEK!
GULP!
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ARCHIE! YOU'RE NOT FAST-BREAKING THE WAY MY HUSBAND WOULD WANT YOU TO!

REGGIE! YOU'RE NOT HAND-CHECKING THEIR GUARD WHEN HE BRINGS DOWN THE BALL!

AND FOR CRYING OUT LOUD, MOOSE, WATCH THOSE TURNOVERS! *KEEP THE BALL UP!*

FOLKS, THIS IS A DIFFERENT RIVERDALE TEAM IN THE SECOND HALF!

...AND I THINK IT HAS SOMETHING TO DO WITH *MRS. CLAYTON* TAKING OVER AS COACH!

WHA?!

RIVERDALE SCORES AT THE BUZZER! WE GO INTO OVERTIME!

THIS IS WHERE WE'VE GOT TO DIG DOWN REAL DEEP FOR SOMETHING ELSE!

...AND TO HELP YOU DIG REAL DEEP, I'LL BAKE PECAN PIES FOR THE TEAM IF WE WIN!

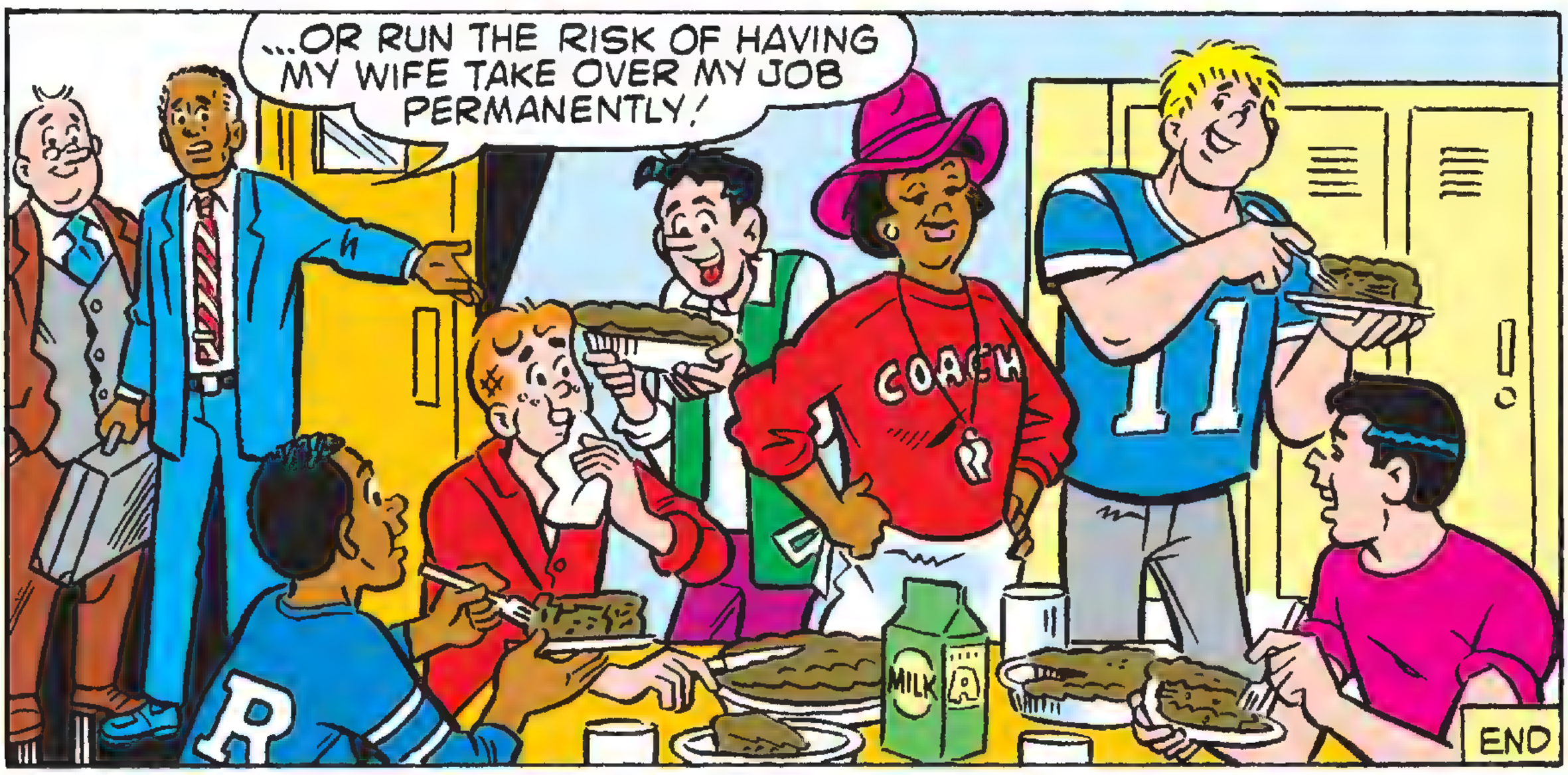
PECAN PIES!!

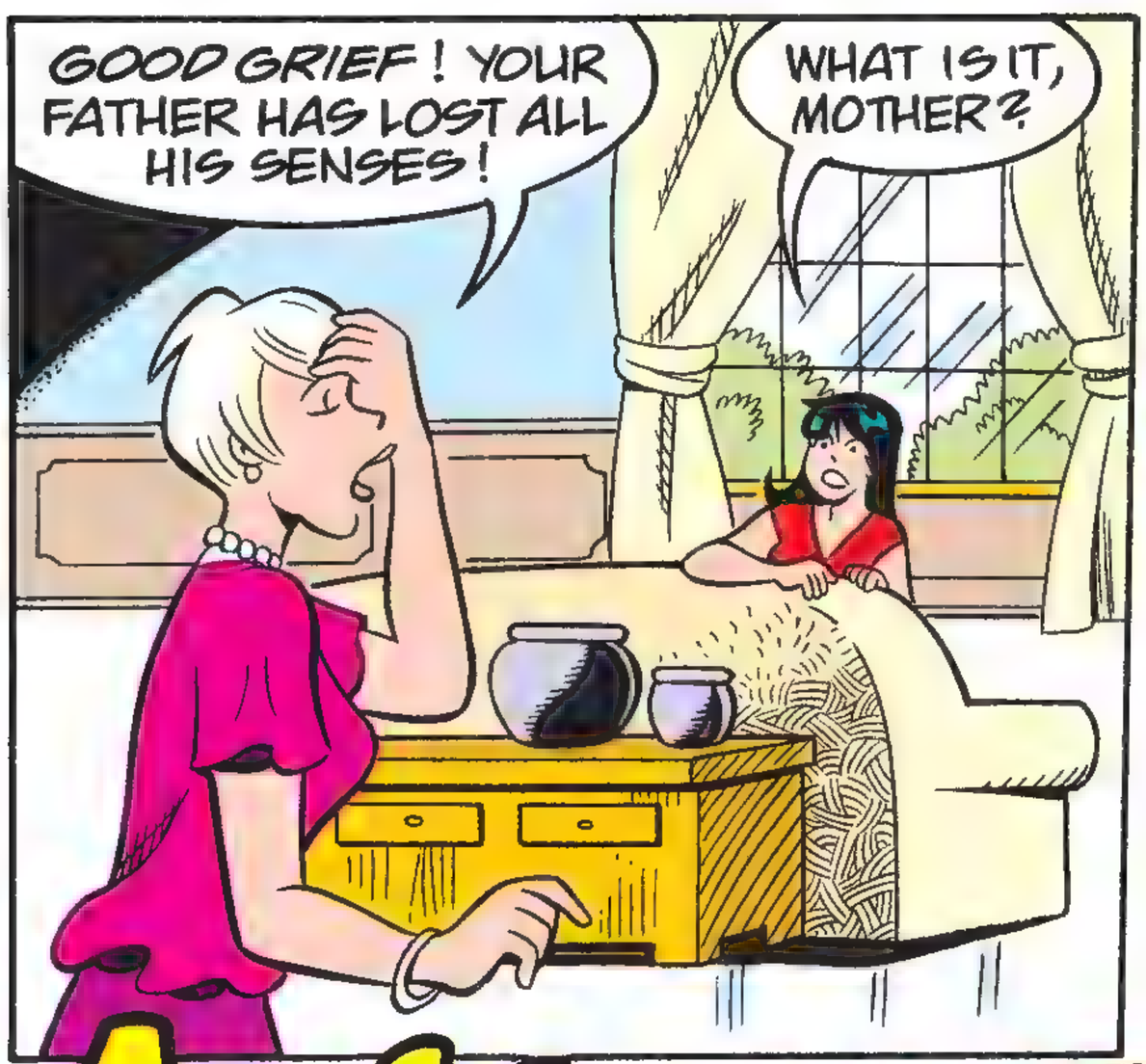
WITH SECONDS TO GO, ARCHIE BREAKS THROUGH FOR A GAME WINNING BASKET!

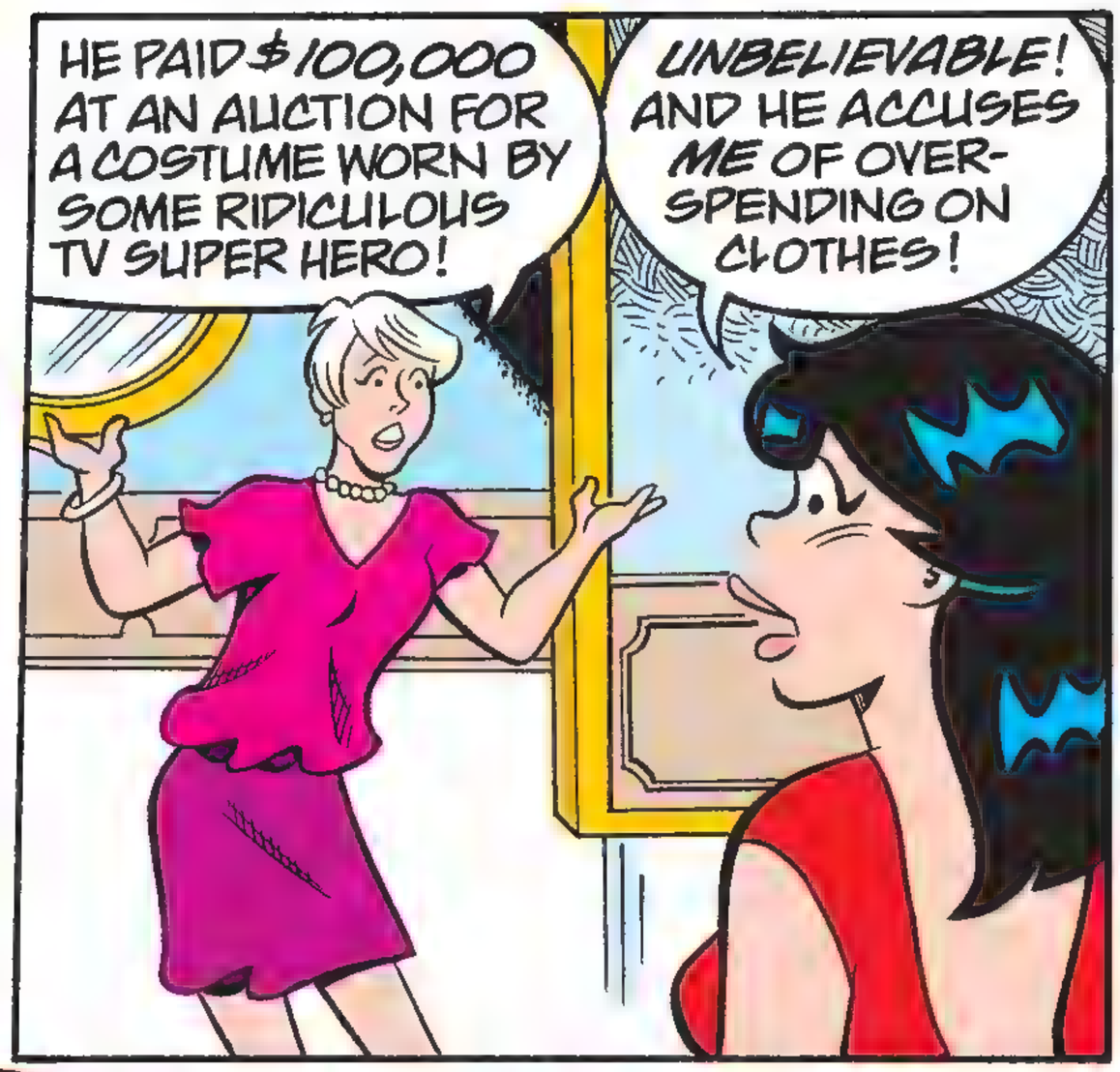
RIVERDALE WINS! PANDEMONIUM BREAKS LOOSE!

WELCOME BACK, COACH!
GLAD TO BE BACK!

THE DOCTOR TELLS ME YOU MADE A RAPID RECOVERY!
I HAD TO...


...OR RUN THE RISK OF HAVING MY WIFE TAKE OVER MY JOB PERMANENTLY!
COACH
MILK
END





Archie & Friends in "The Costume"

YOU TWO JUST DON'T UNDERSTAND!

...WHEN I PUT ON THIS COSTUME, I ALMOST FEEL LIKE I'M MY BOYHOOD COMIC BOOK HERO... CAPTAIN DYNAMIC!

DADDY, WE ALL HAVE OUR FANTASIES...

...BUT ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS?!!

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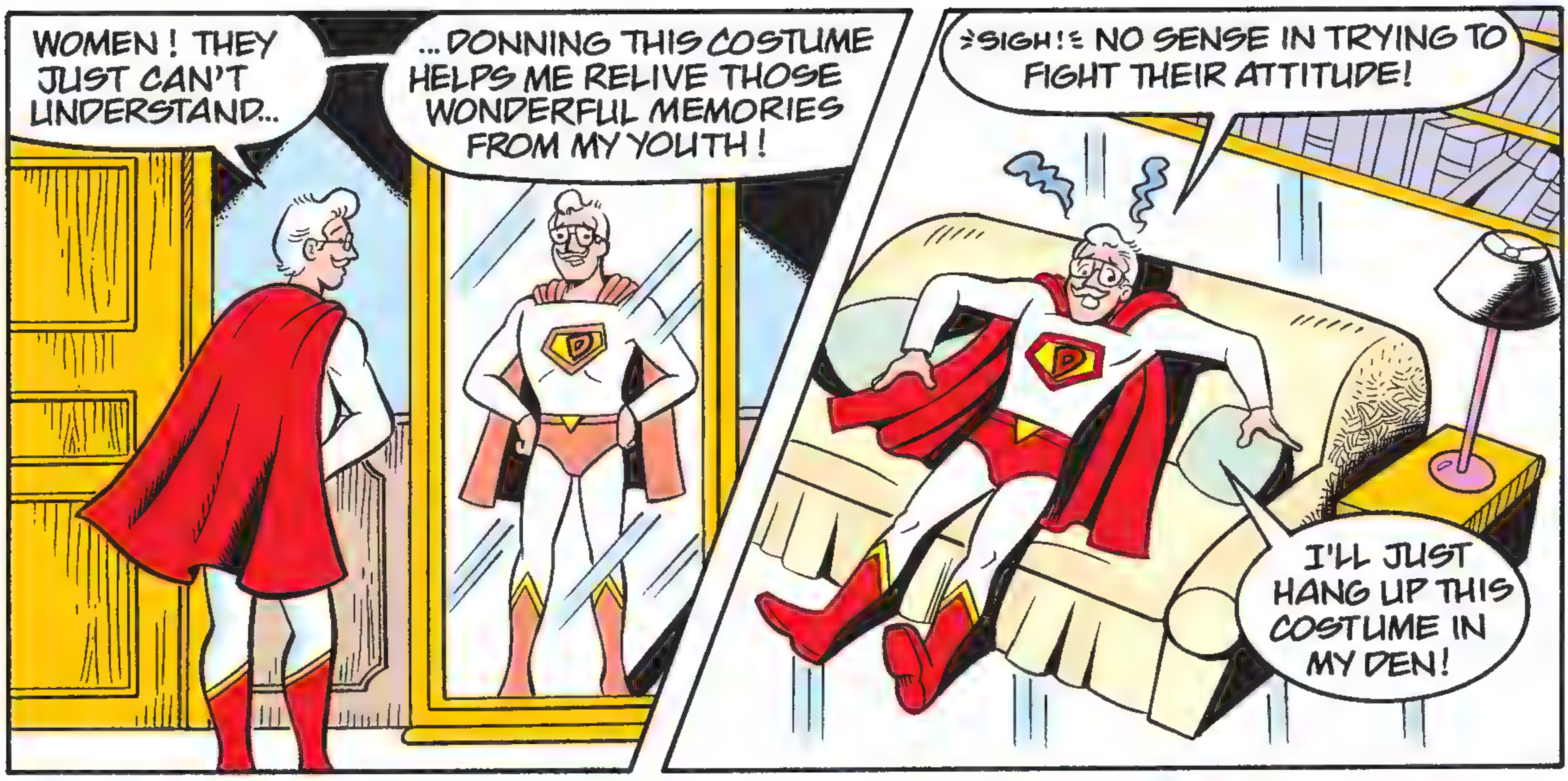
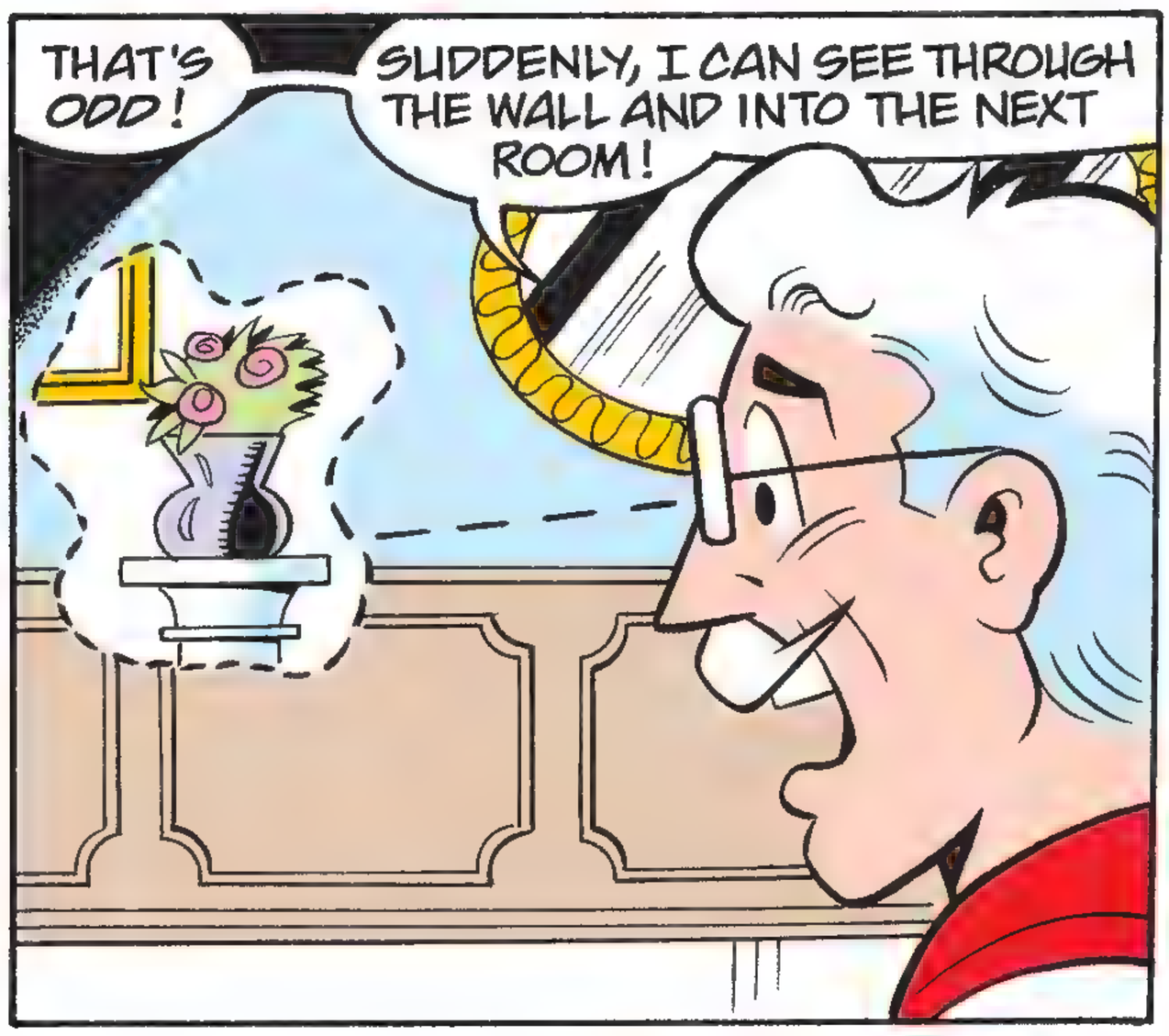
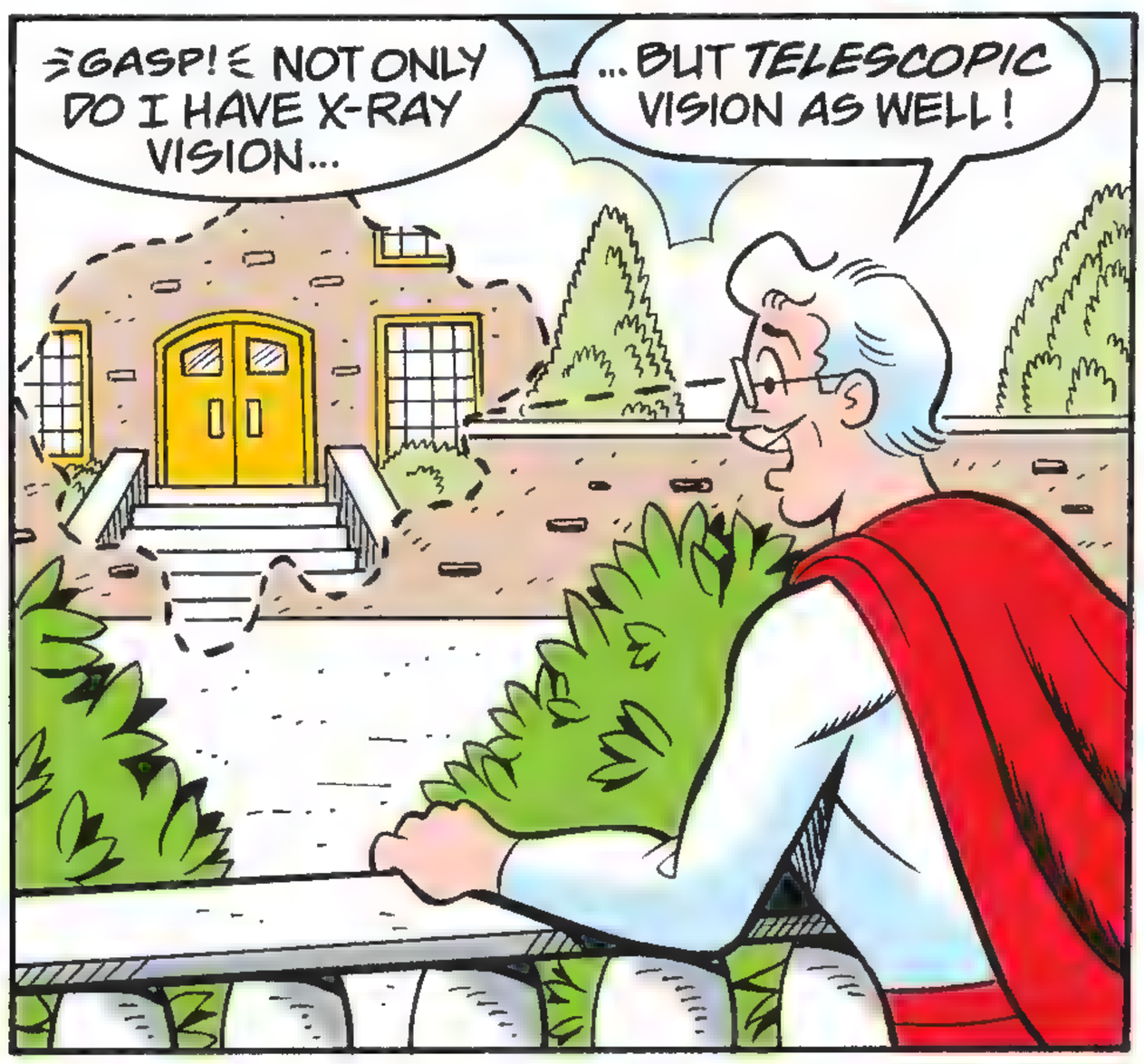
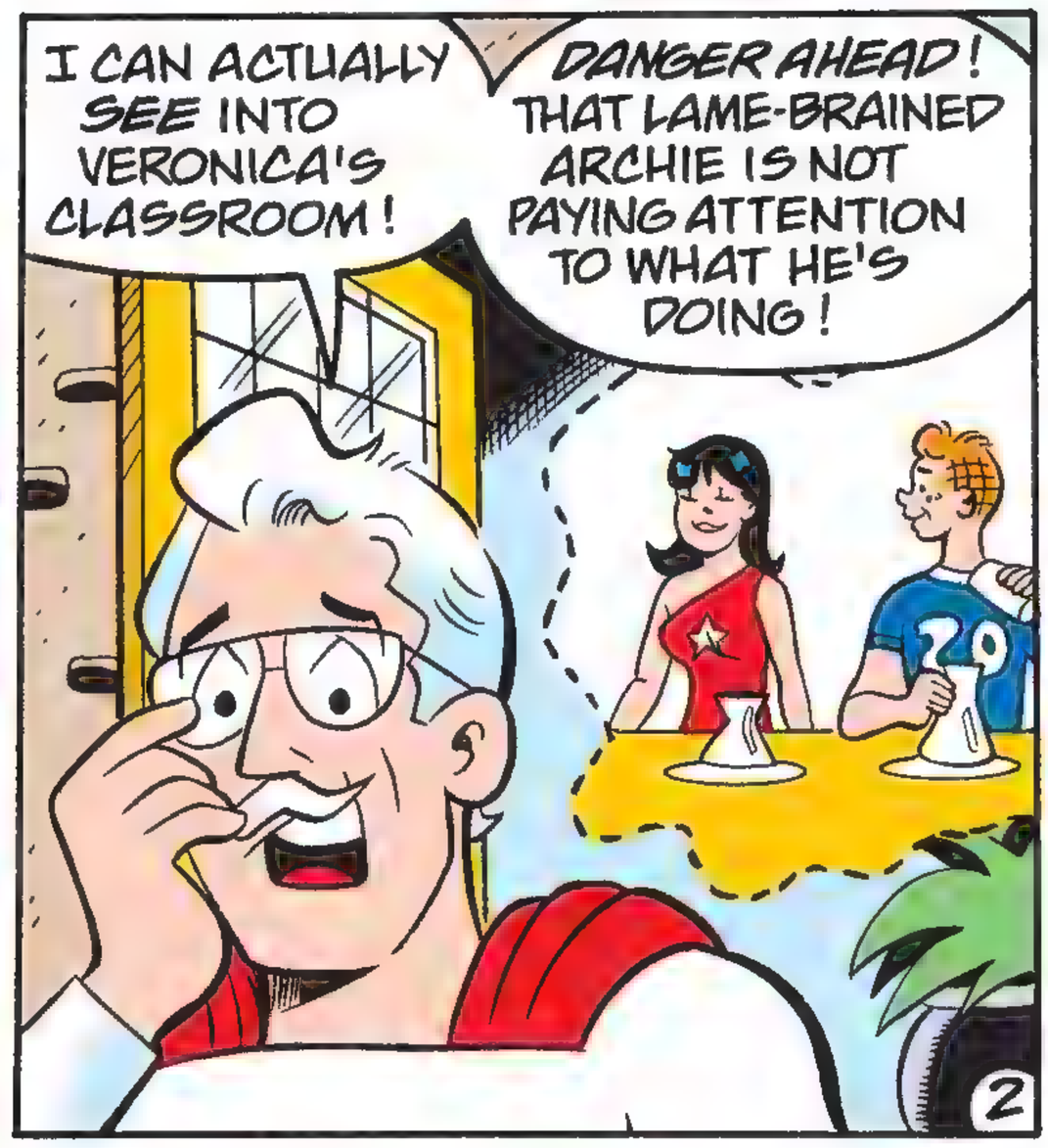
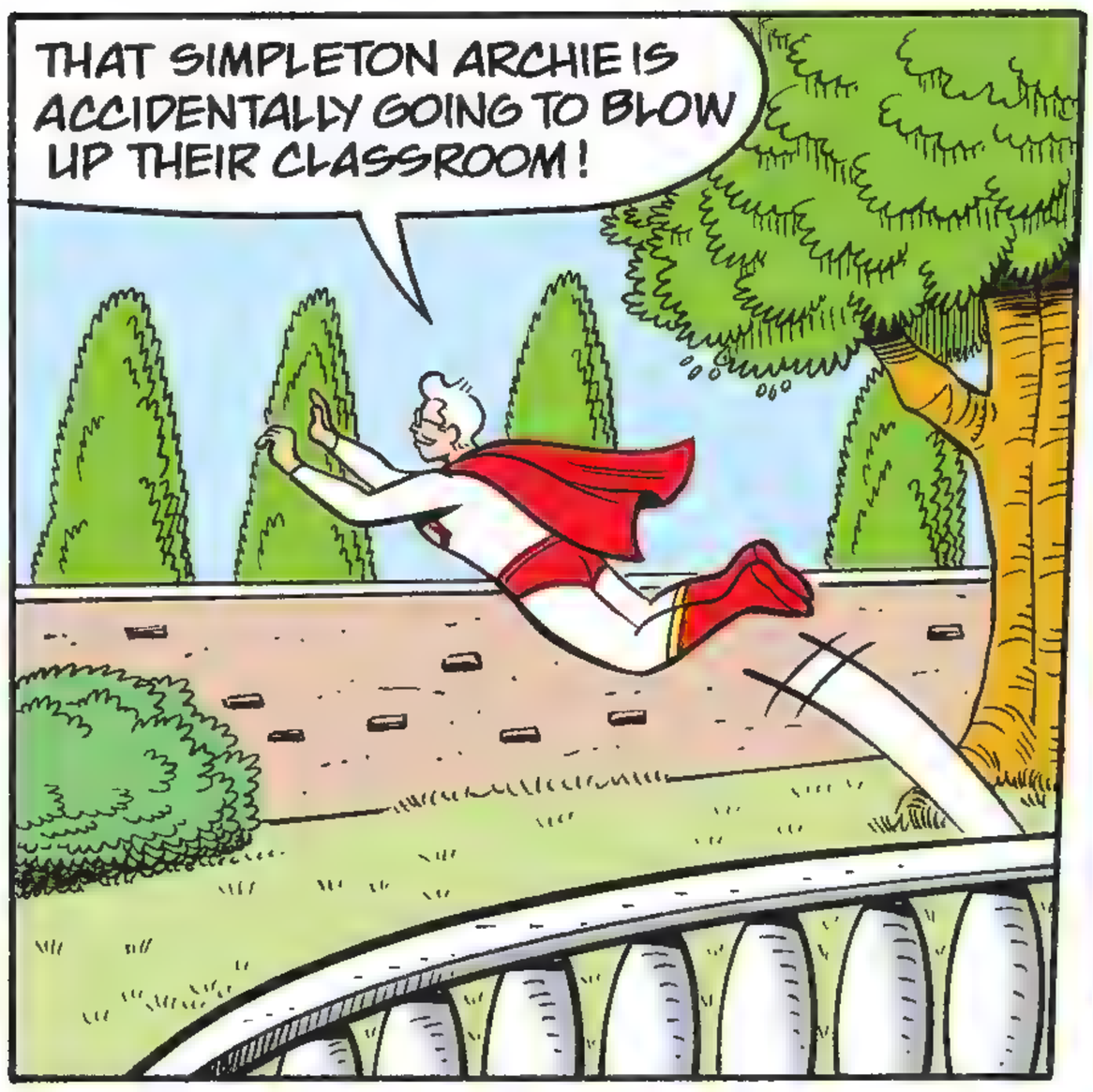

WOMEN! THEY JUST CAN'T UNDERSTAND...
...DONNING THIS COSTUME HELPS ME RELIVE THOSE WONDERFUL MEMORIES FROM MY YOUTH!
≥SIGH!≤ NO SENSE IN TRYING TO FIGHT THEIR ATTITUDE!
I'LL JUST HANG UP THIS COSTUME IN MY DEN!

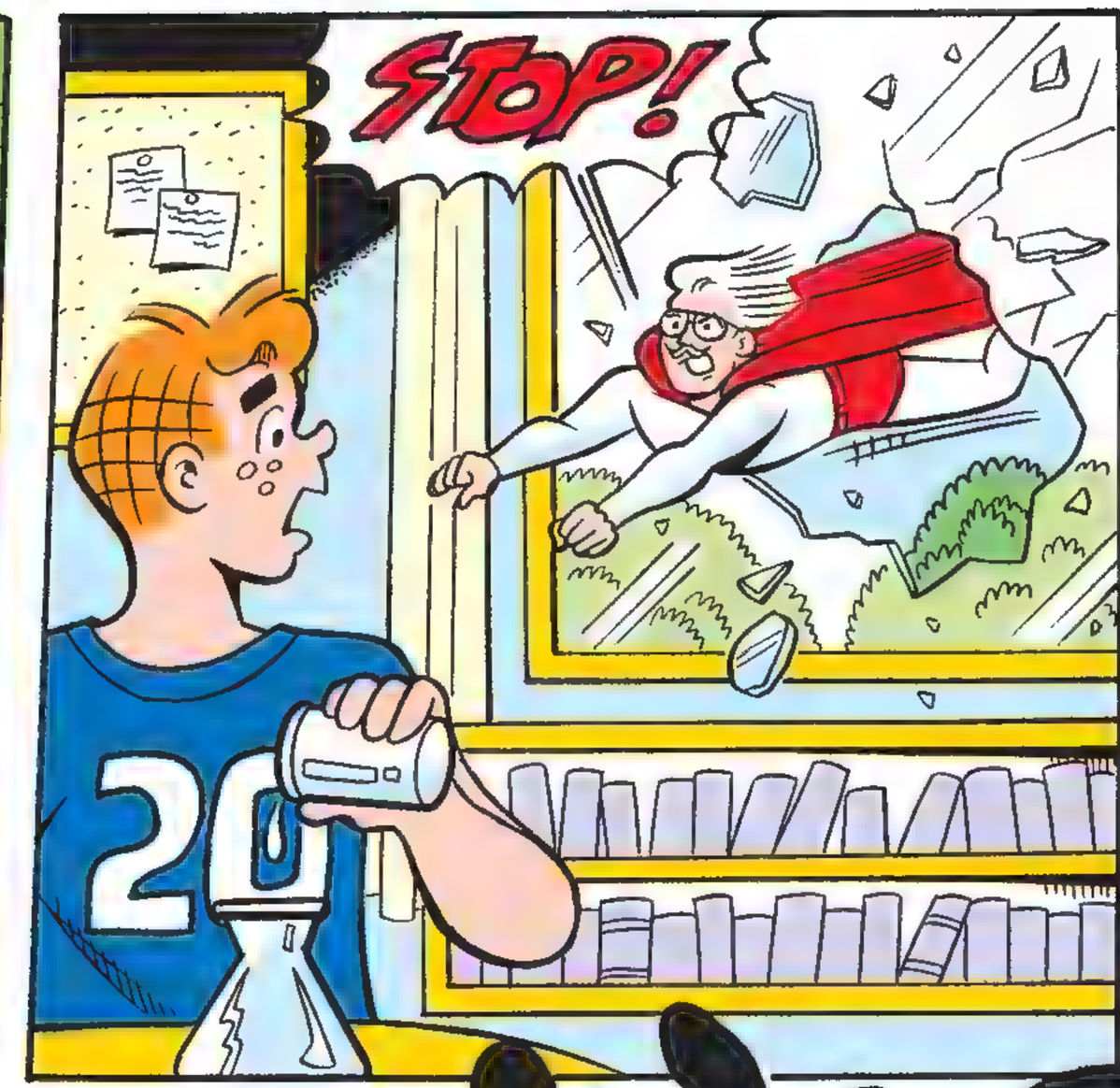

THAT'S ODD!
SUDDENLY, I CAN SEE THROUGH THE WALL AND INTO THE NEXT ROOM!

...AM I LOSING MY GRIP ON REALITY?
...OR IS THIS COSTUME ACTUALLY GIVING ME CAPTAIN DYNAMIC'S POWERS?!


≥GASP!≤ NOT ONLY DO I HAVE X-RAY VISION...
...BUT TELESCOPIC VISION AS WELL!

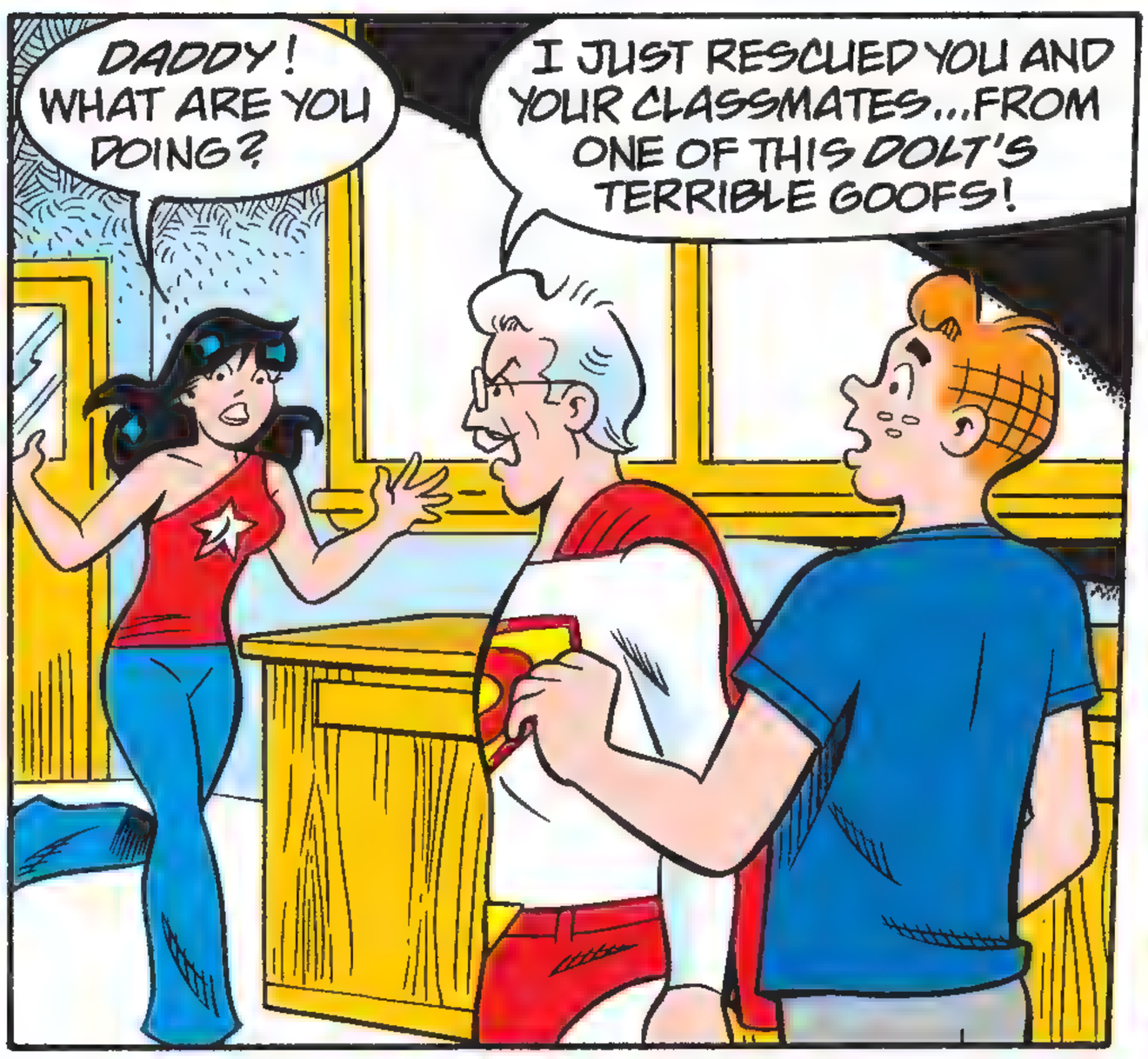

I CAN ACTUALLY SEE INTO VERONICA'S CLASSROOM!
DANGER AHEAD! THAT LAME-BRAINED ARCHIE IS NOT PAYING ATTENTION TO WHAT HE'S DOING!


THAT SIMPLETON ARCHIE IS ACCIDENTALLY GOING TO BLOW UP THEIR CLASSROOM!


STOP!

DP

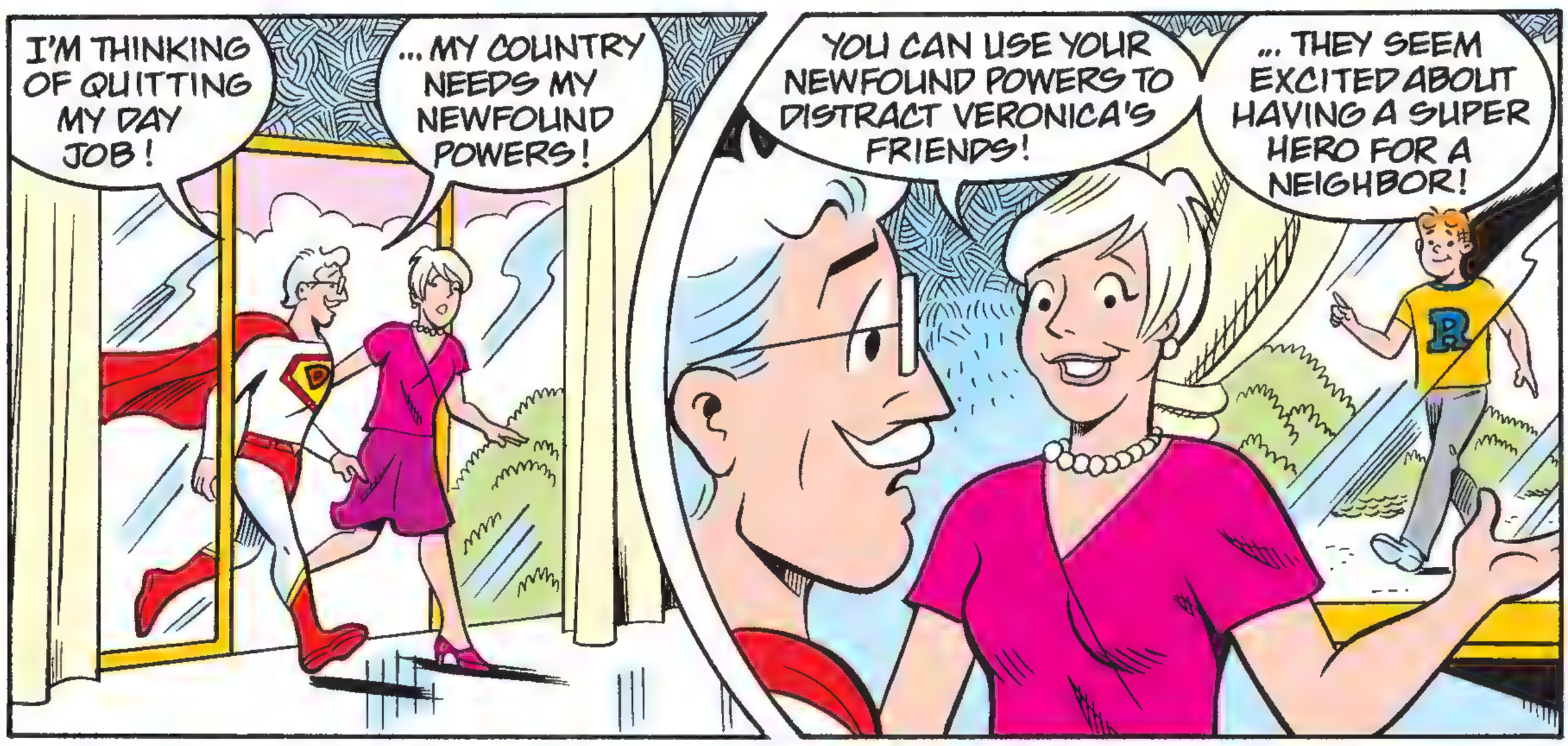
KA-BOOM

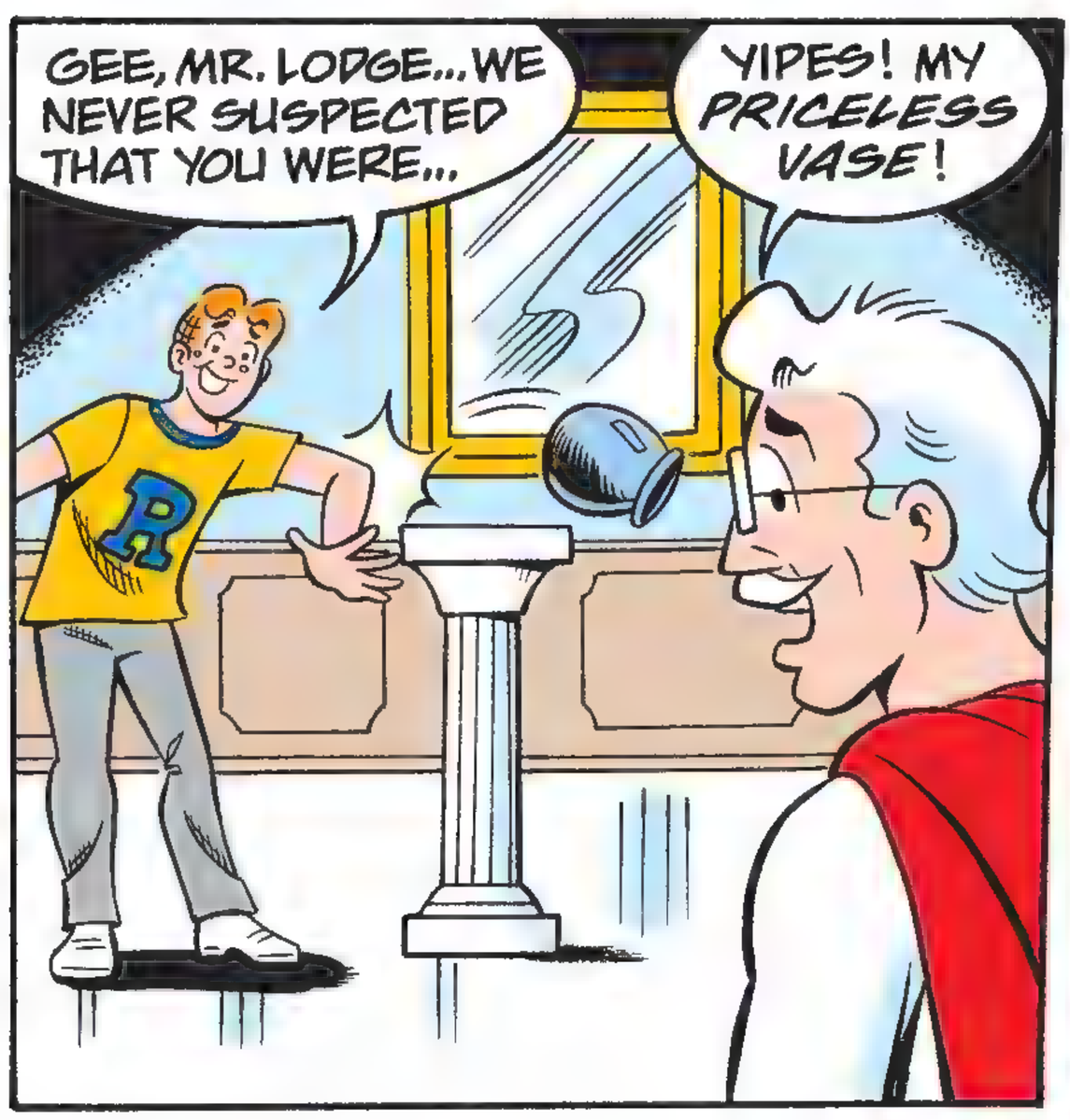

DADDY! WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
I JUST RESCUED YOU AND YOUR CLASSMATES...FROM ONE OF THIS DOLT'S TERRIBLE GOOFS!

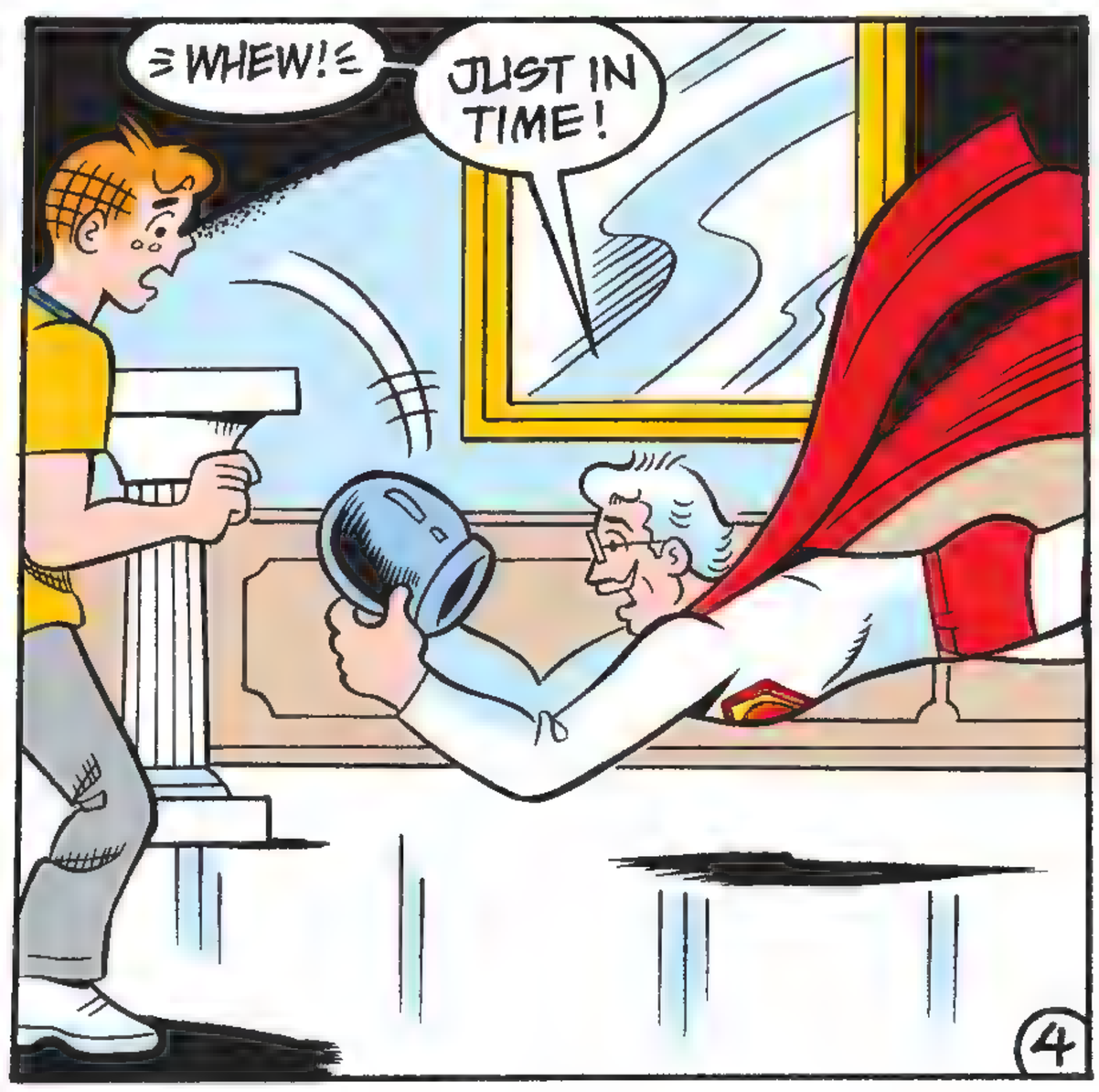
WOW! I HAD NO IDEA YOUR DAD WAS CAPTAIN DYNAMO!
NEITHER DID HE...UNTIL TODAY!

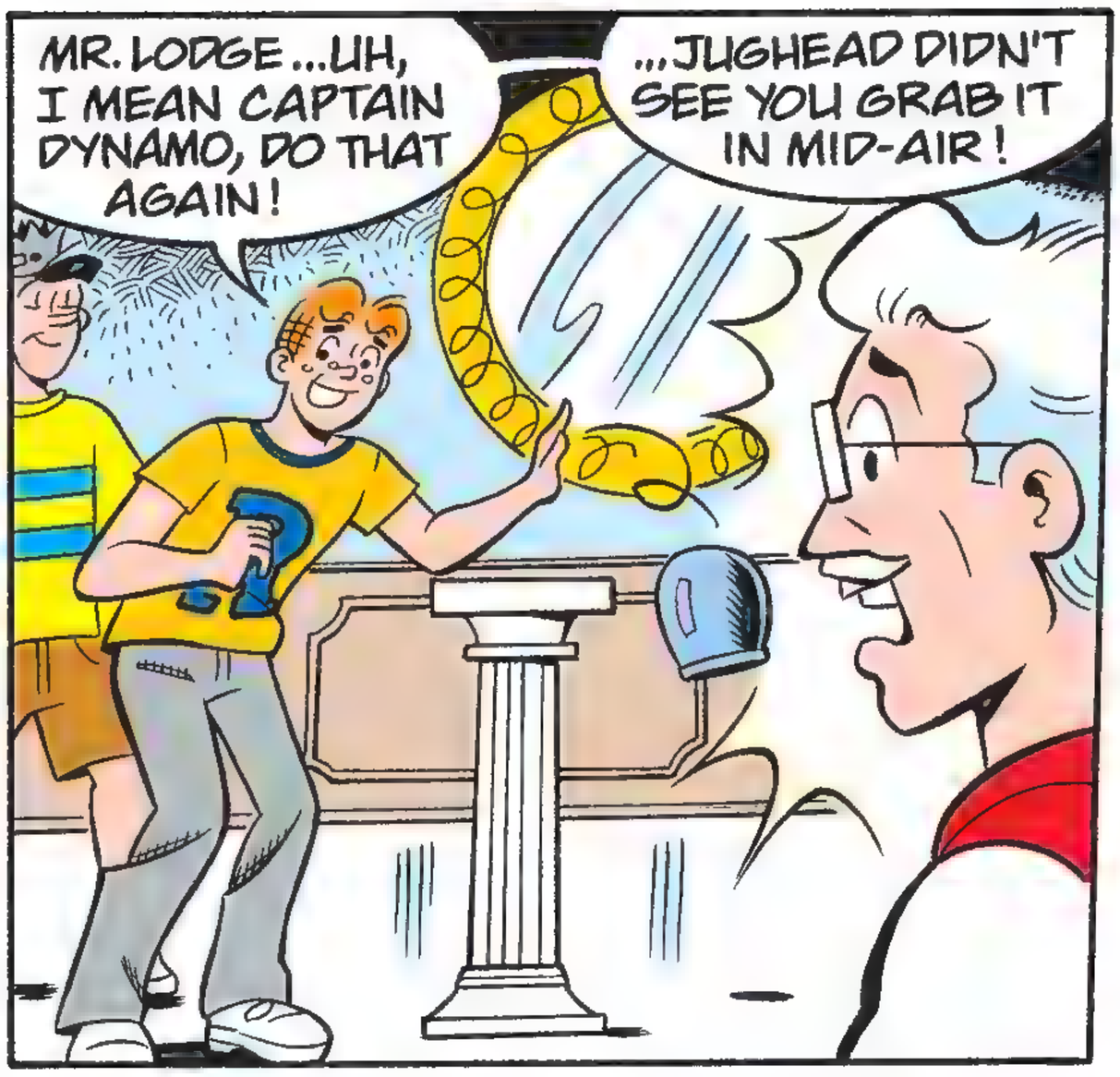
HIRAM, WHAT ARE YOU DOING UP THERE?
COME DOWN AT ONCE!

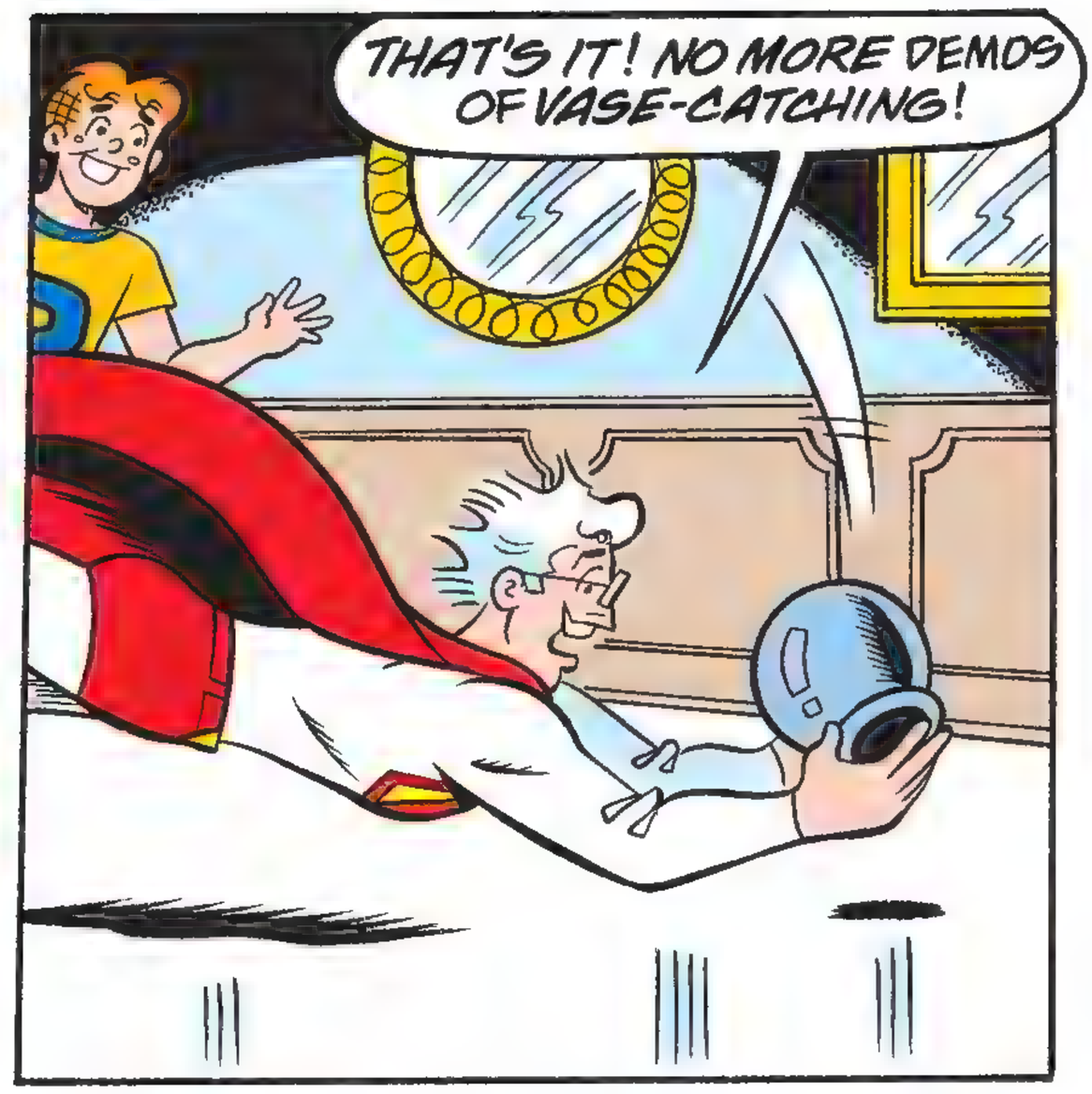
OOPS!
I'VE GOT TO LEARN TO MAKE A SOFTER LANDING!

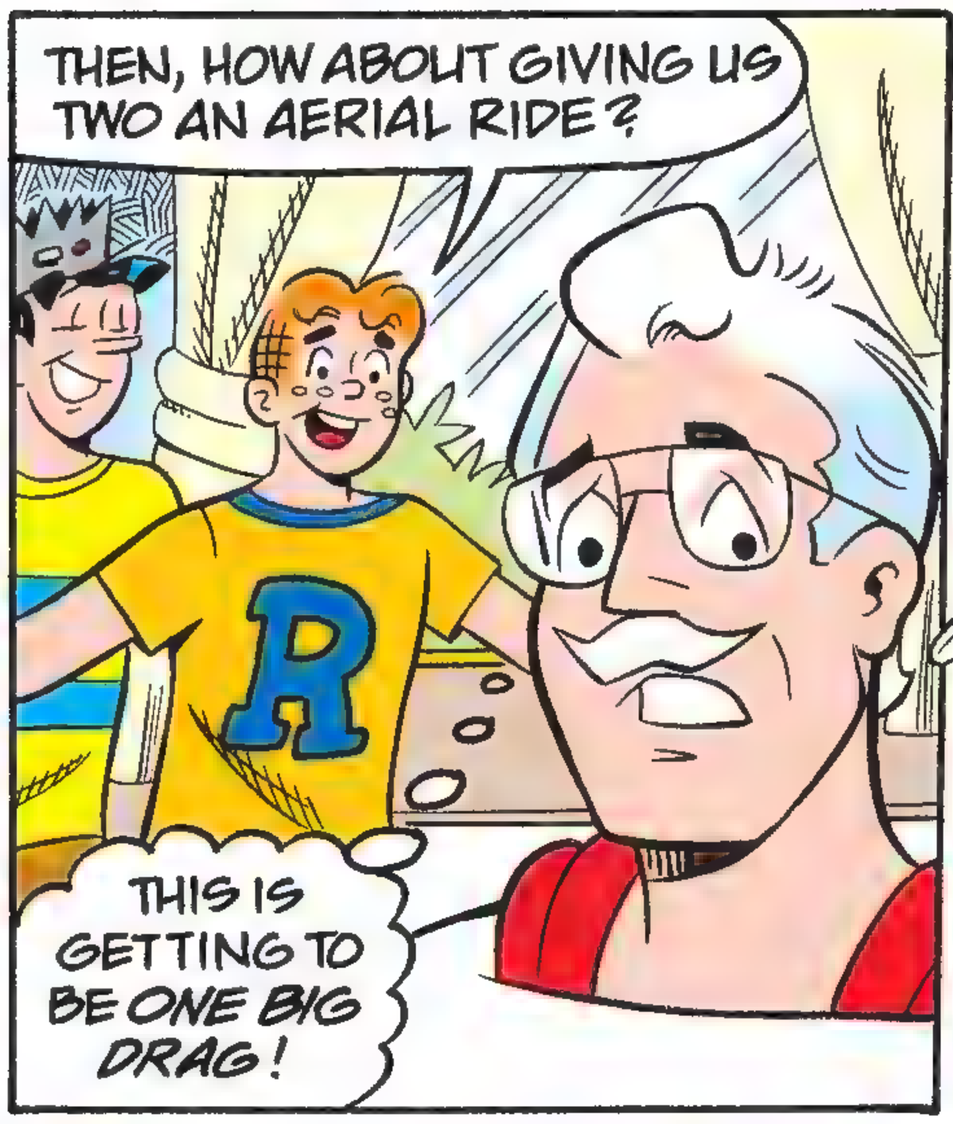

I'M THINKING OF QUITTING MY DAY JOB!
... MY COUNTRY NEEDS MY NEWFOUND POWERS!
YOU CAN USE YOUR NEWFOUND POWERS TO DISTRACT VERONICA'S FRIENDS!
... THEY SEEM EXCITED ABOUT HAVING A SUPER HERO FOR A NEIGHBOR!

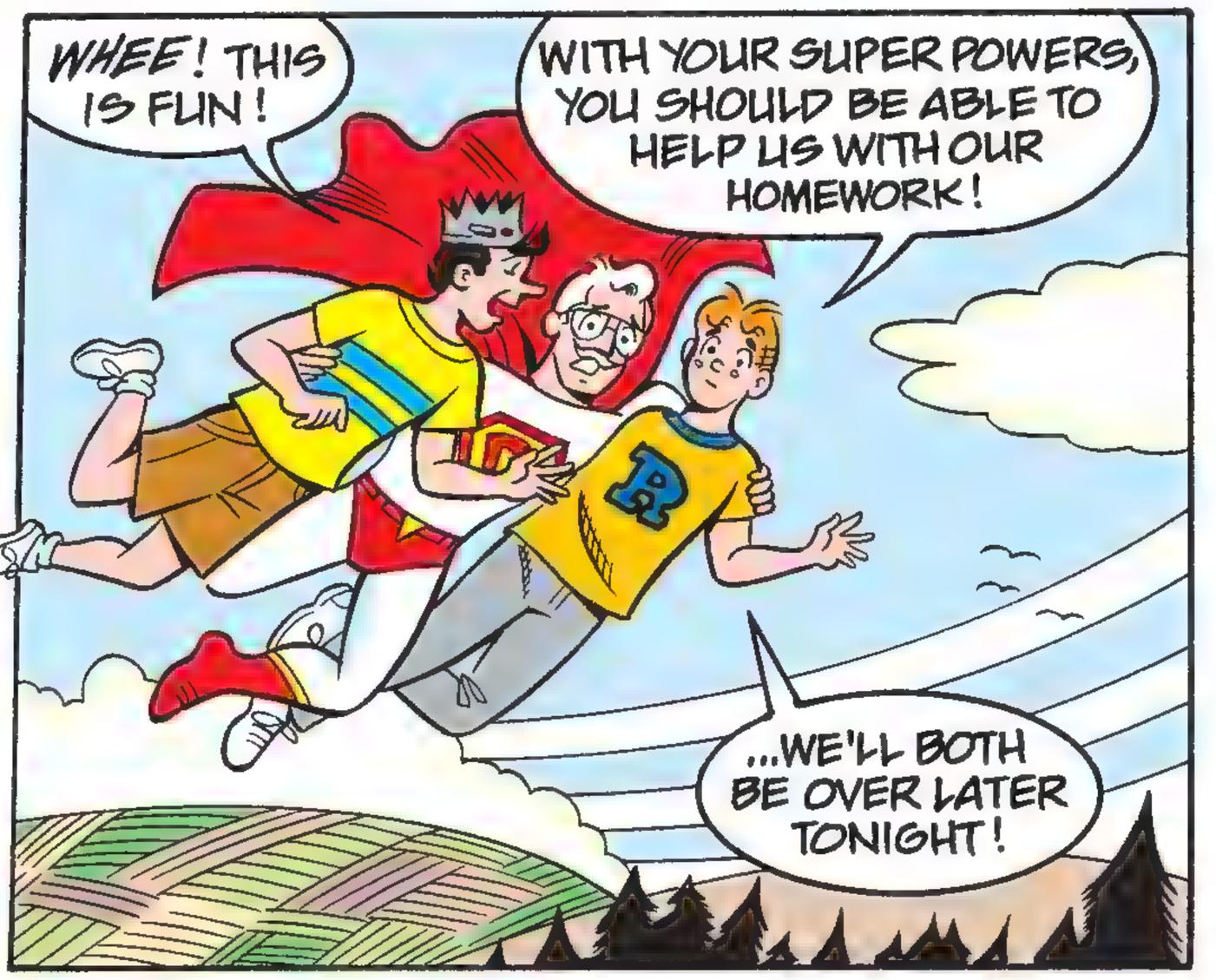

GEE, MR. LODGE... WE NEVER SUSPECTED THAT YOU WERE...
YIPES! MY PRICELESS VASE!

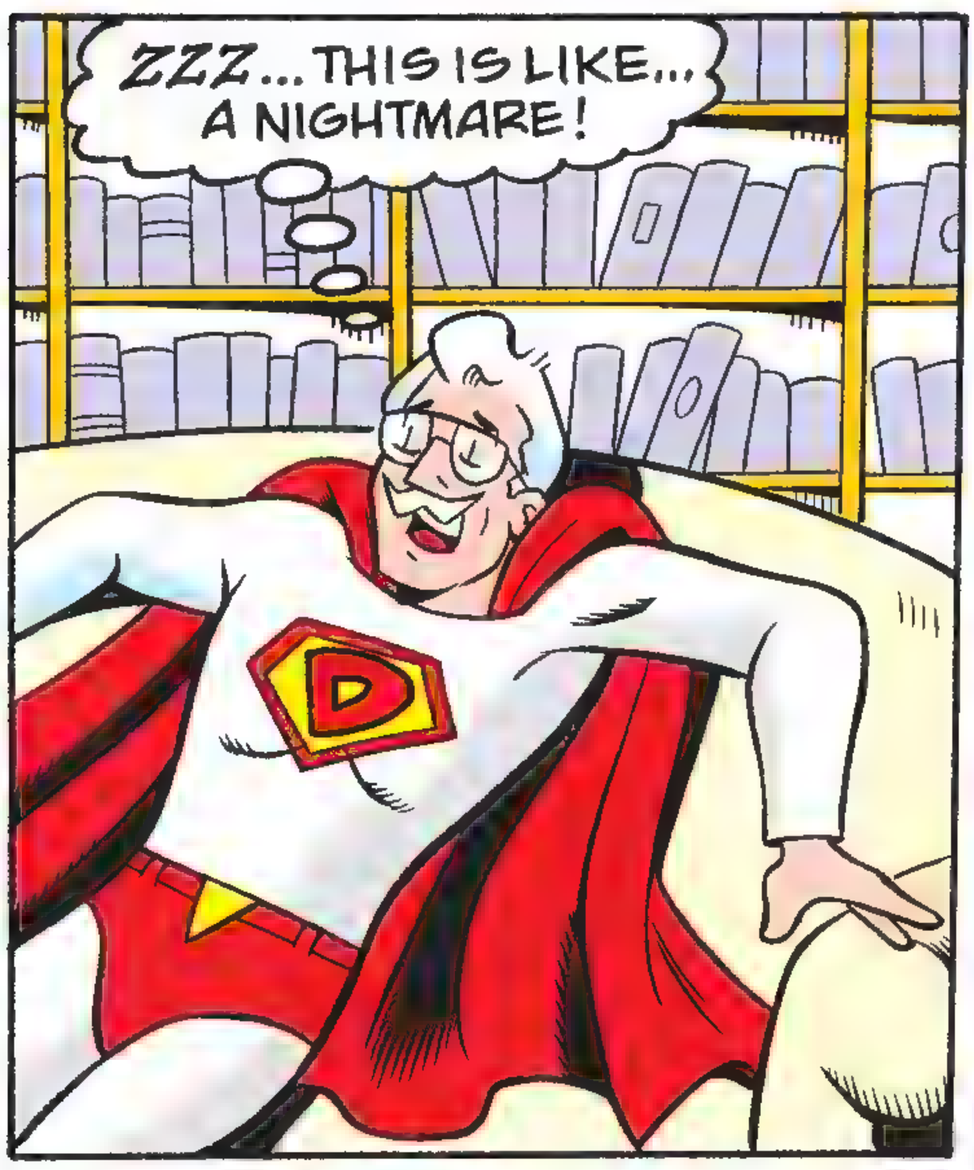

WHEW!
JUST IN TIME!


MR. LODGE...UH, I MEAN CAPTAIN DYNAMO, DO THAT AGAIN!
...JUGHEAD DIDN'T SEE YOU GRAB IT IN MID-AIR!

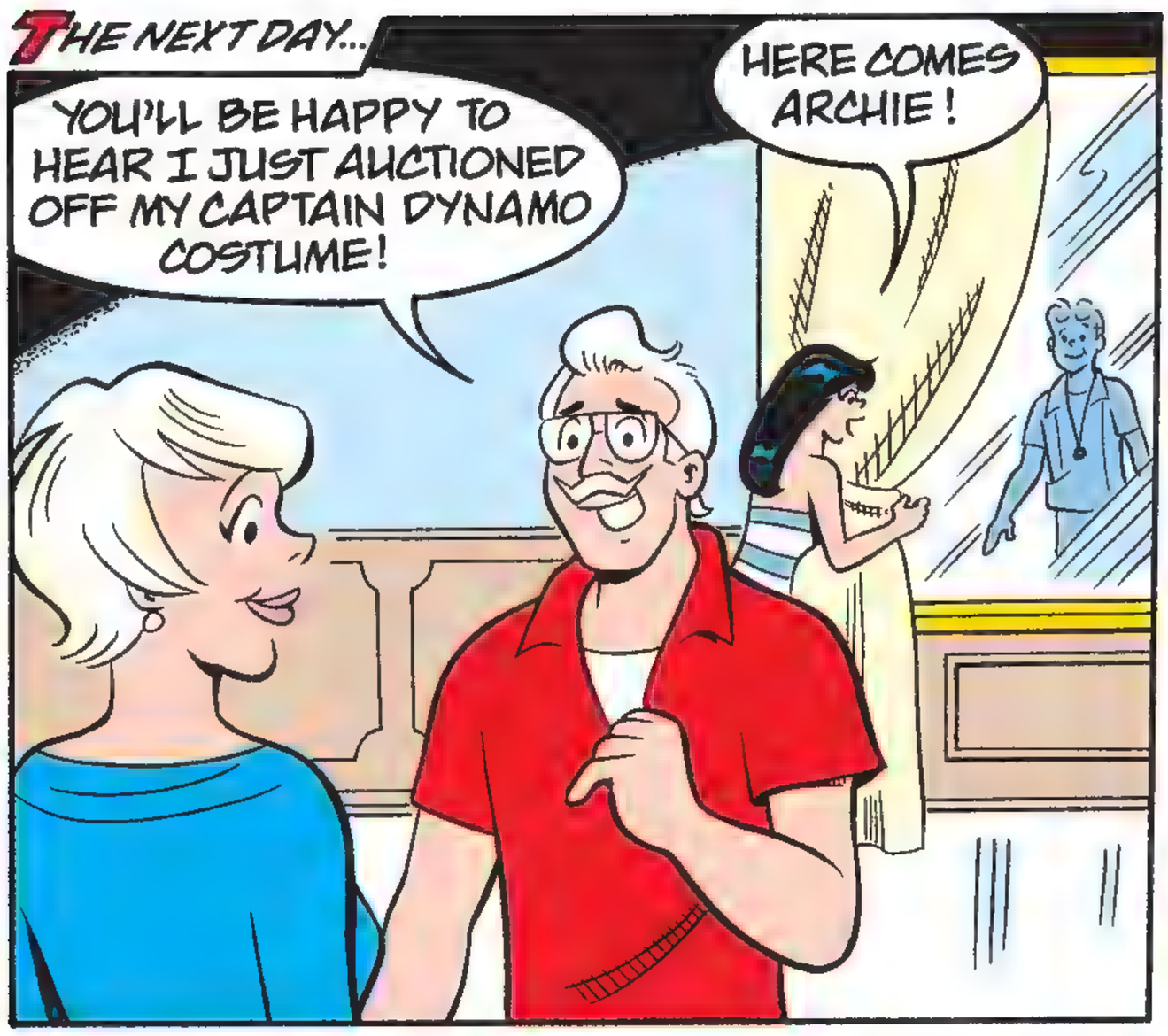

THAT'S IT! NO MORE DEMOS OF VASE-CATCHING!


THEN, HOW ABOUT GIVING US TWO AN AERIAL RIDE?
THIS IS GETTING TO BE ONE BIG DRAG!

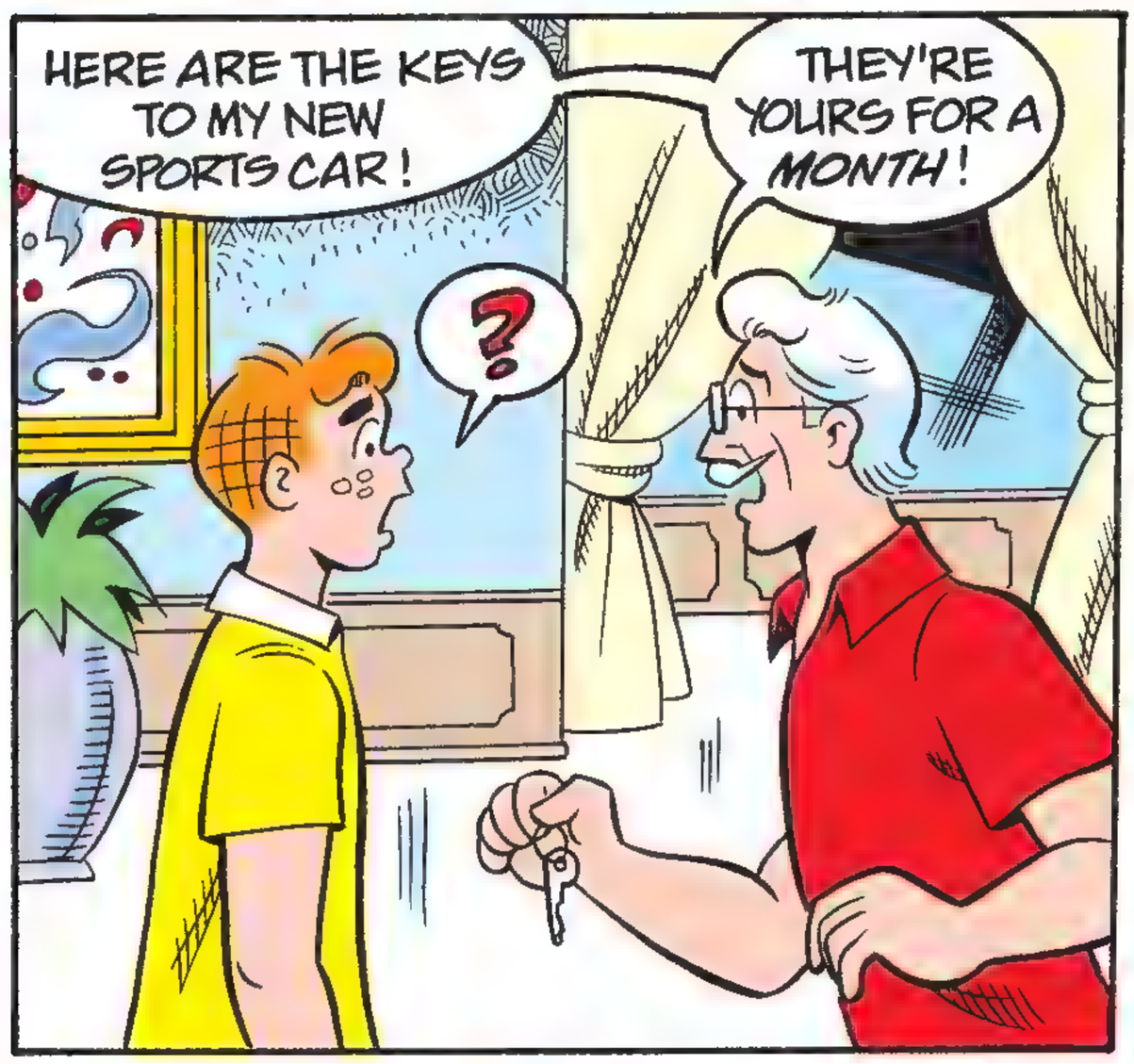

WHEE! THIS IS FUN!
WITH YOUR SUPER POWERS, YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO HELP US WITH OUR HOMEWORK!
...WE'LL BOTH BE OVER LATER TONIGHT!


ZZZ...THIS IS LIKE... A NIGHTMARE!

IT WAS A NIGHTMARE!
...THANK GOODNESS! I REALLY DON'T HAVE SUPER POWERS!


THE NEXT DAY...
YOU'LL BE HAPPY TO HEAR I JUST AUCTIONED OFF MY CAPTAIN DYNAMO COSTUME!
HERE COMES ARCHIE!

JUST THE BOY I WANT TO SEE!
GULP! WHAT DID I DO NOW?


HERE ARE THE KEYS TO MY NEW SPORTS CAR!
THEY'RE YOURS FOR A MONTH!
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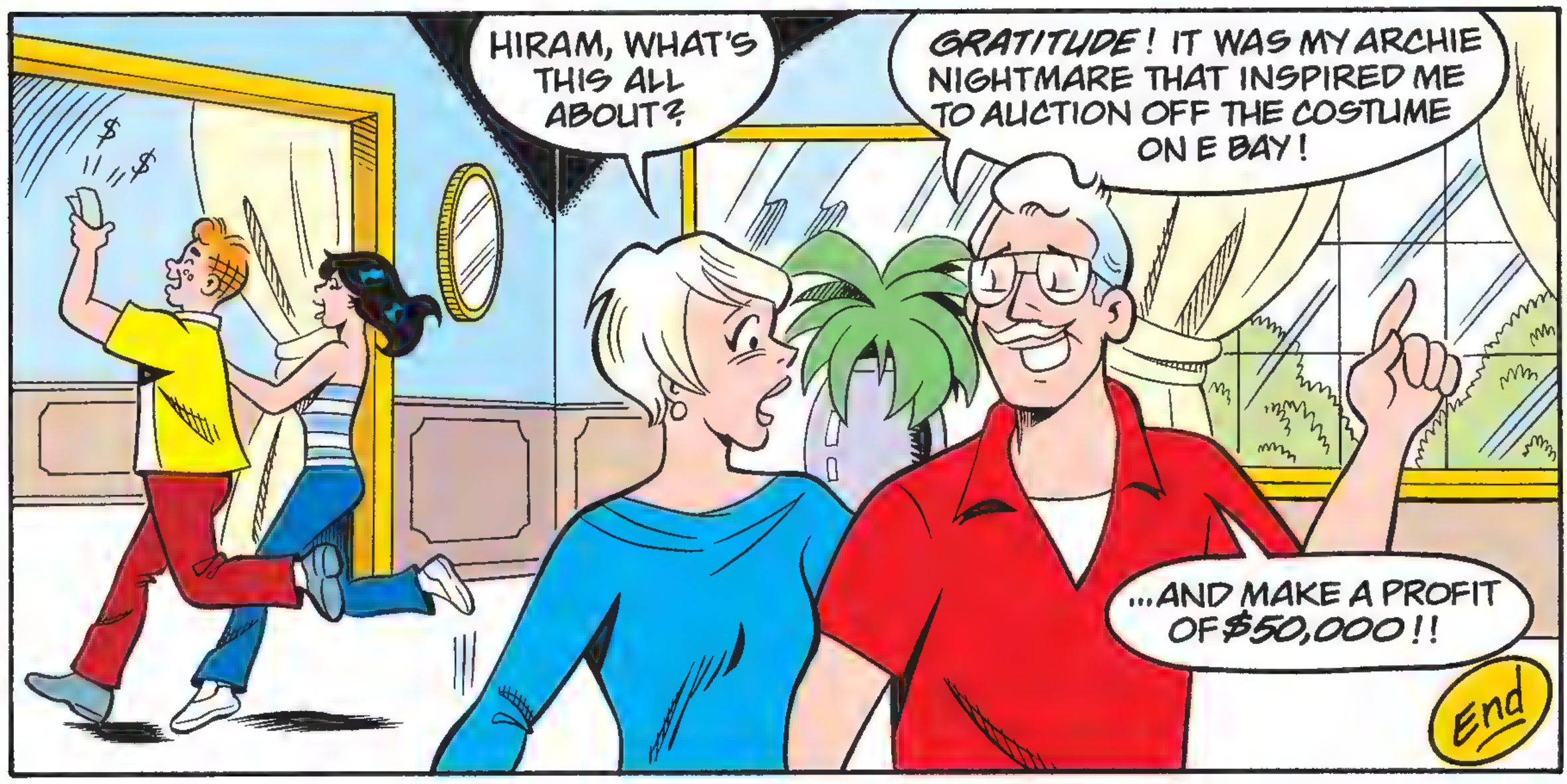
...AS WELL AS THIS DATE MONEY TO SPEND ON VERONICA!
IF THIS IS A DREAM, DON'T ANYBODY WAKE ME UP!


HIRAM, WHAT'S THIS ALL ABOUT?
GRATITUDE! IT WAS MY ARCHIE NIGHTMARE THAT INSPIRED ME TO AUCTION OFF THE COSTUME ON E BAY!
...AND MAKE A PROFIT OF $50,000!!
End

OKAY, GANG! IT'S 6 A.M.! TIME TO LEAVE FOR GRANDMA'S! WE'VE GOT A THREE-HOUR *TRIP* AHEAD OF US!

JUGHEAD! WAKE UP WHILE YOU'RE *LOADING* THE CAR!

ZZZ

I'VE GOT TO GET MY *SLEEP* SOMEHOW!

JUG

Jughead IN "ON THE ROAD AGAIN" PART I

THERE! EVERYTHING'S PACKED!

OH BOY! I JUST HAVE A FEW MORE *THINGS* TO BRING ALONG FOR JELLYBEAN!

OKAY, WHERE ARE... *GAK!!*

JUG

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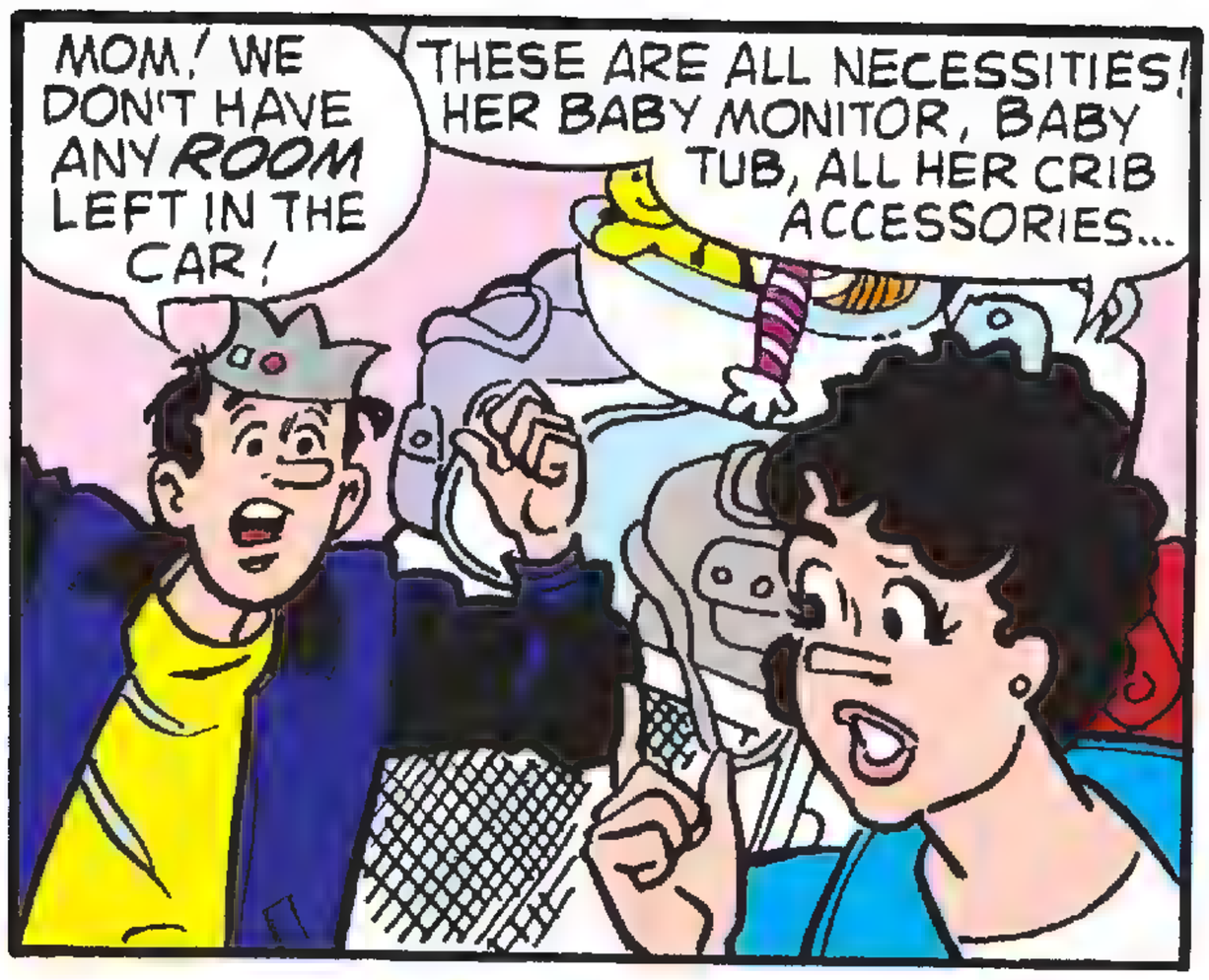
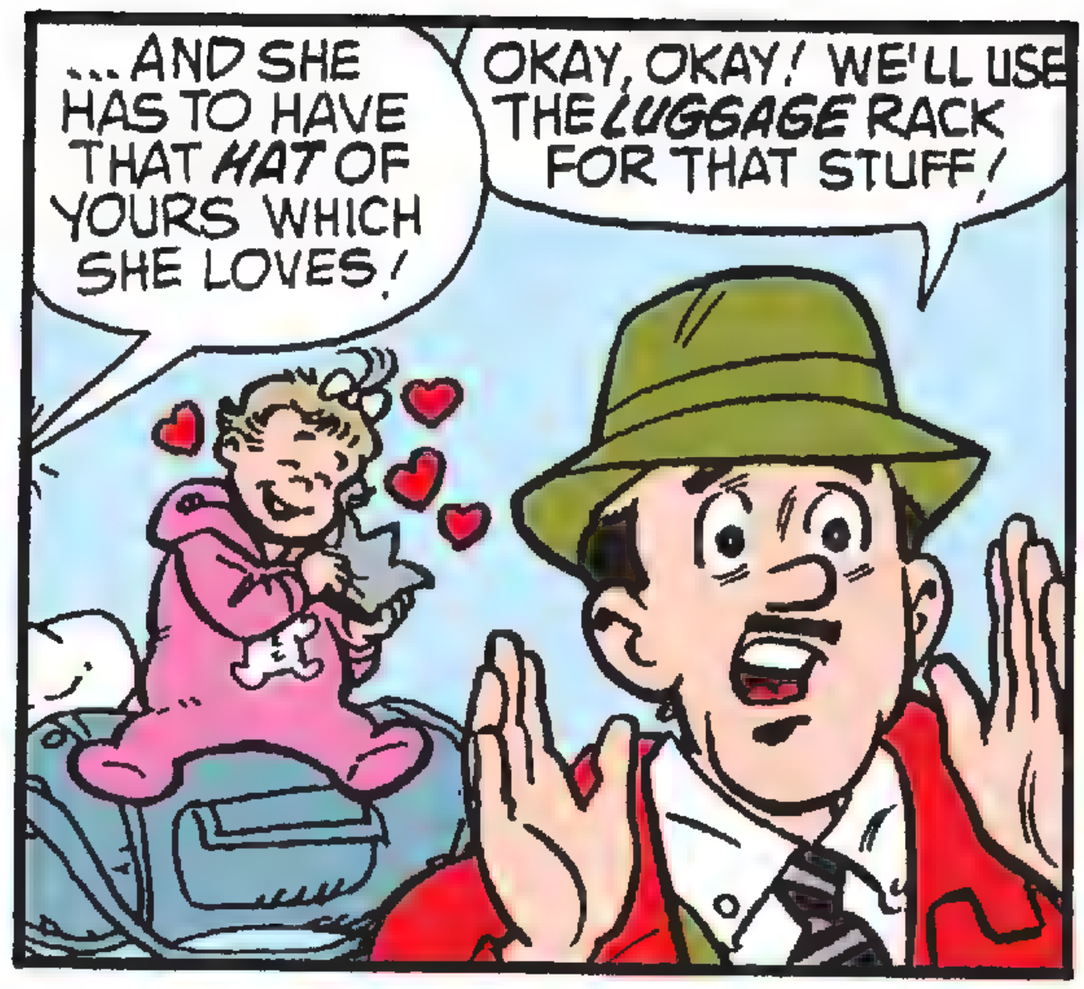
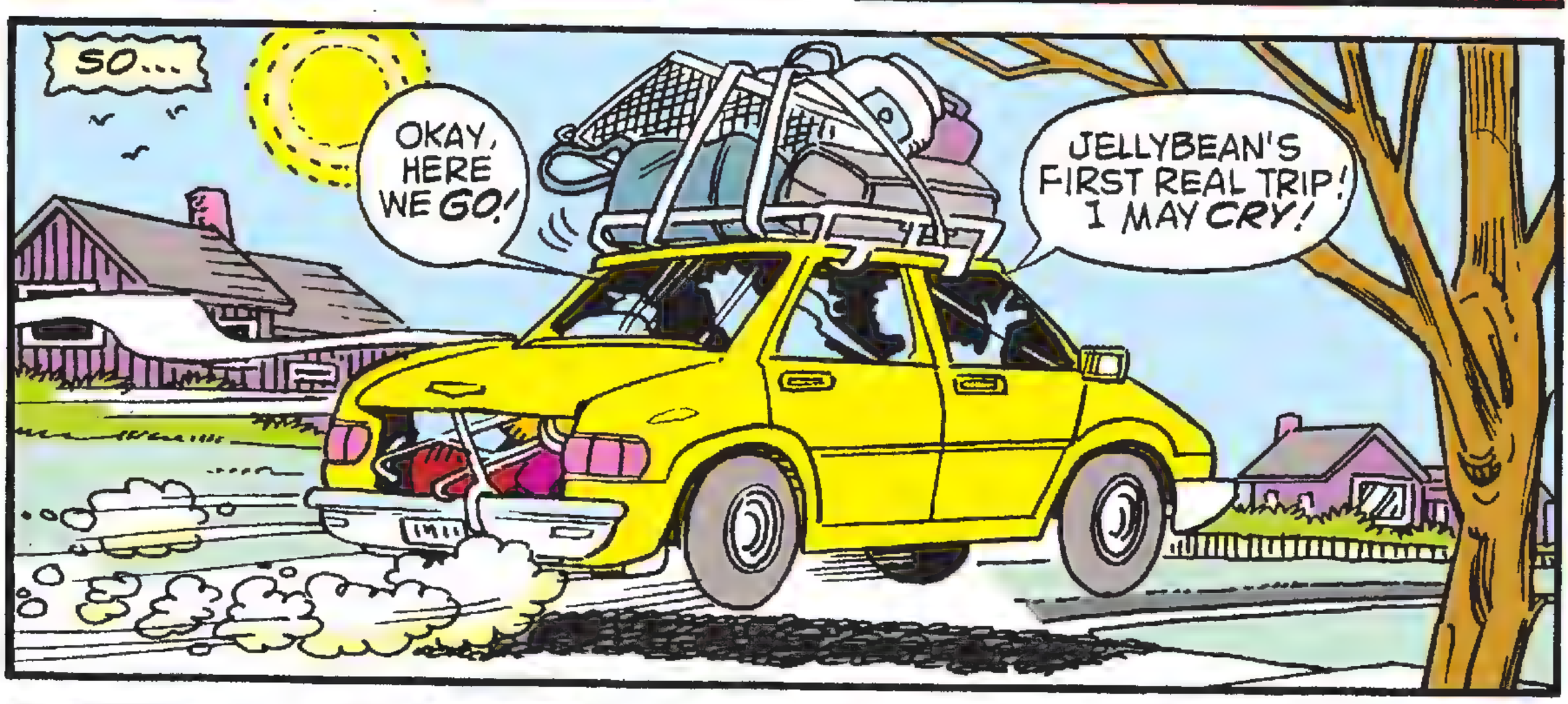
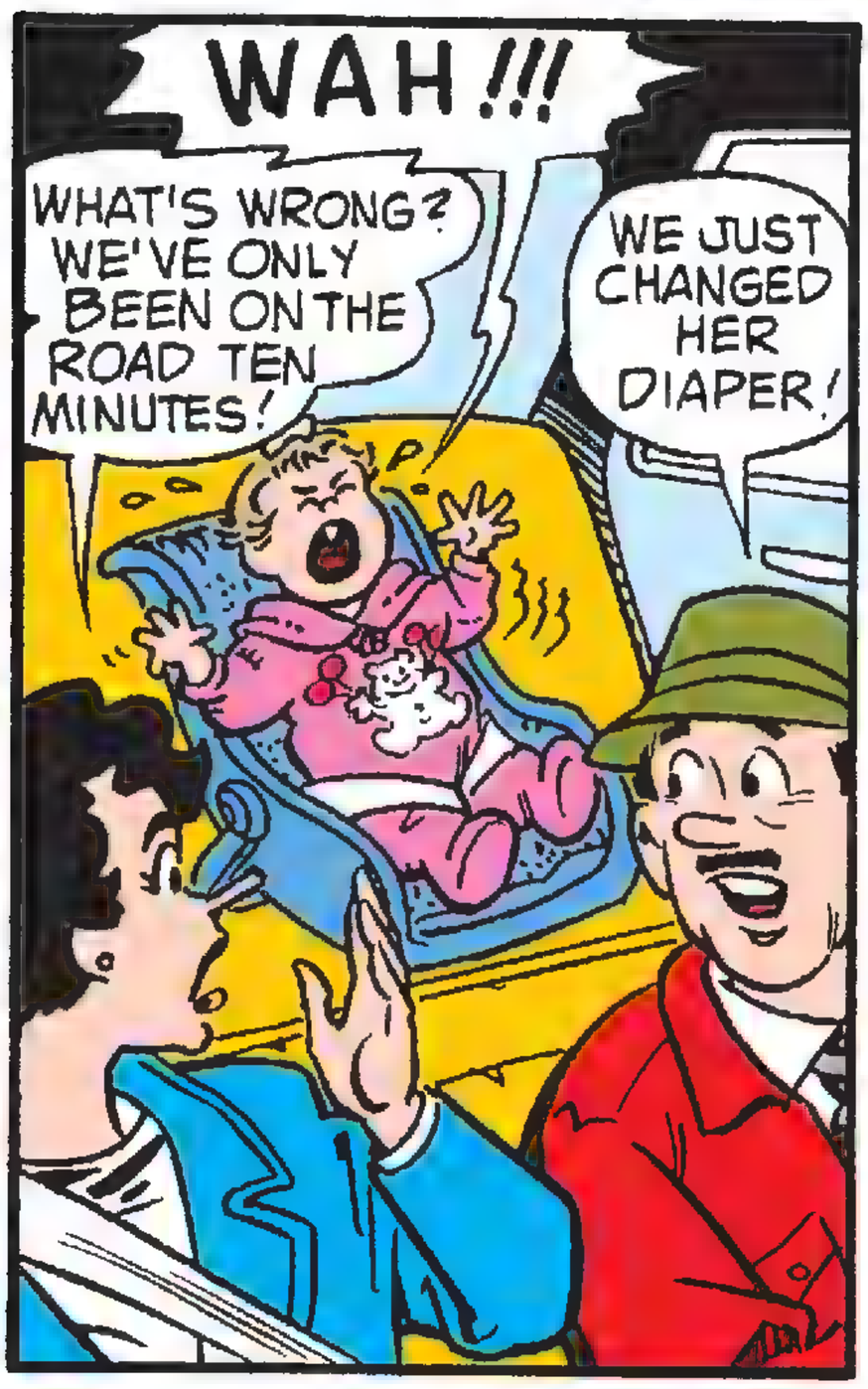

MOM! WE DON'T HAVE ANY ROOM LEFT IN THE CAR!
THESE ARE ALL NECESSITIES! HER BABY MONITOR, BABY TUB, ALL HER CRIB ACCESSORIES...

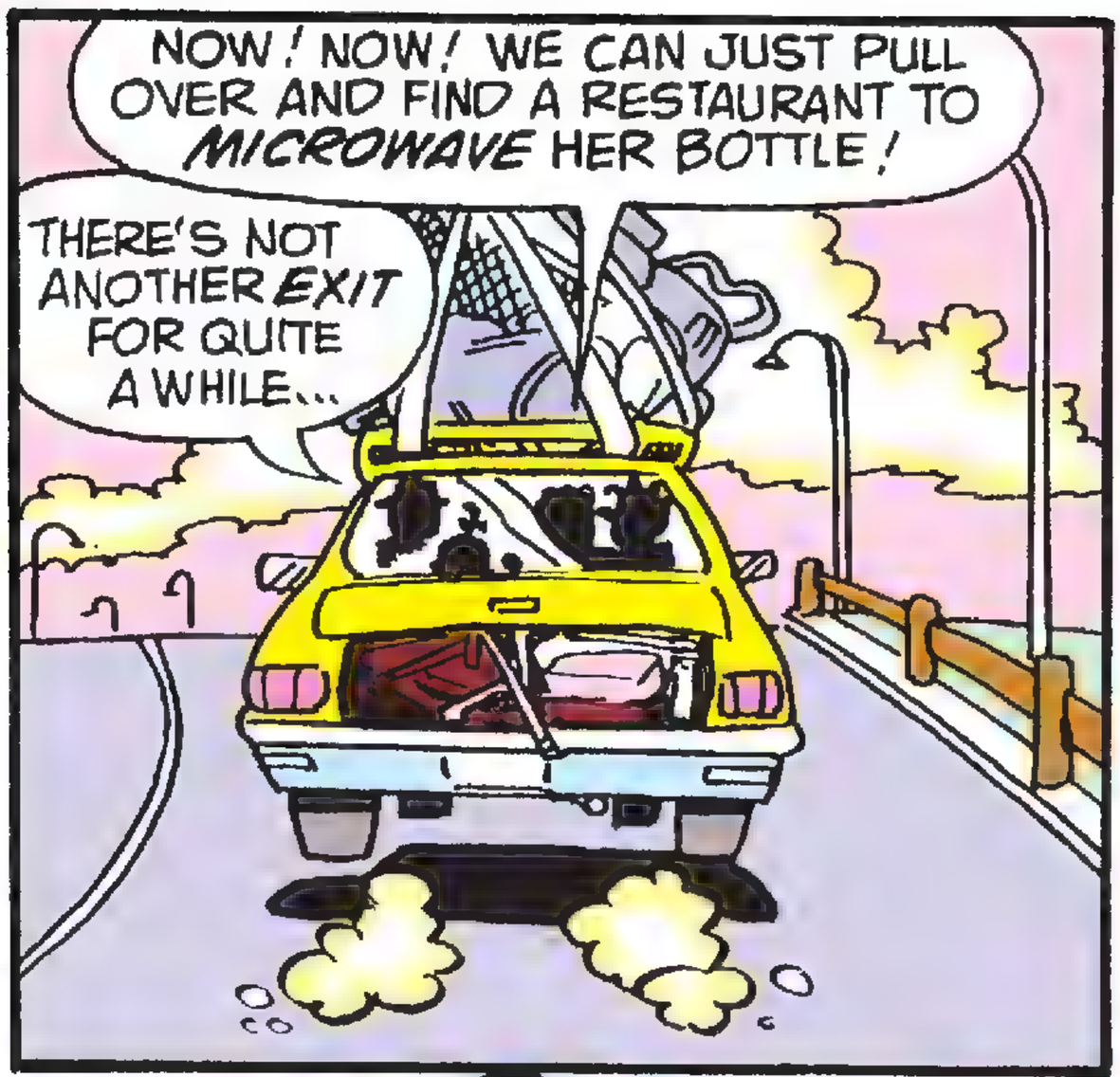

...AND SHE HAS TO HAVE THAT HAT OF YOURS WHICH SHE LOVES!
OKAY, OKAY! WE'LL USE THE LUGGAGE RACK FOR THAT STUFF!

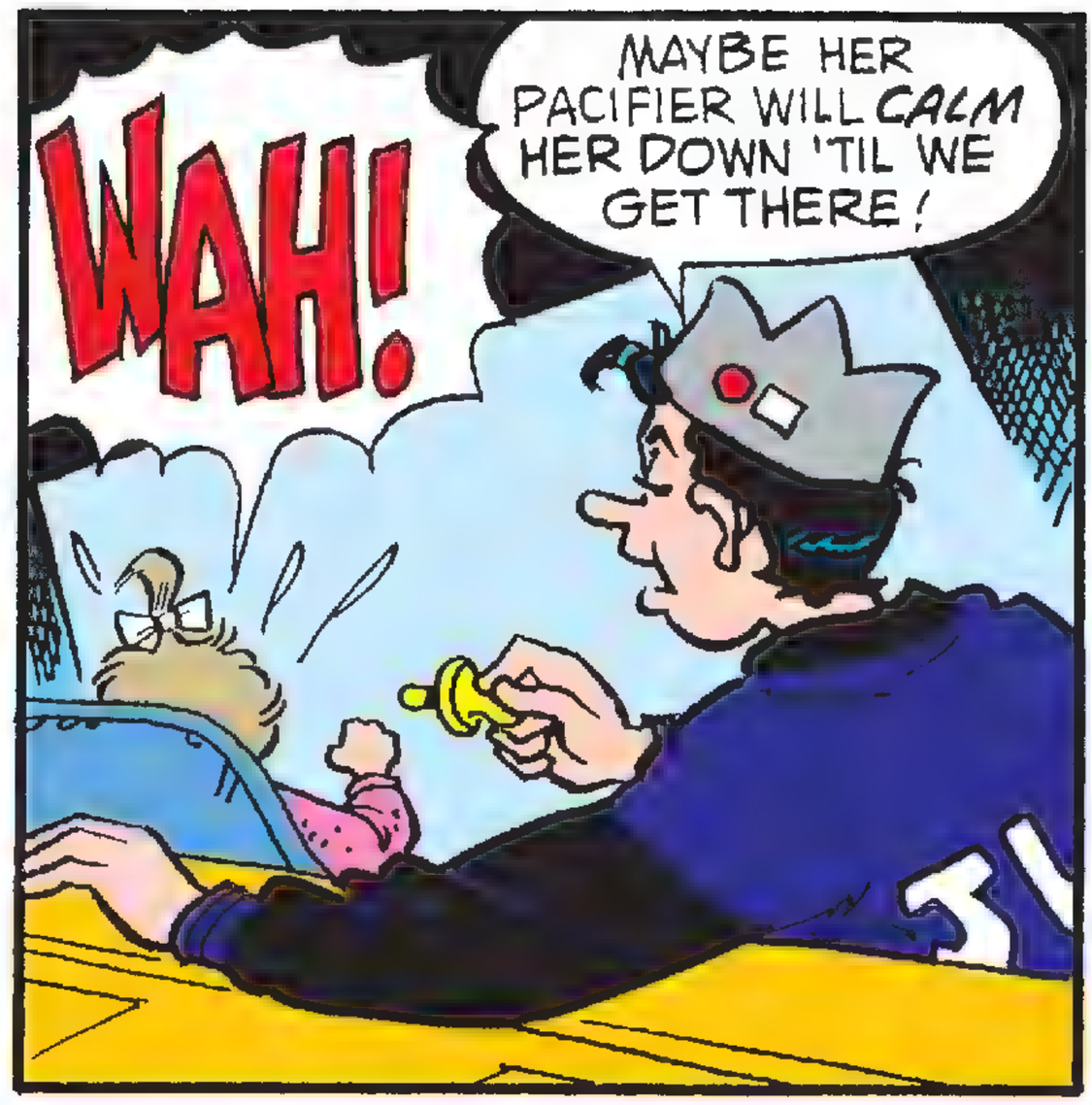

SO...
OKAY, HERE WE GO!
JELLYBEAN'S FIRST REAL TRIP! I MAY CRY!

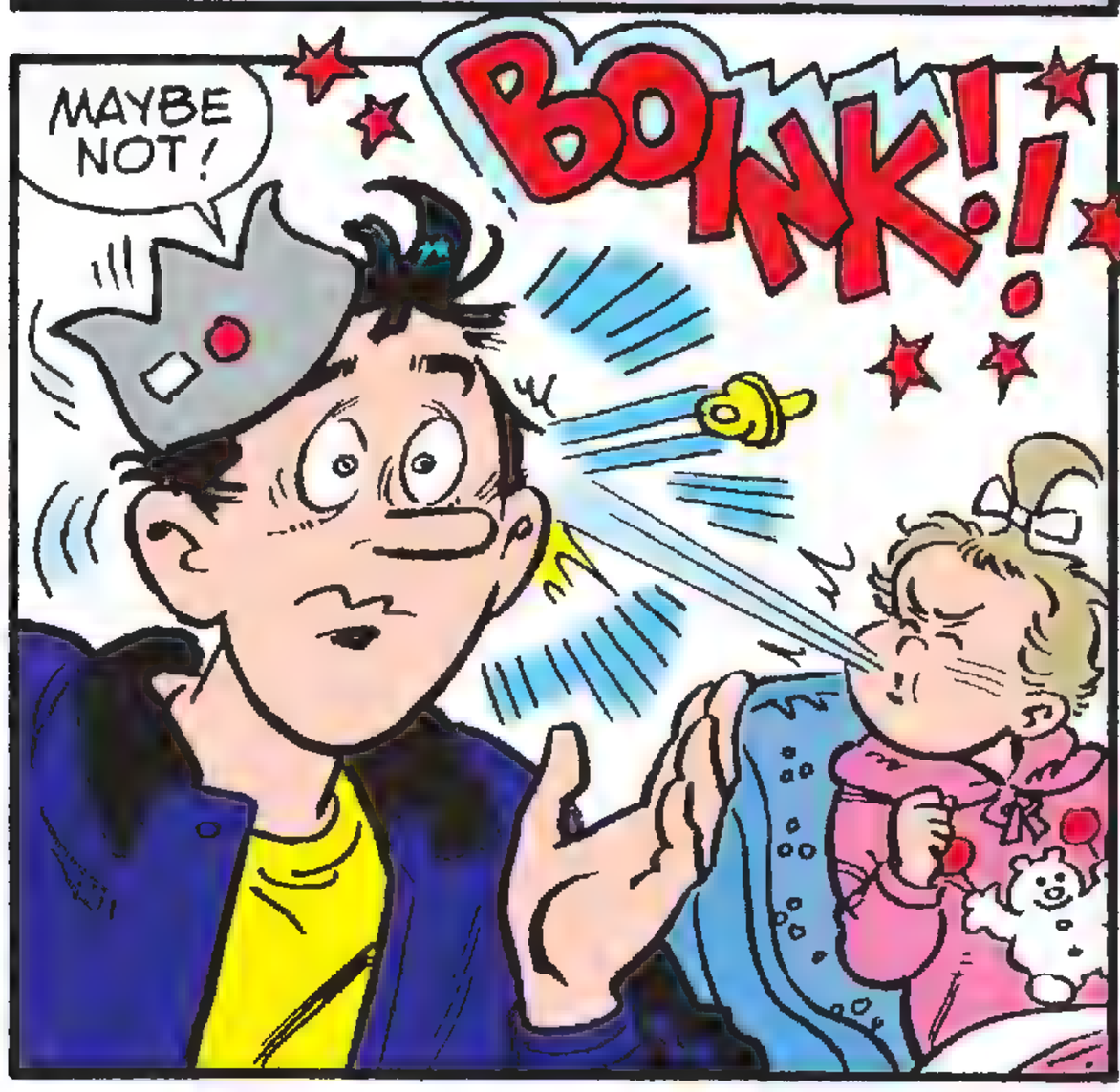

WAH!!!
WHAT'S WRONG? WE'VE ONLY BEEN ON THE ROAD TEN MINUTES!
WE JUST CHANGED HER DIAPER!

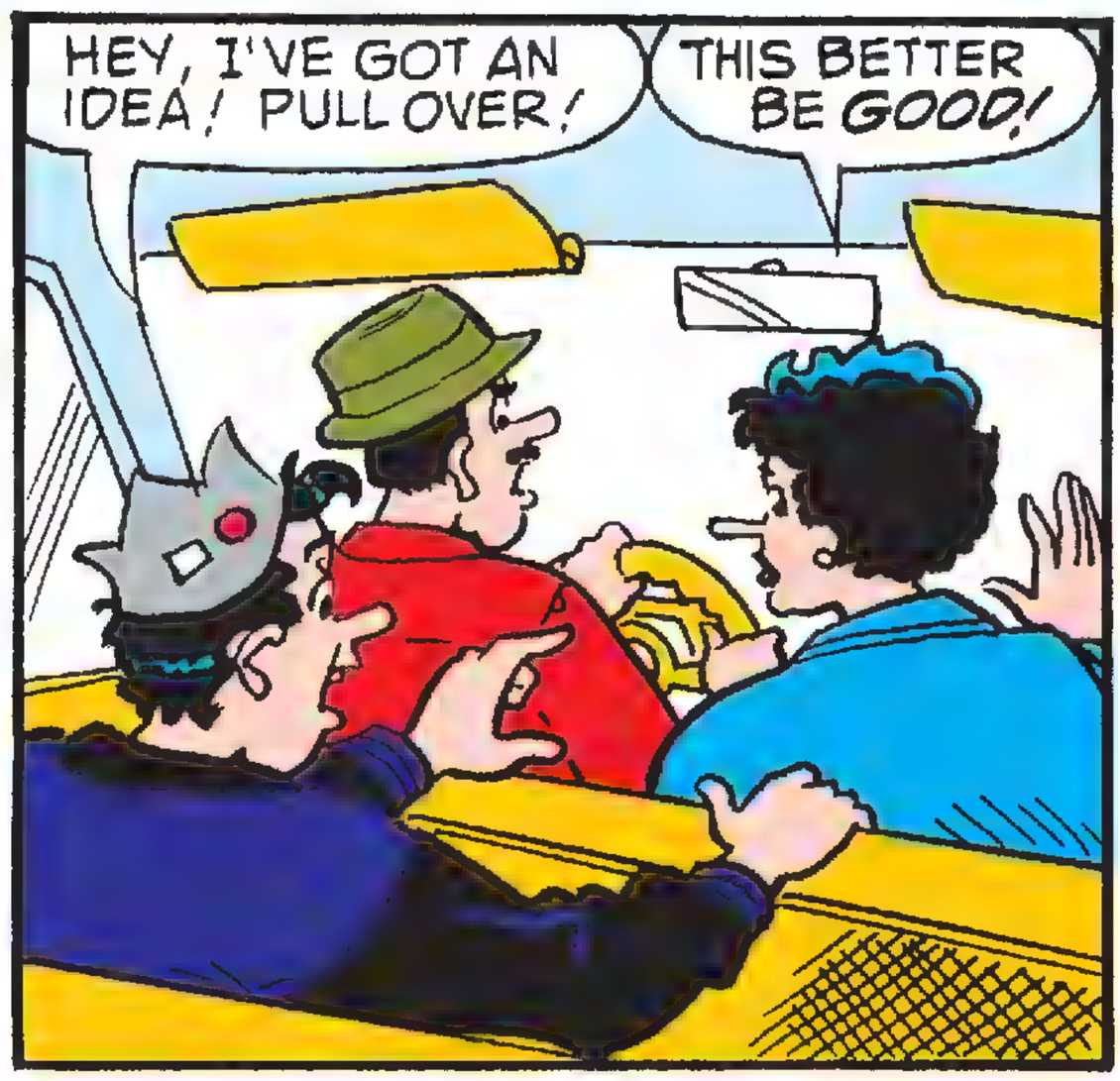
I THINK SHE WANTS FOOD!!
I'LL JUST POP A BOTTLE IN HER PORTABLE BOTTLE WARMER...

...EXCEPT IT'S HOME IN THE KITCHEN CABINET!
...YET SHE REMEMBERS TO BRING JUGHEAD'S OLD HAT!


NOW! NOW! WE CAN JUST PULL OVER AND FIND A RESTAURANT TO MICROWAVE HER BOTTLE!
THERE'S NOT ANOTHER EXIT FOR QUITE A WHILE...

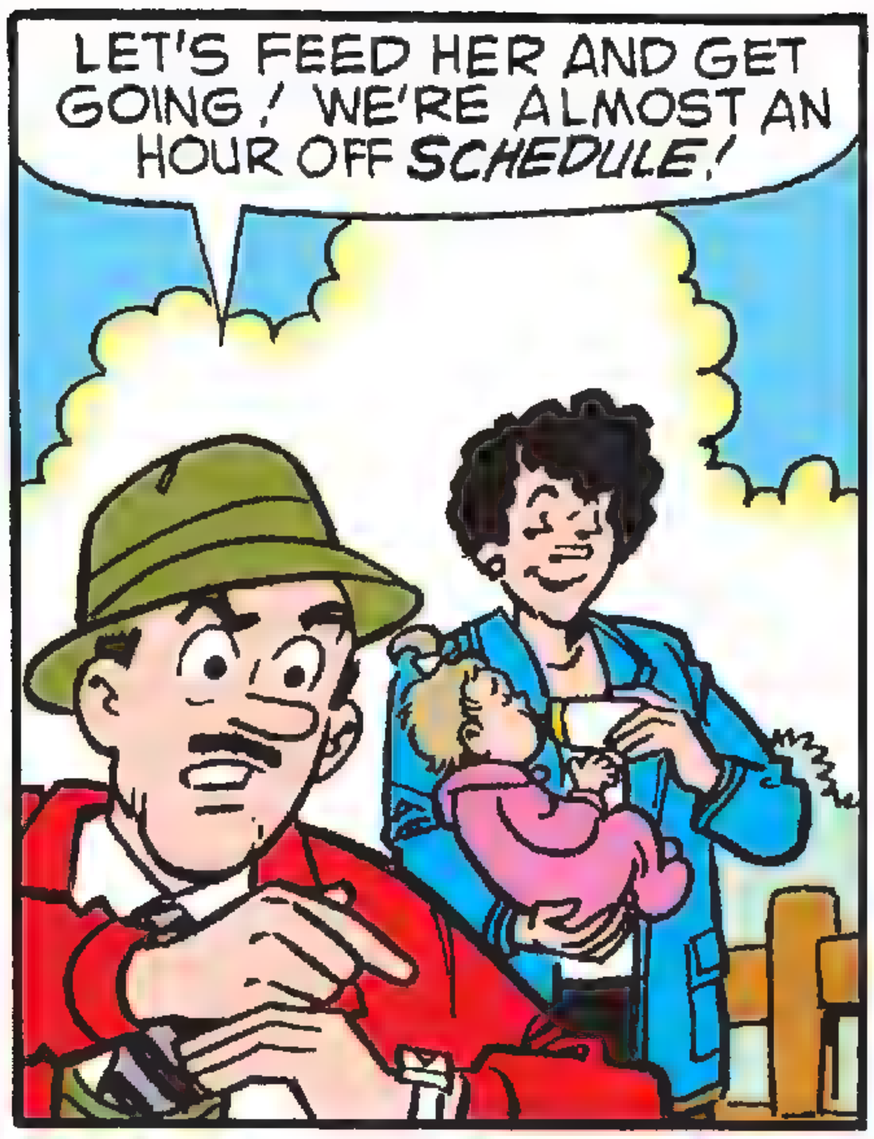

WAH!
MAYBE HER PACIFIER WILL CALM HER DOWN 'TIL WE GET THERE!


MAYBE NOT!
BONK!!

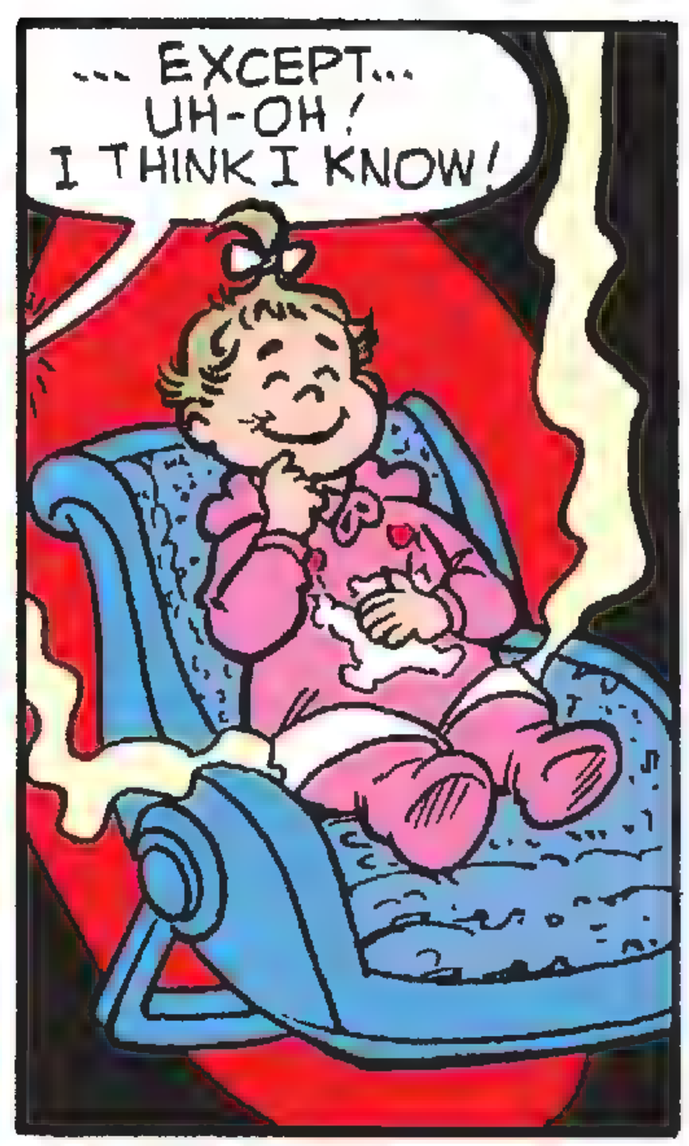

HEY, I'VE GOT AN IDEA! PULL OVER!
THIS BETTER BE GOOD!

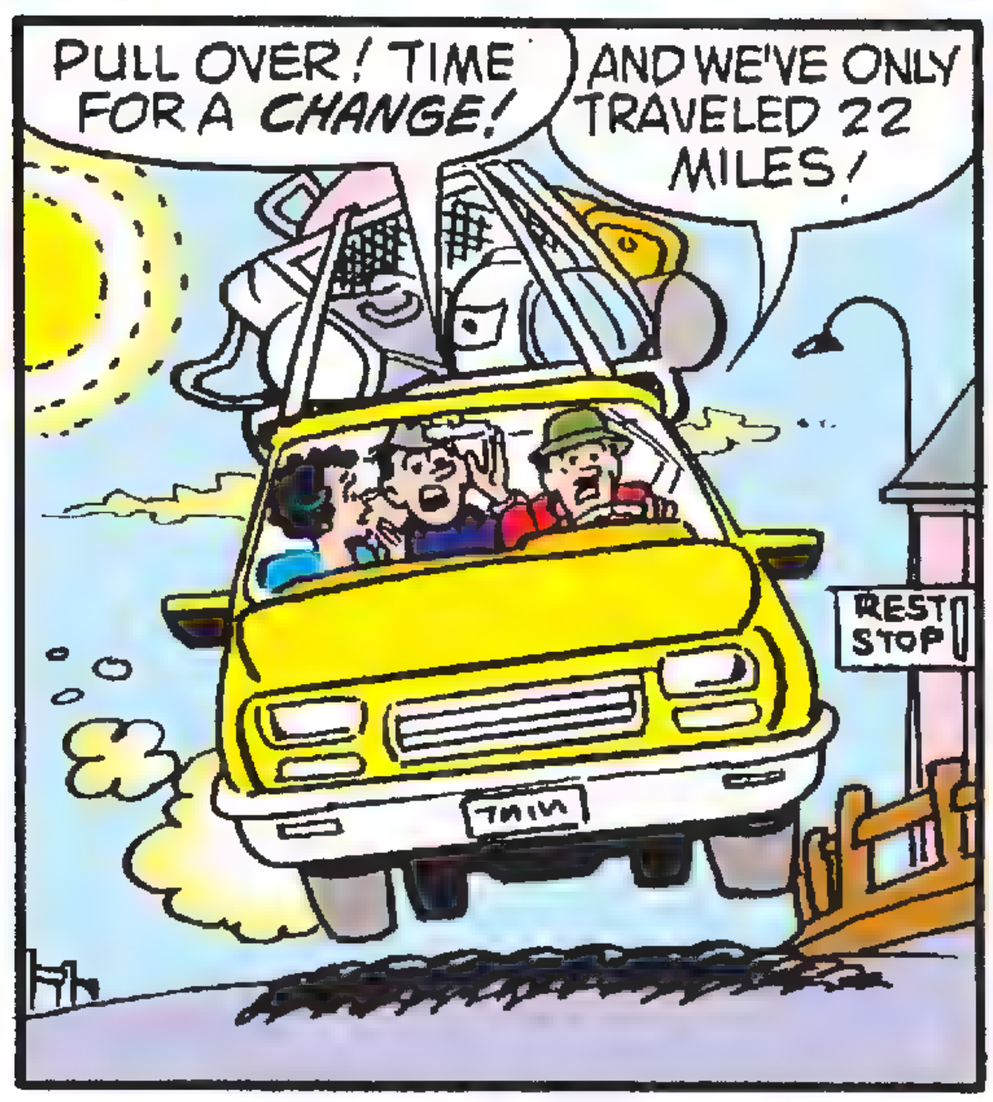
IF WE KEEP THE CAR RUNNING, THE WARM ENGINE WILL MAKE THE HOOD OF THE CAR WARM!
JUST SET THE BOTTLE HERE FOR A FEW MINUTES...

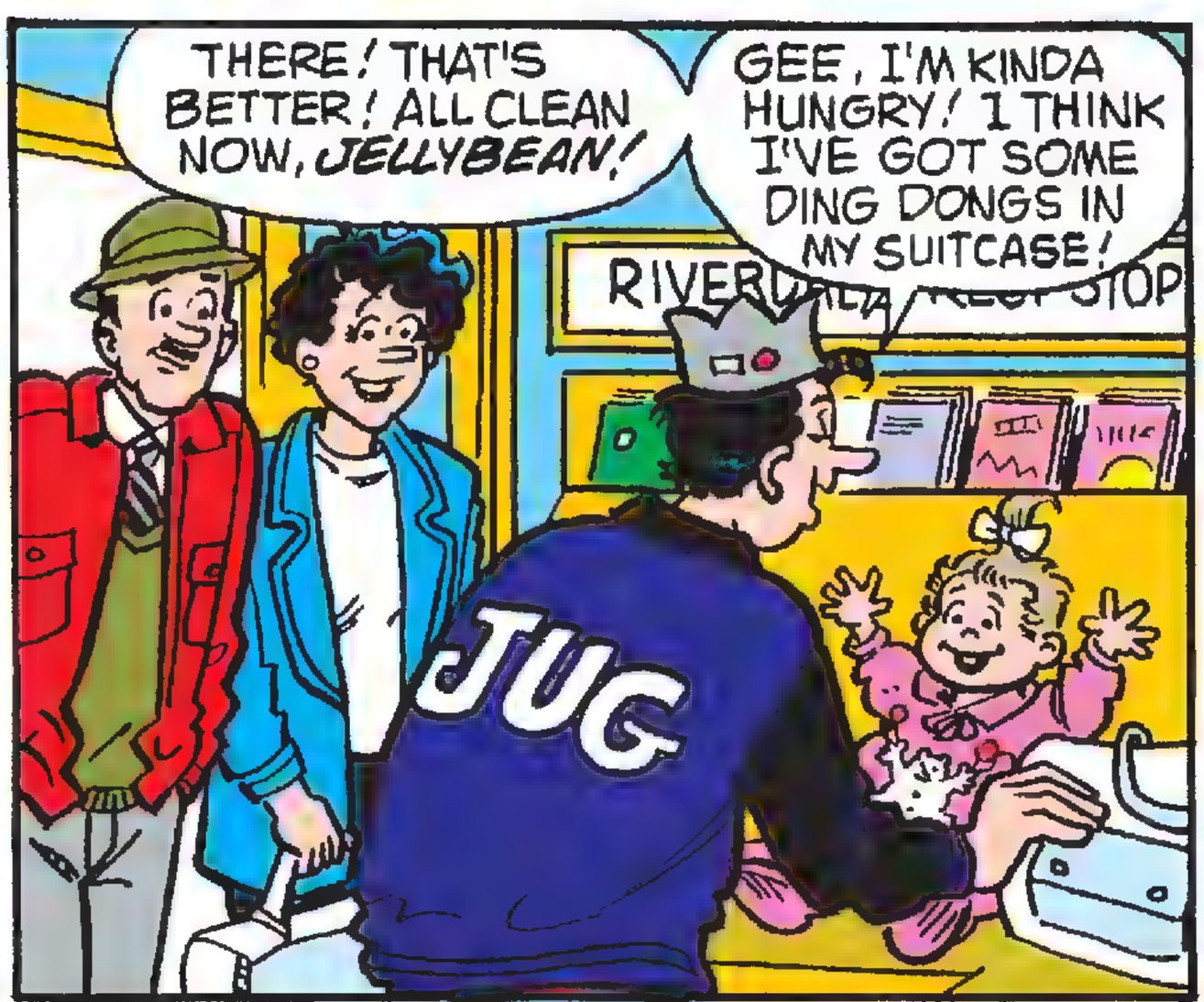
SO...
IT'S WARM! IT WORKED! HOW DID YOU COME UP WITH THAT ONE, JUGHEAD?
I DID THAT ONCE WHEN MY PIZZA WAS COLD!
WE SHOULD'VE KNOWN!


LET'S FEED HER AND GET GOING! WE'RE ALMOST AN HOUR OFF SCHEDULE!

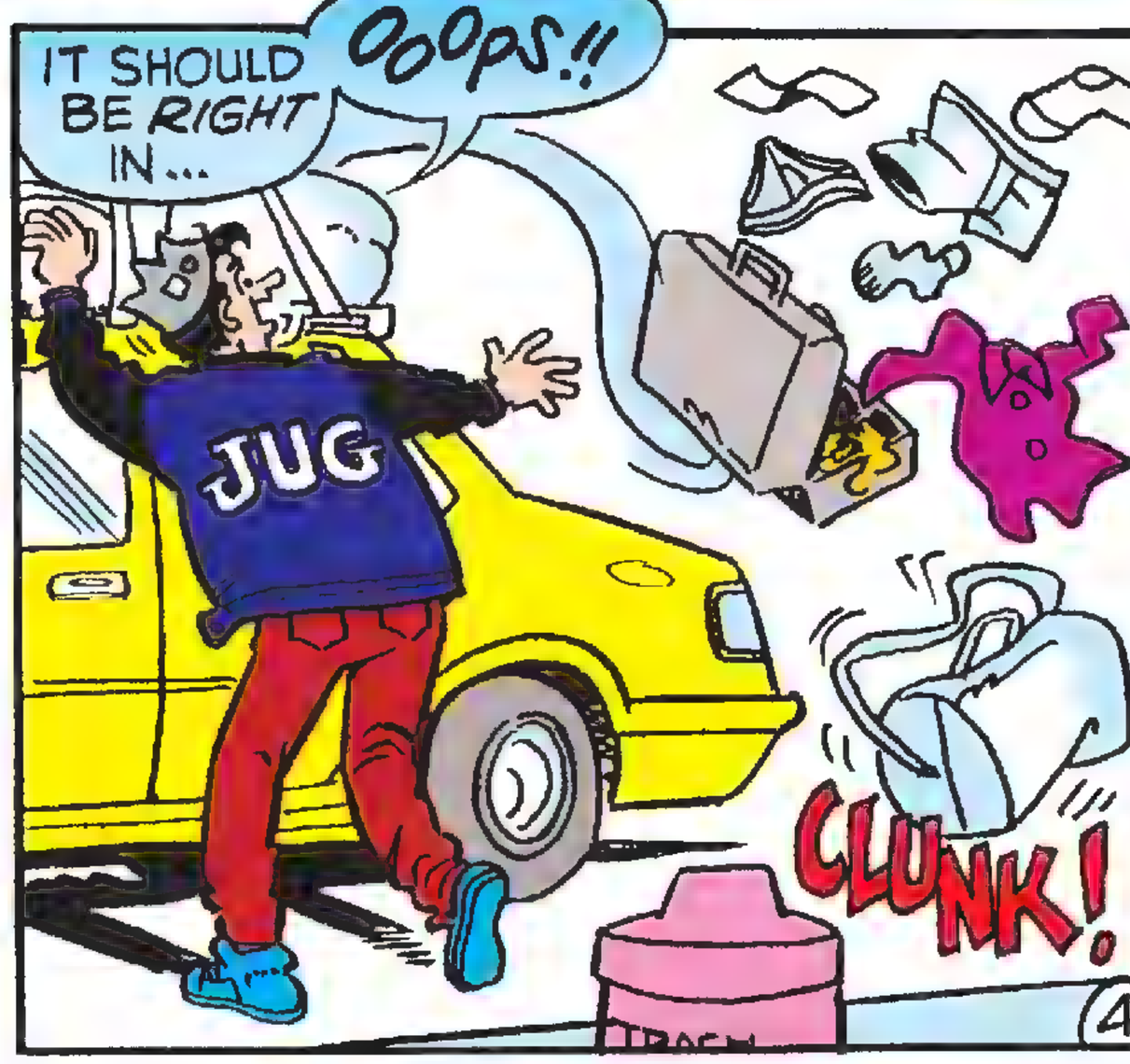
SOON...
P-U! WHAT'S THAT SMELL? DID WE PASS A FARM?
NO... I DON'T KNOW WHAT IT COULD BE!

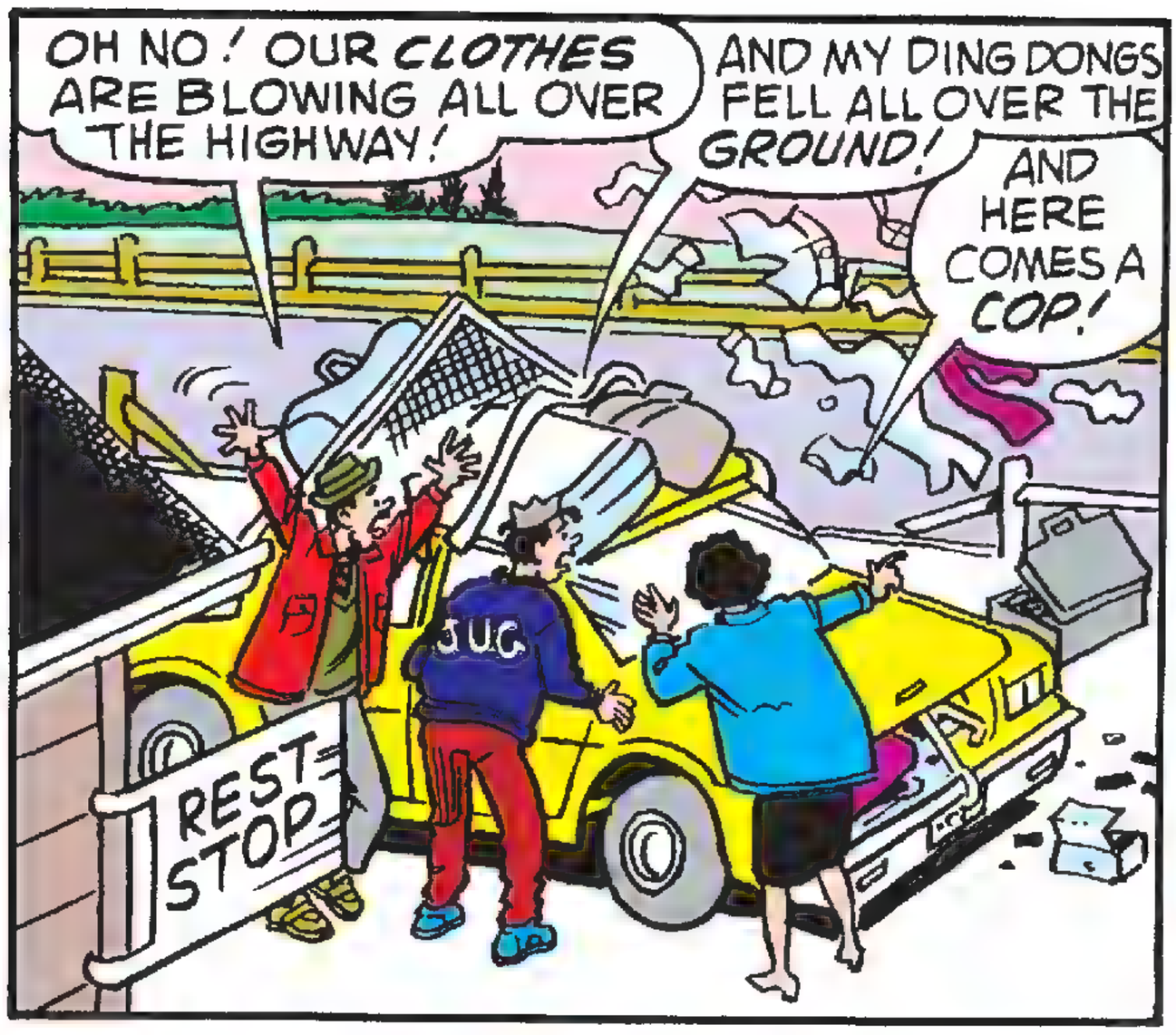

... EXCEPT... UH-OH! I THINK I KNOW!


PULL OVER! TIME FOR A CHANGE!
AND WE'VE ONLY TRAVELED 22 MILES!
REST STOP

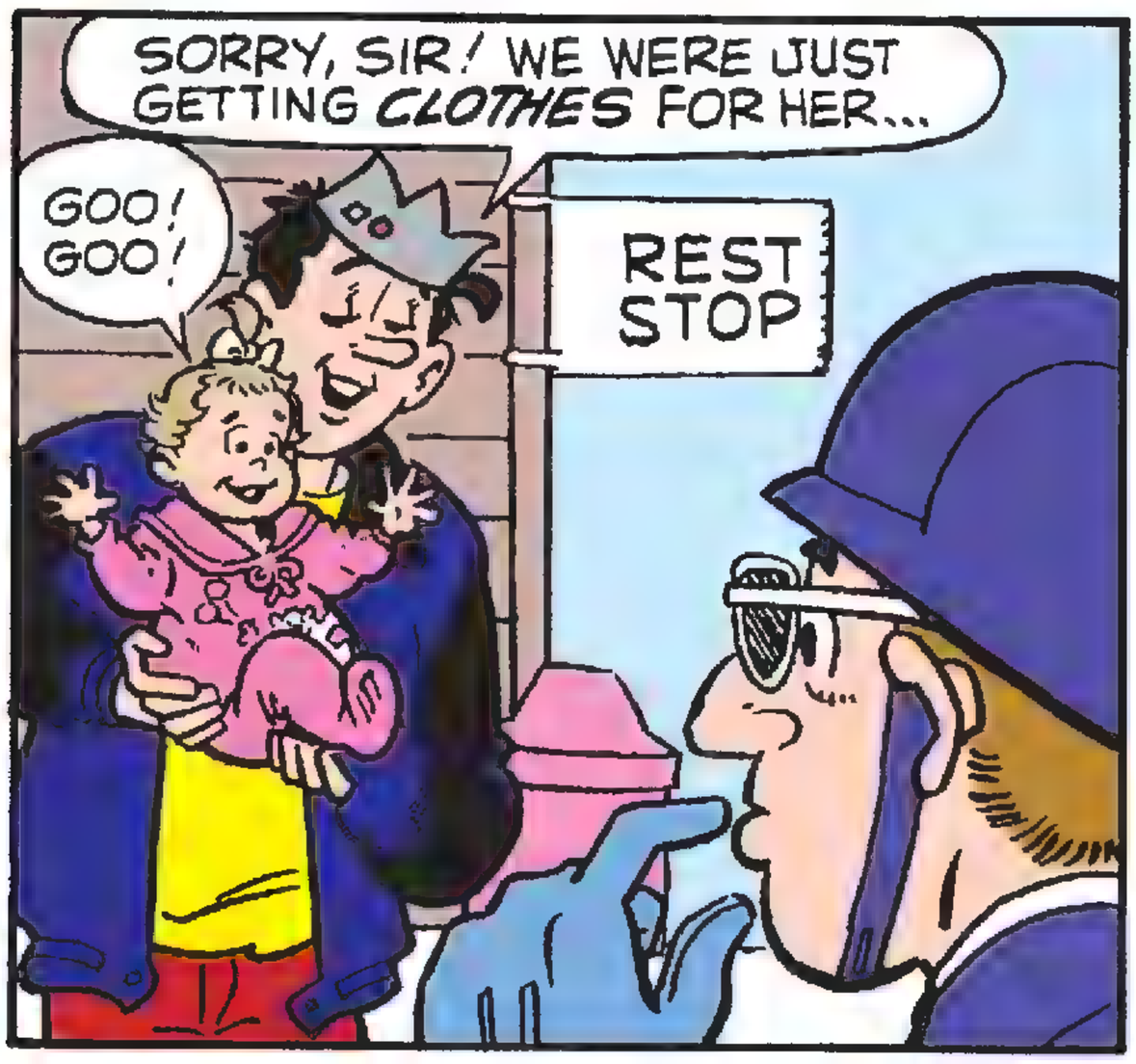

THERE! THAT'S BETTER! ALL CLEAN NOW, JELLYBEAN!
GEE, I'M KINDA HUNGRY! I THINK I'VE GOT SOME DING DONGS IN MY SUITCASE!
JUG

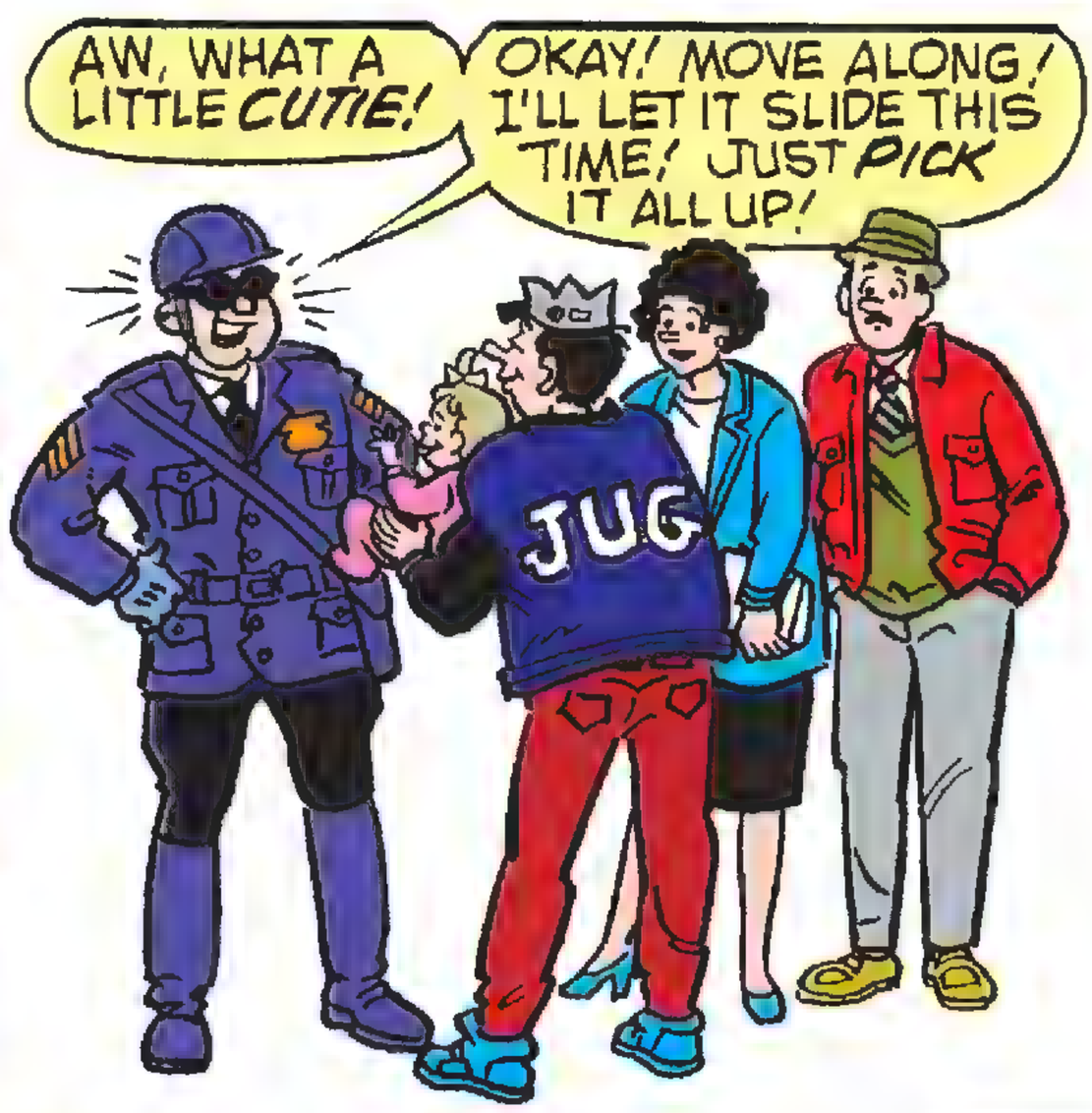
JUST HAVE TO MOVE UGH! A FEW OF THESE SUITCASES OOF! OFF THE LUGGAGE RACK!
JUG

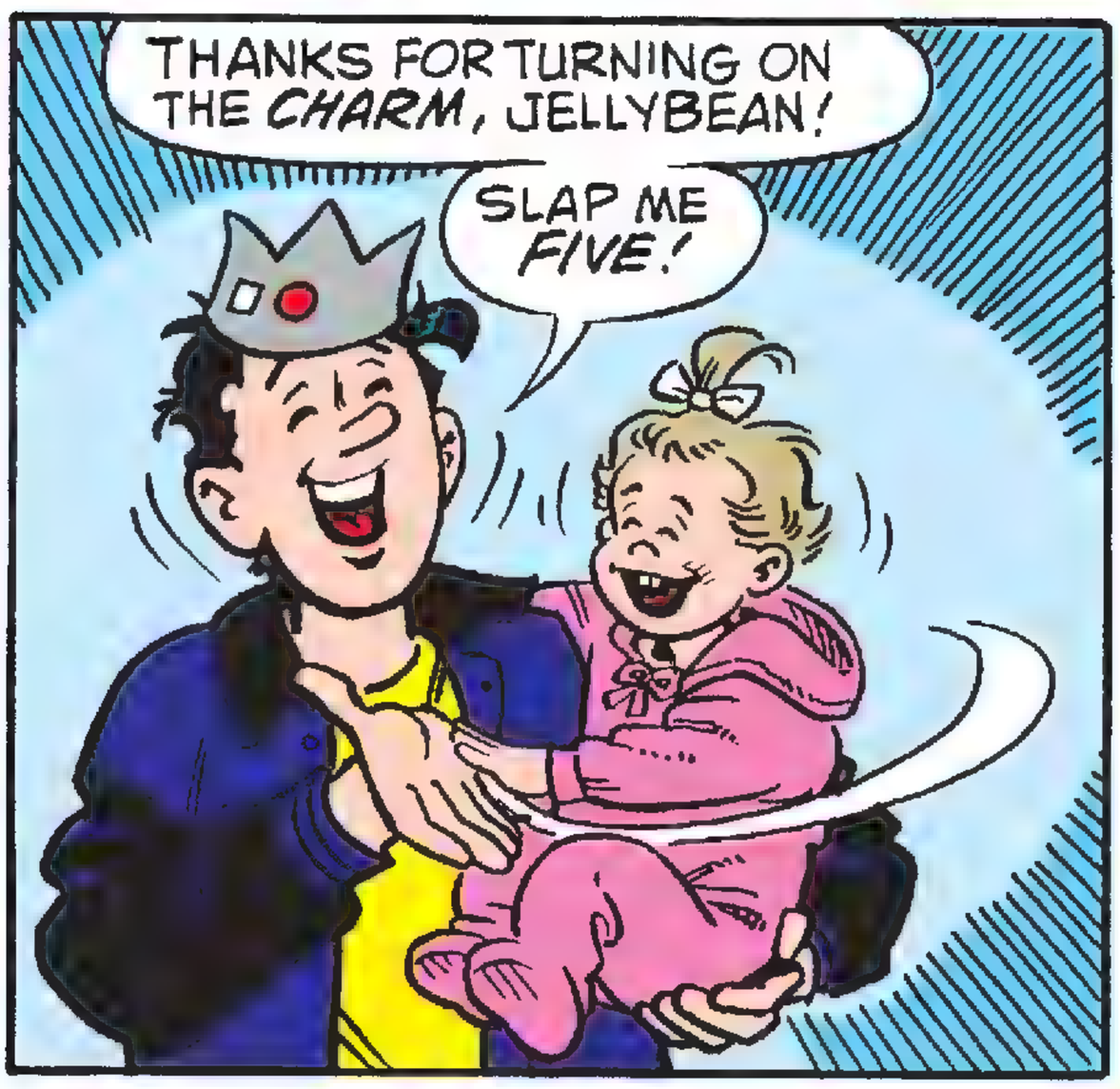

IT SHOULD BE RIGHT IN...
OOOPS!!
JUG
CLUNK!

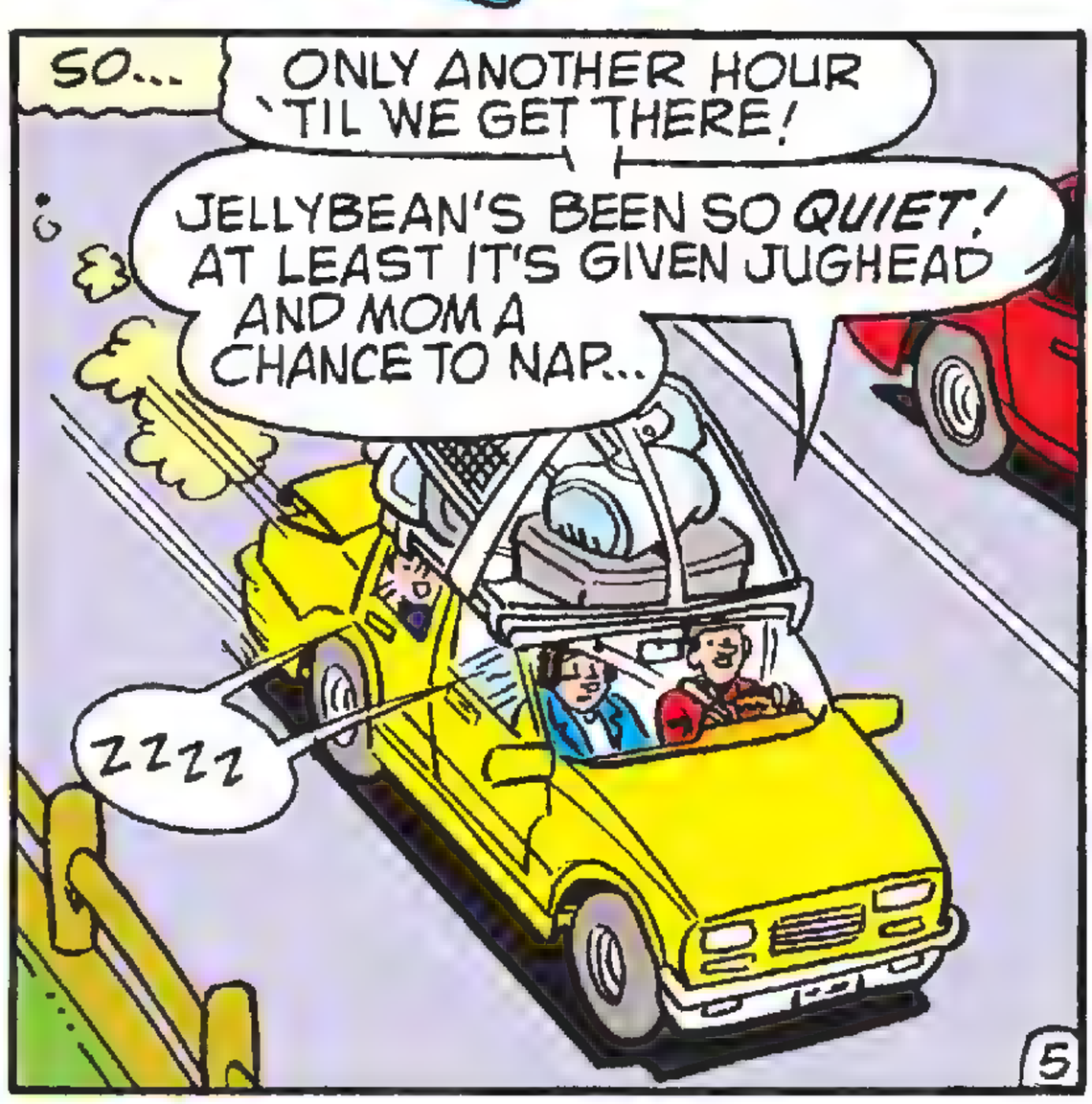

OH NO! OUR CLOTHES ARE BLOWING ALL OVER THE HIGHWAY!
AND MY DING DONGS FELL ALL OVER THE GROUND!
AND HERE COMES A COP!
REST STOP
JUG

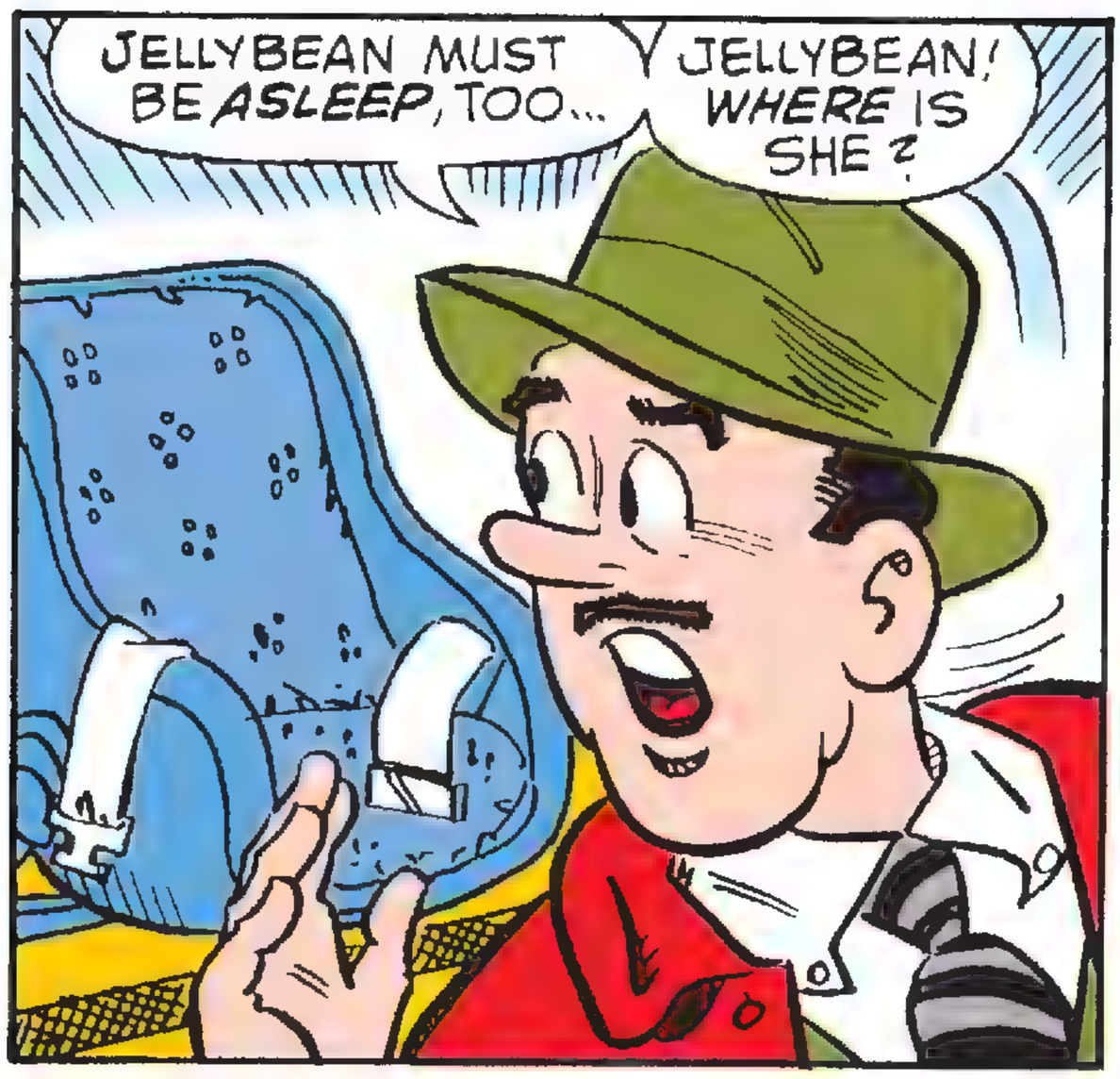
ER-HI, OFFICER! I SEE YOU FOUND SOME OF OUR CLOTHING!
DO YOU KNOW WHAT THE FINE FOR LITTERING IS?


SORRY, SIR! WE WERE JUST GETTING CLOTHES FOR HER...
GOO! GOO!
REST STOP

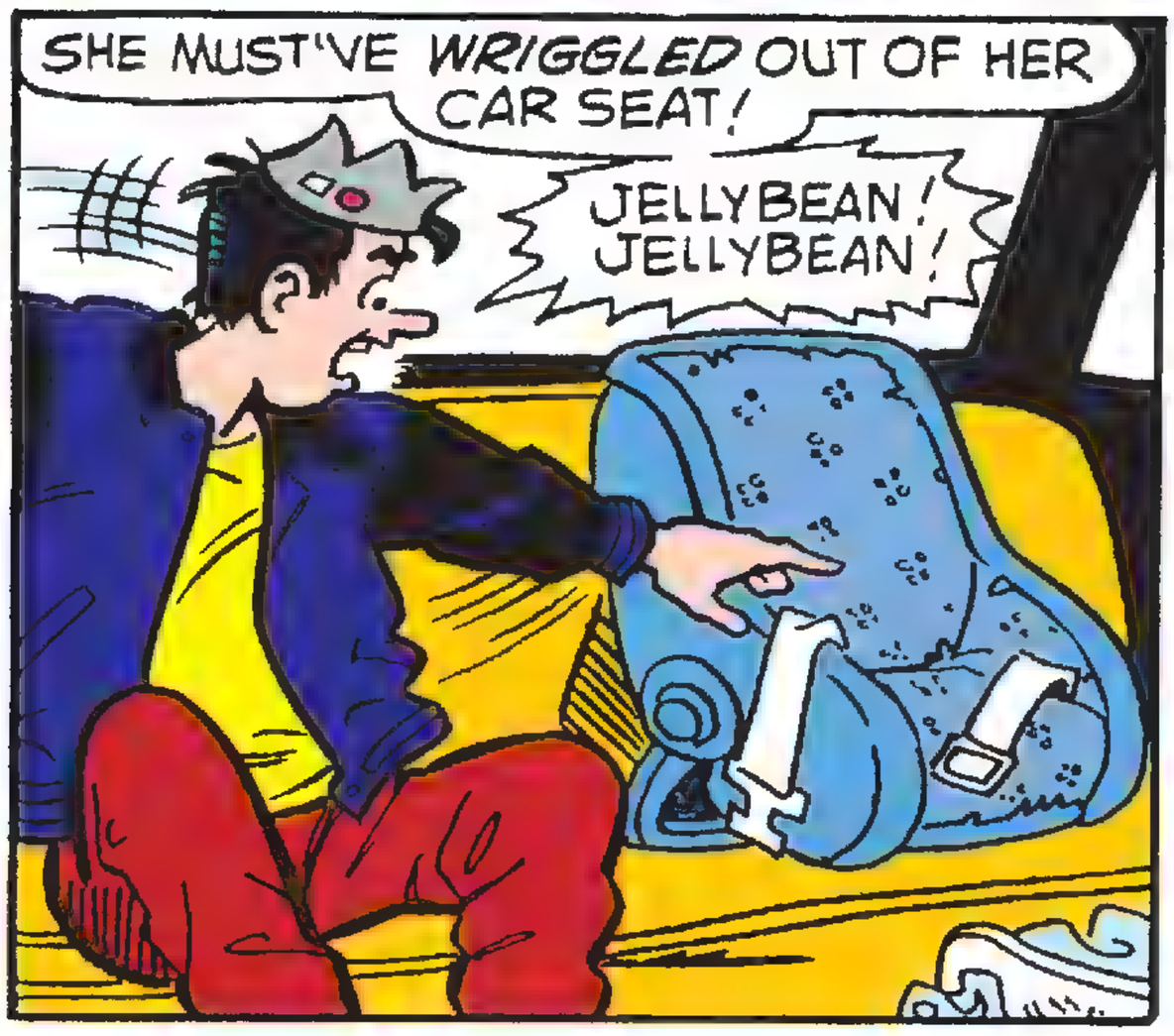

AW, WHAT A LITTLE CUTIE!
OKAY! MOVE ALONG! I'LL LET IT SLIDE THIS TIME! JUST PICK IT ALL UP!
JUG

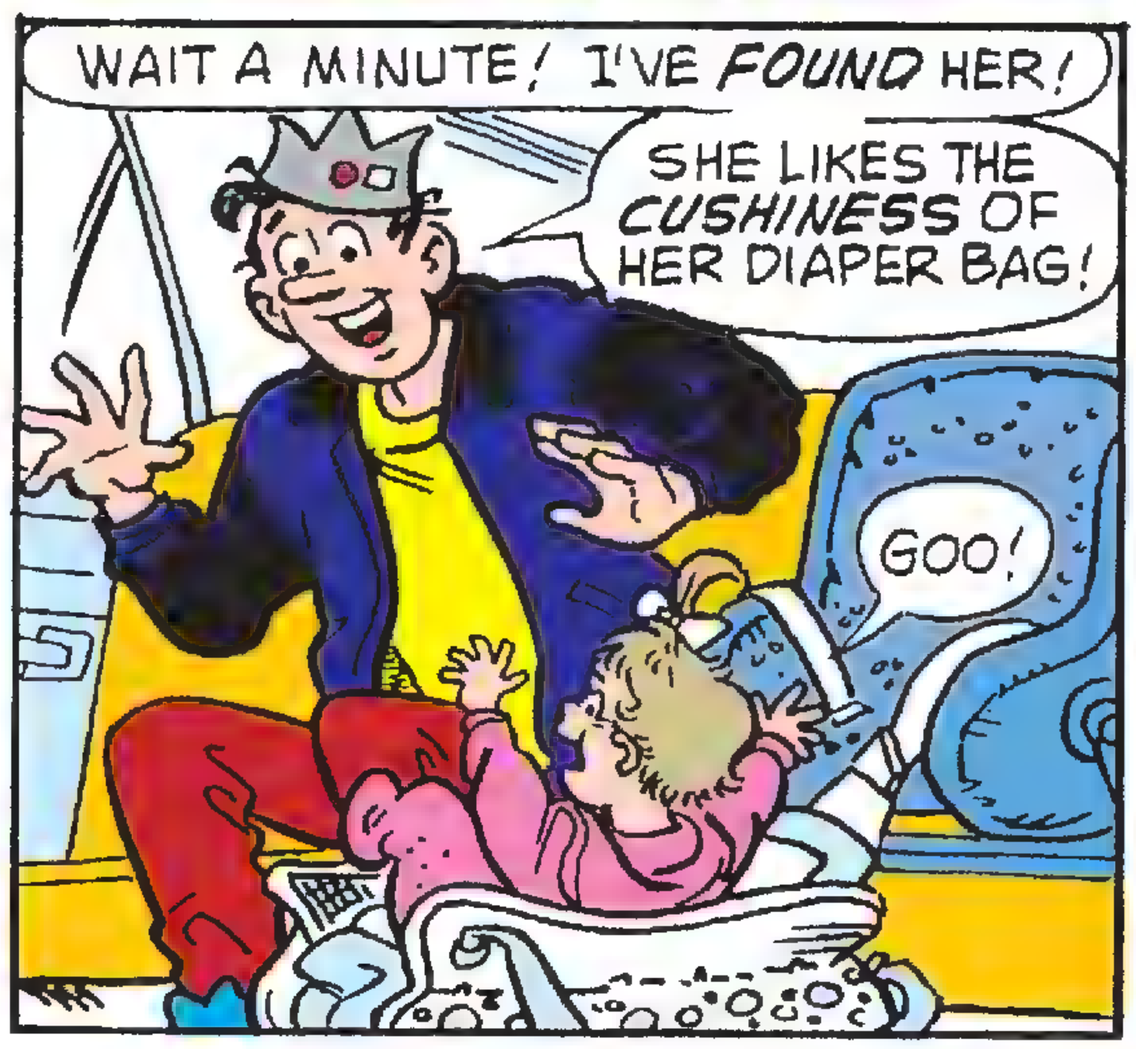

THANKS FOR TURNING ON THE CHARM, JELLYBEAN!
SLAP ME FIVE!

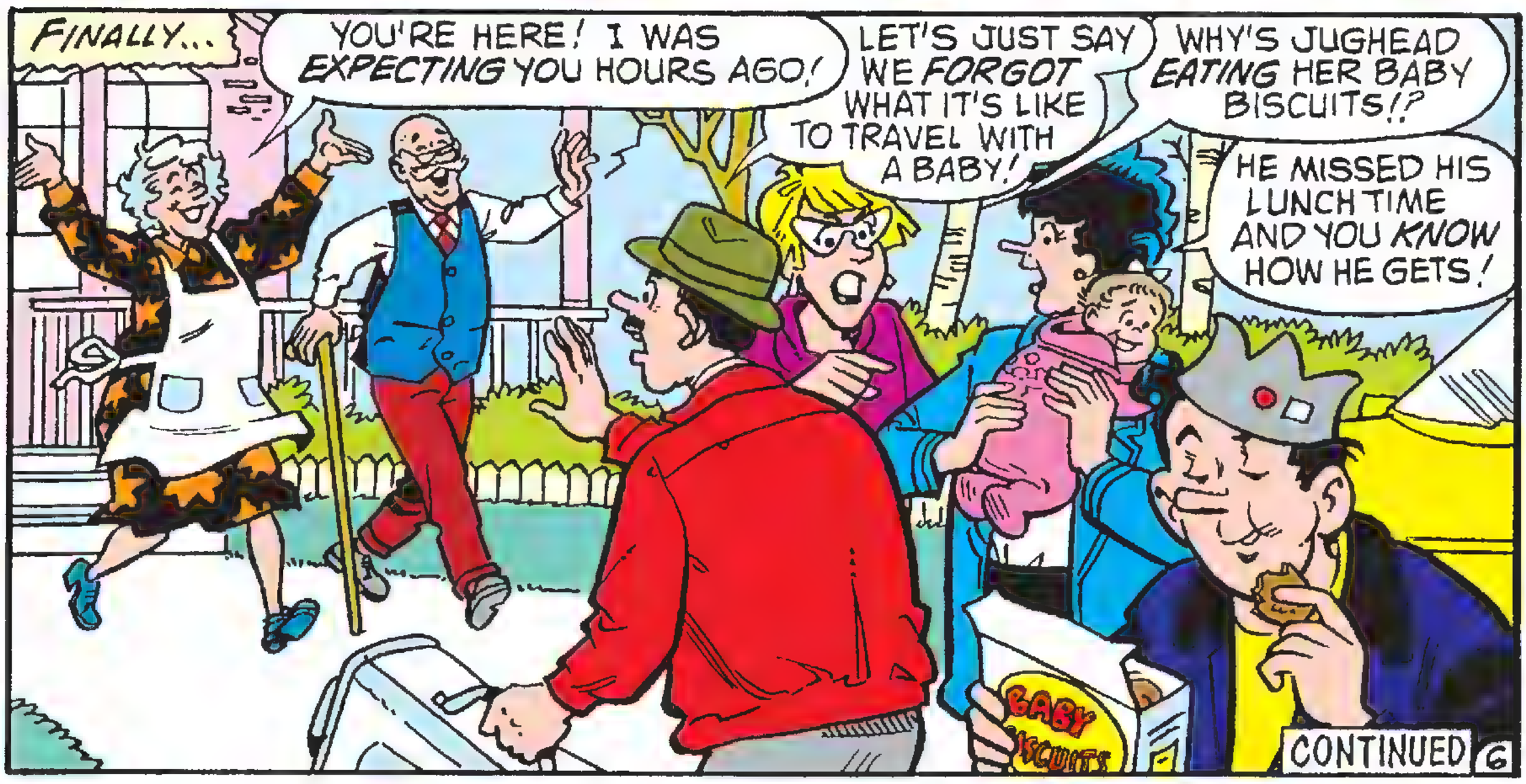

SO...
ONLY ANOTHER HOUR 'TIL WE GET THERE!
JELLYBEAN'S BEEN SO QUIET! AT LEAST IT'S GIVEN JUGHEAD AND MOM A CHANCE TO NAP...
ZZZZ


JELLYBEAN MUST BE ASLEEP, TOO...
JELLYBEAN! WHERE IS SHE?

WAKE UP! JELLYBEAN'S GONE!
WHA! HOW COULD THAT BE! SHE WAS HERE A FEW MINUTES AGO!

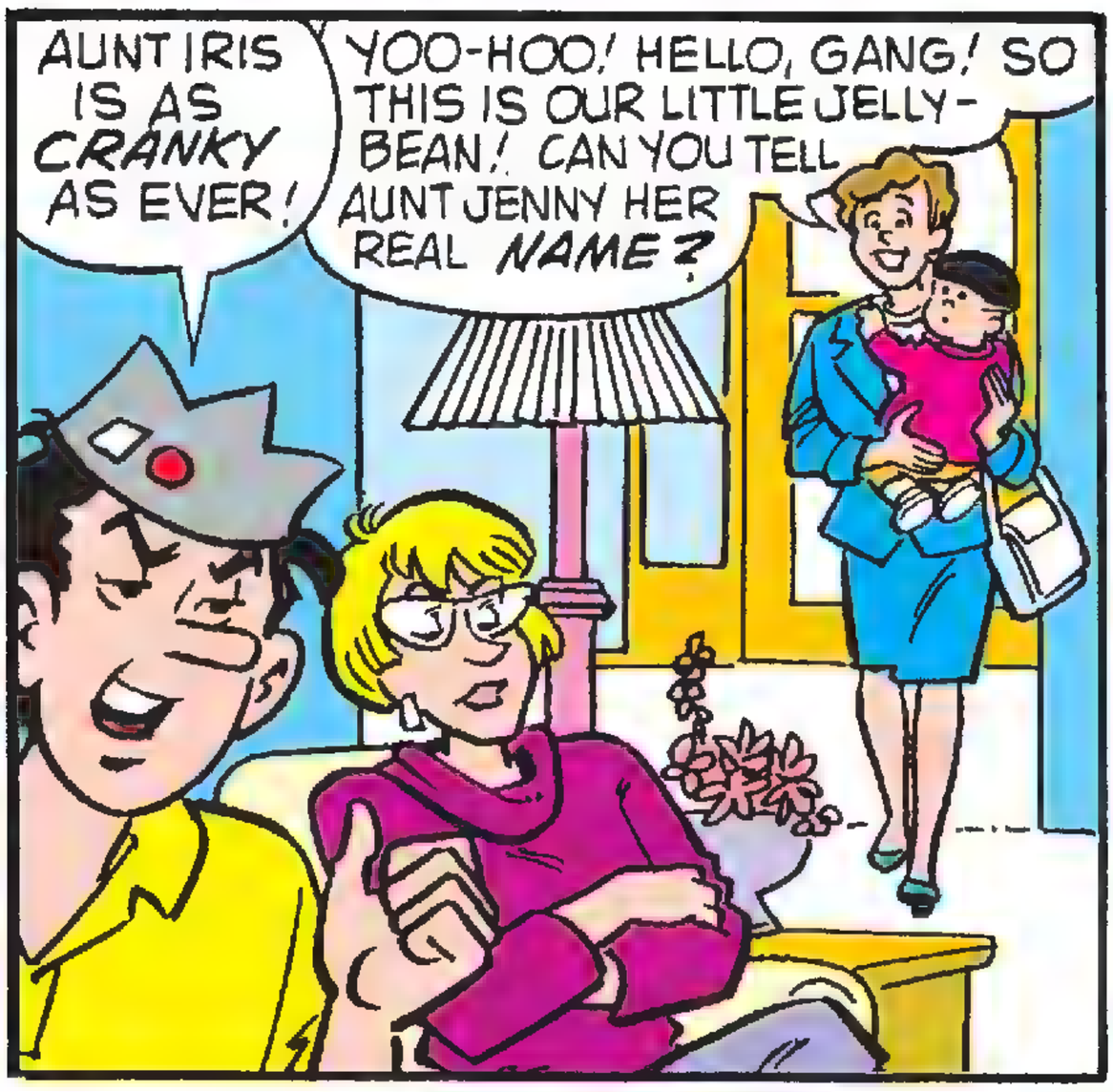

SHE MUST'VE WRIGGLED OUT OF HER CAR SEAT!
JELLYBEAN! JELLYBEAN!

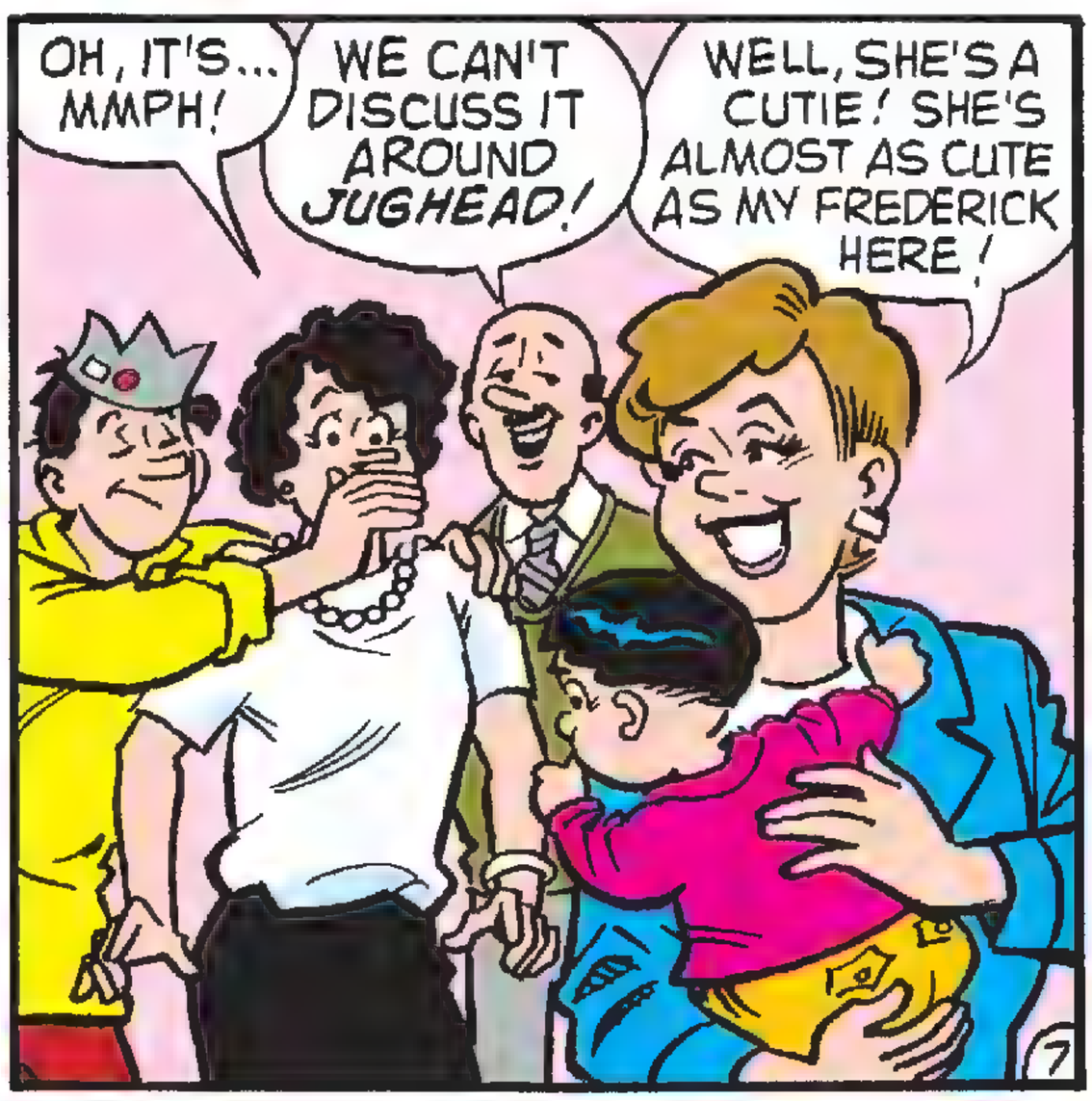

WAIT A MINUTE! I'VE FOUND HER!
SHE LIKES THE CUSHINESS OF HER DIAPER BAG!
GOO!

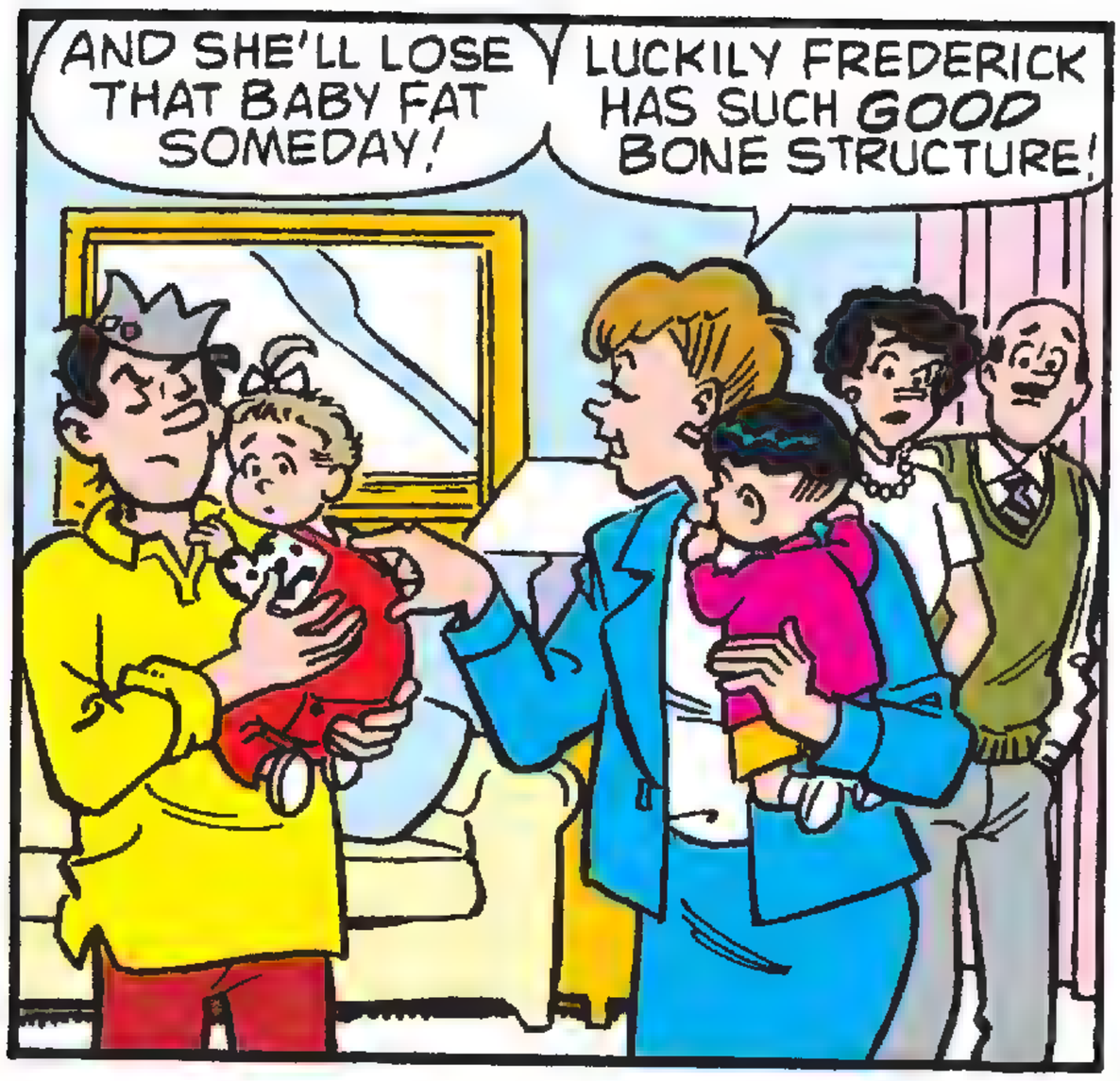

FINALLY...
YOU'RE HERE! I WAS EXPECTING YOU HOURS AGO!
LET'S JUST SAY WE FORGOT WHAT IT'S LIKE TO TRAVEL WITH A BABY!
WHY'S JUGHEAD EATING HER BABY BISCUITS!?
HE MISSED HIS LUNCH TIME AND YOU KNOW HOW HE GETS!
BABY BISCUITS
CONTINUED

Jughead
"ON THE ROAD AGAIN"
PART 2

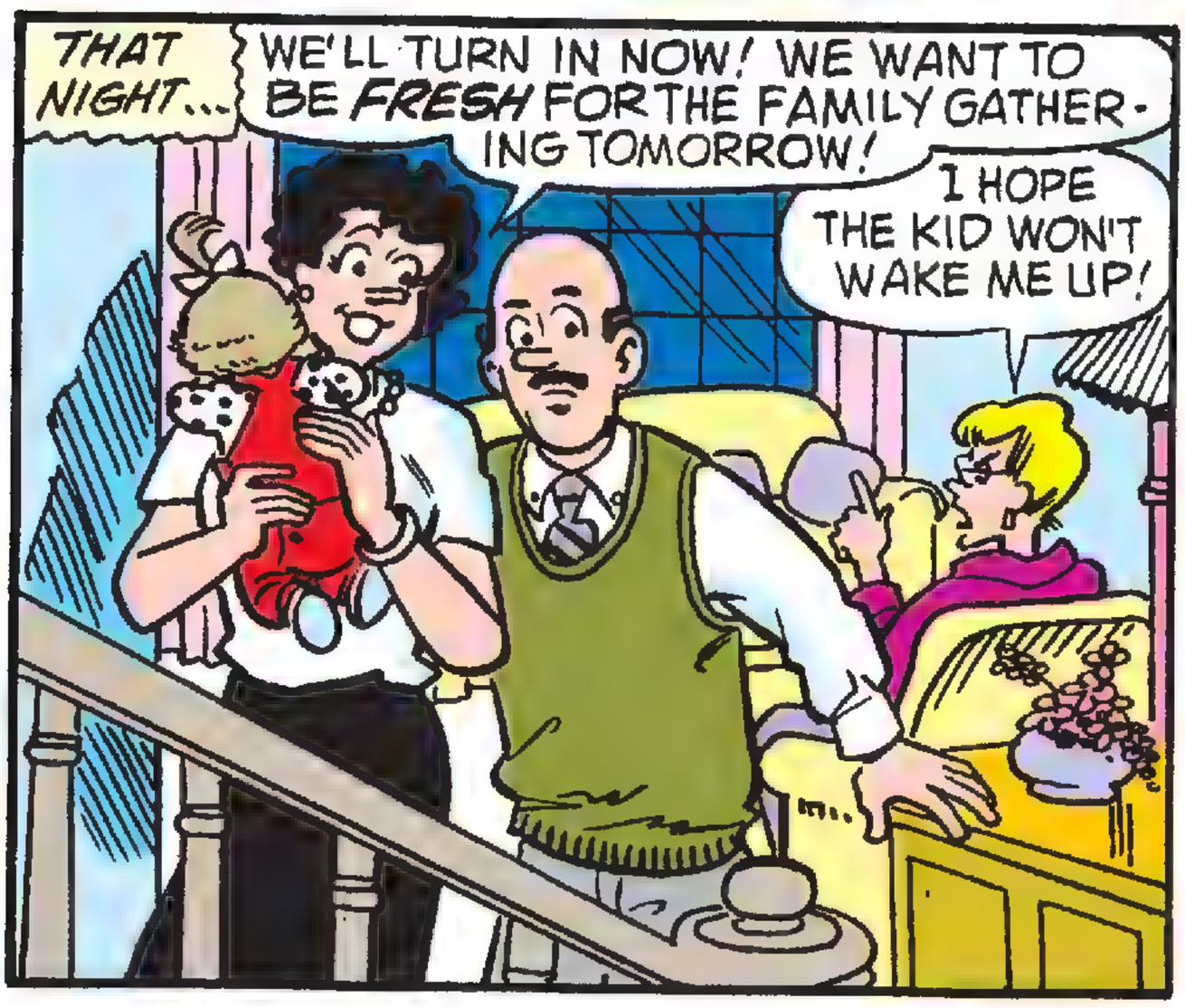
GOO GOO!
KOOTCHY! KOOTCHY!
OOGIE! BOOGIE!
WHAT A WIDDLE SWEETIE PIE!
FOR CRYING OUT *LOUD!* YOU'D THINK NOBODY EVER SAW A BABY BEFORE!



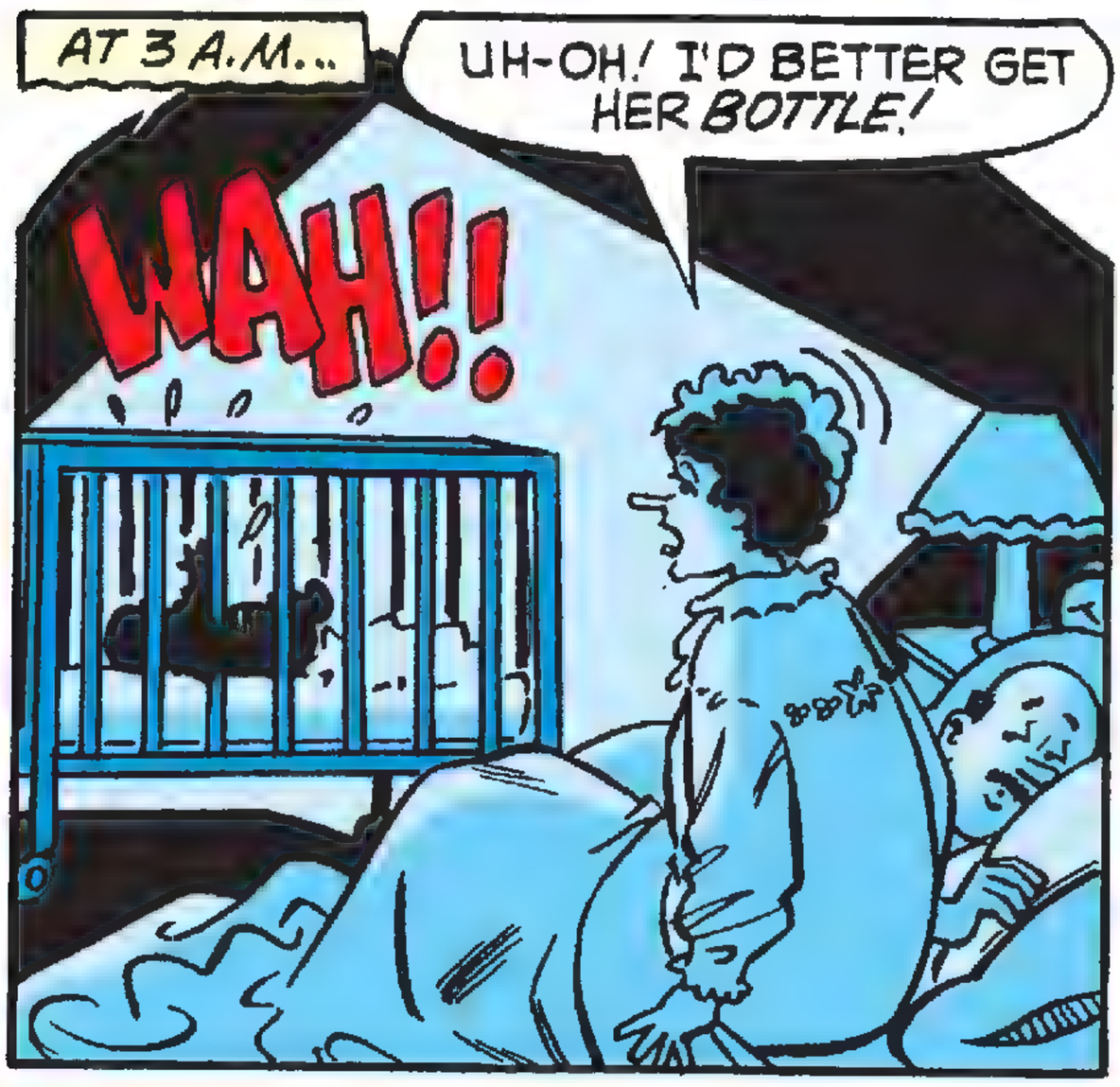


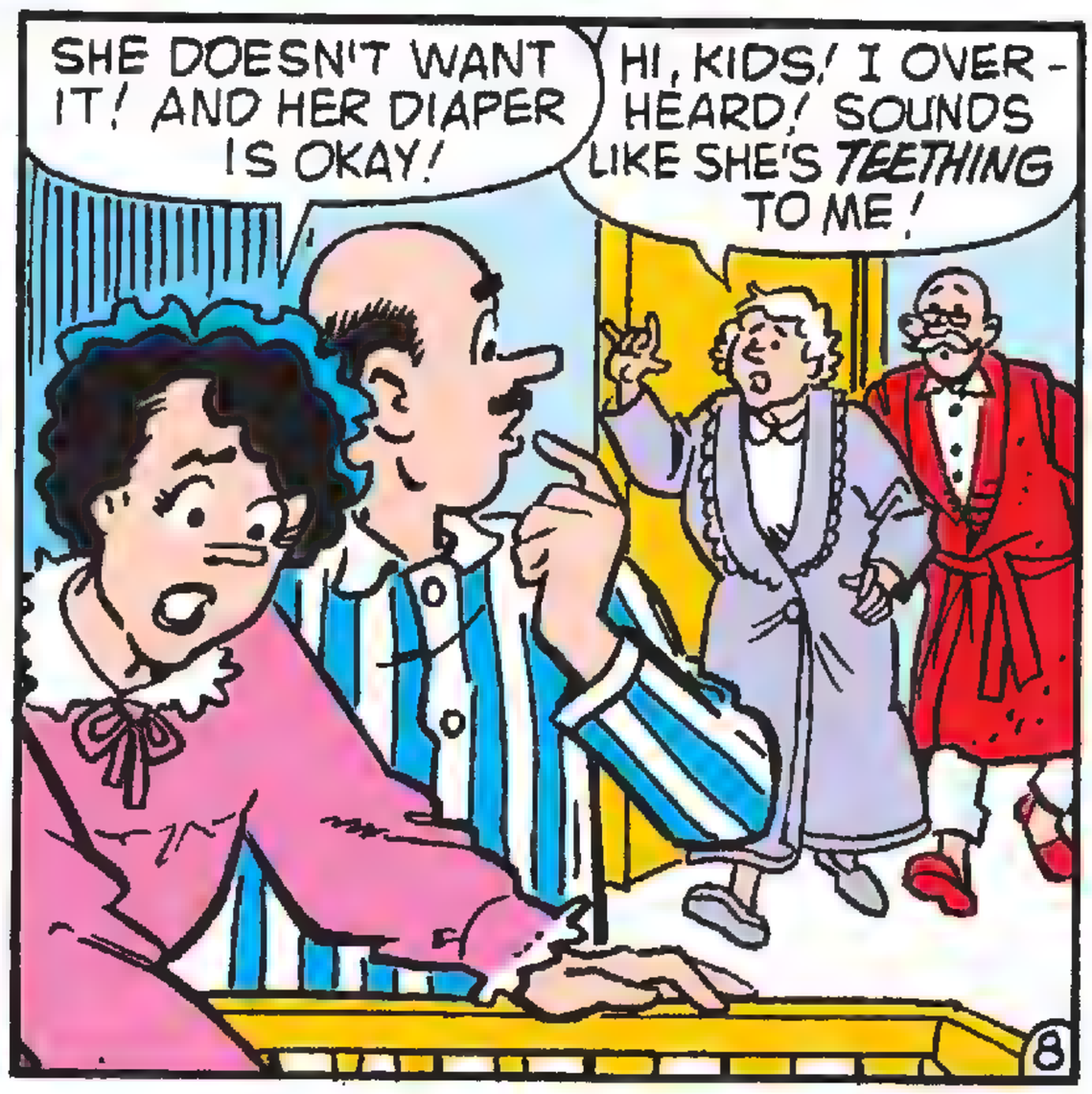

AND SHE'LL LOSE THAT BABY FAT SOMEDAY!
LUCKILY FREDERICK HAS SUCH GOOD BONE STRUCTURE!

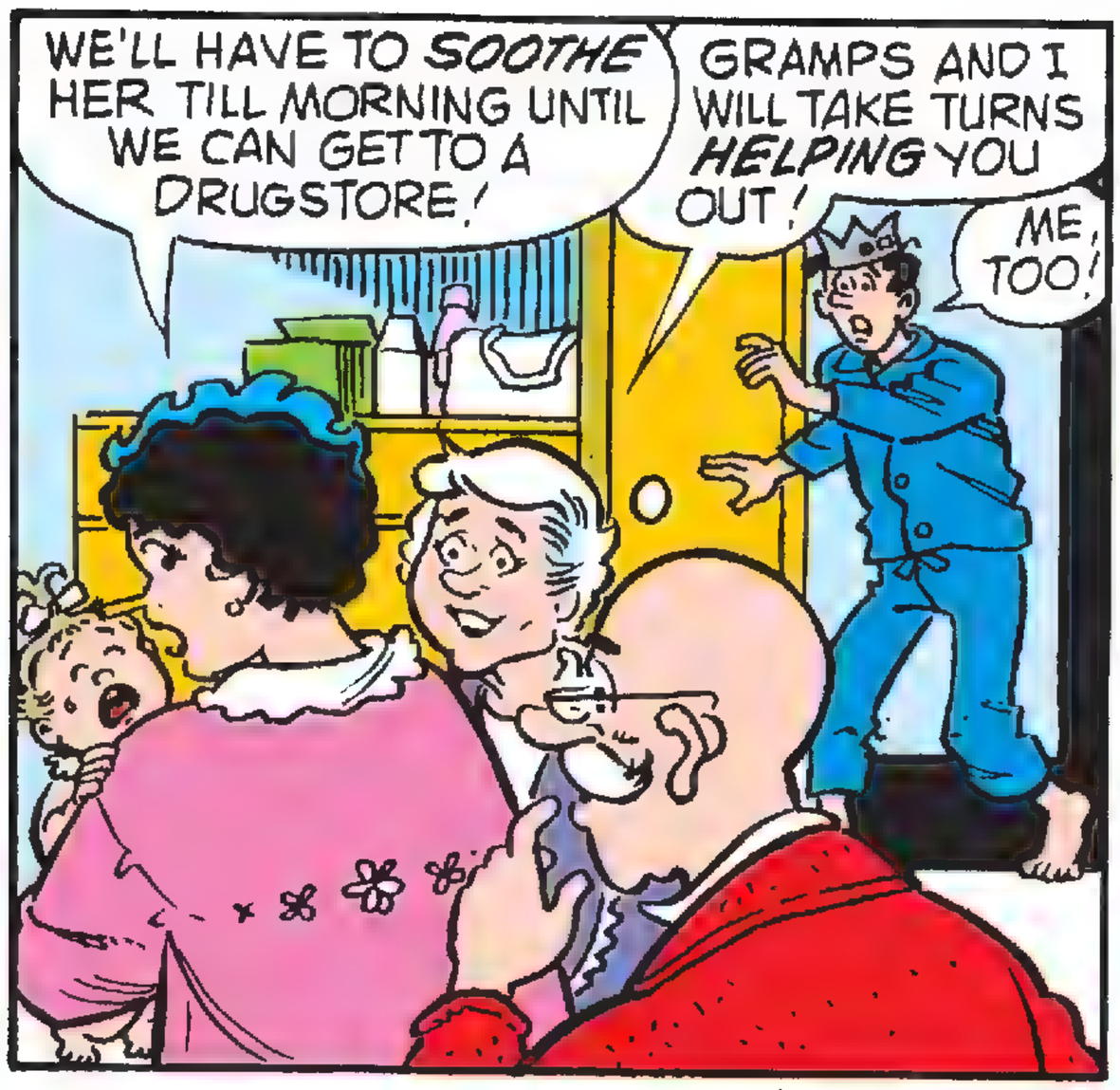
YOU SHOULD SEE WHAT FREDERICK DID THIS MORNING... BLAH BLAH...
REMIND ME, YOUR SISTER'S NEVER VISITING US!

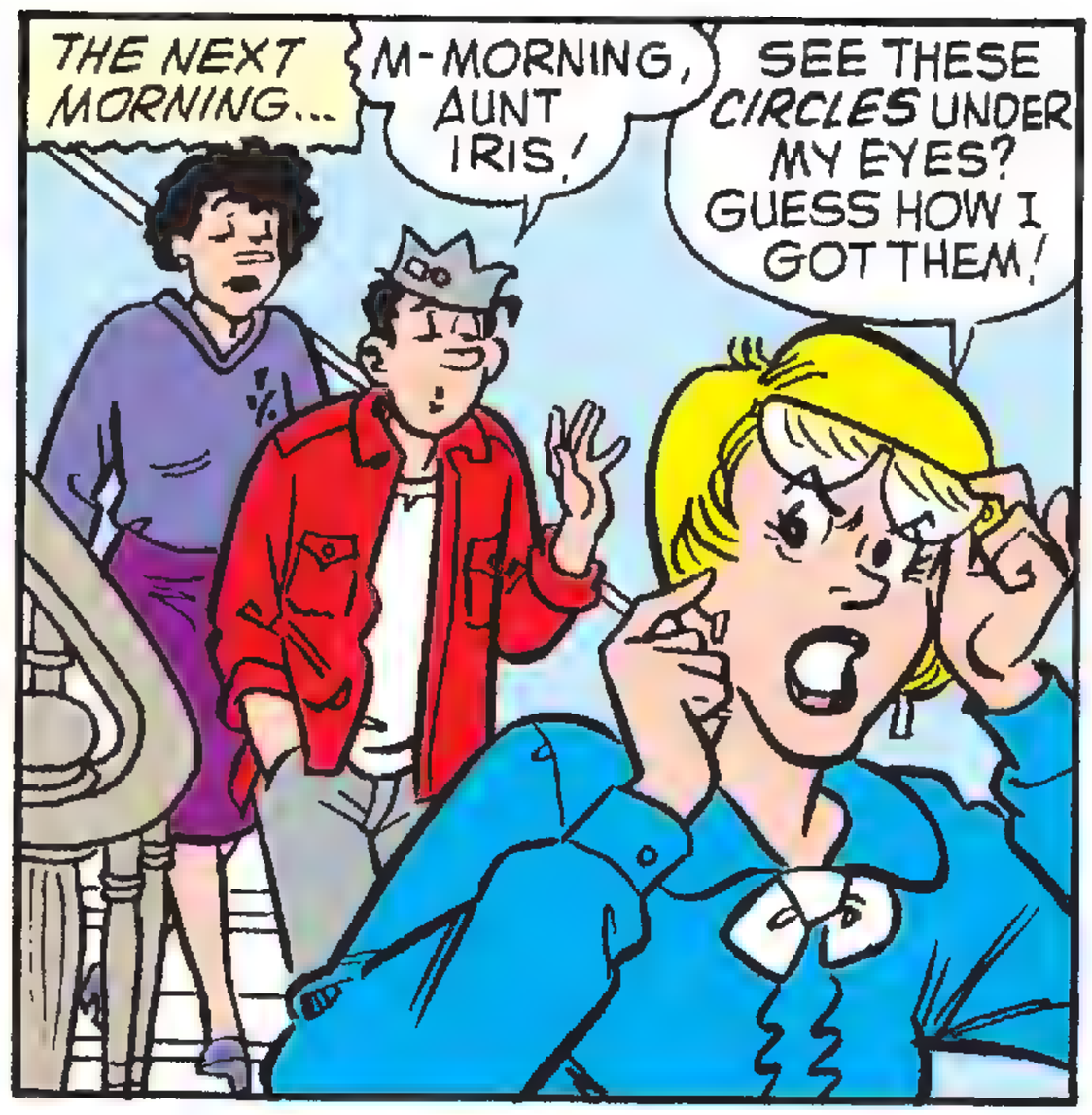

THAT NIGHT...
WE'LL TURN IN NOW! WE WANT TO BE FRESH FOR THE FAMILY GATHERING TOMORROW!
I HOPE THE KID WON'T WAKE ME UP!

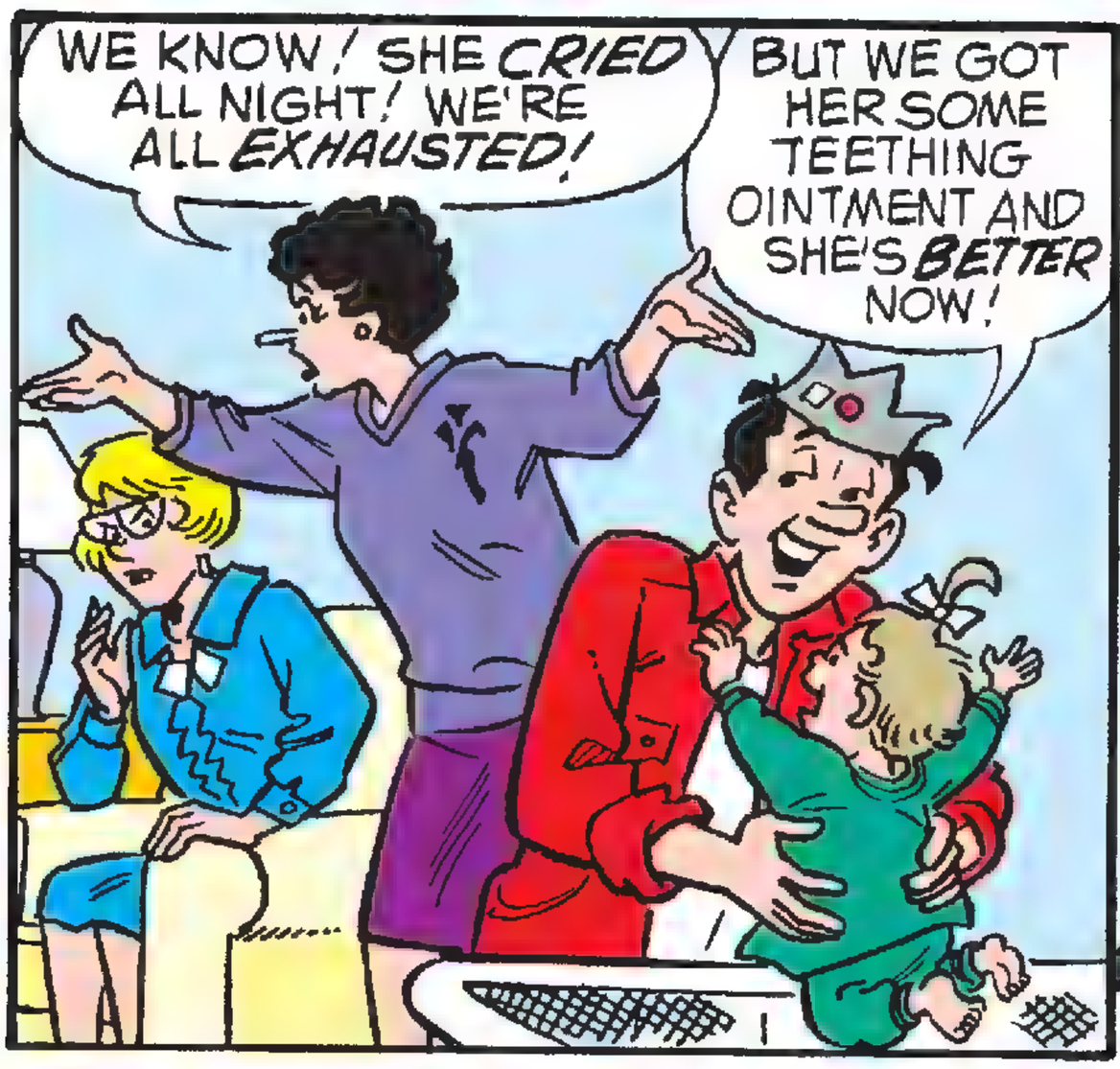
DON'T WORRY! SHE'S STARTING TO SLEEP THROUGH THE NIGHT!
WELL, I HOPE SO!

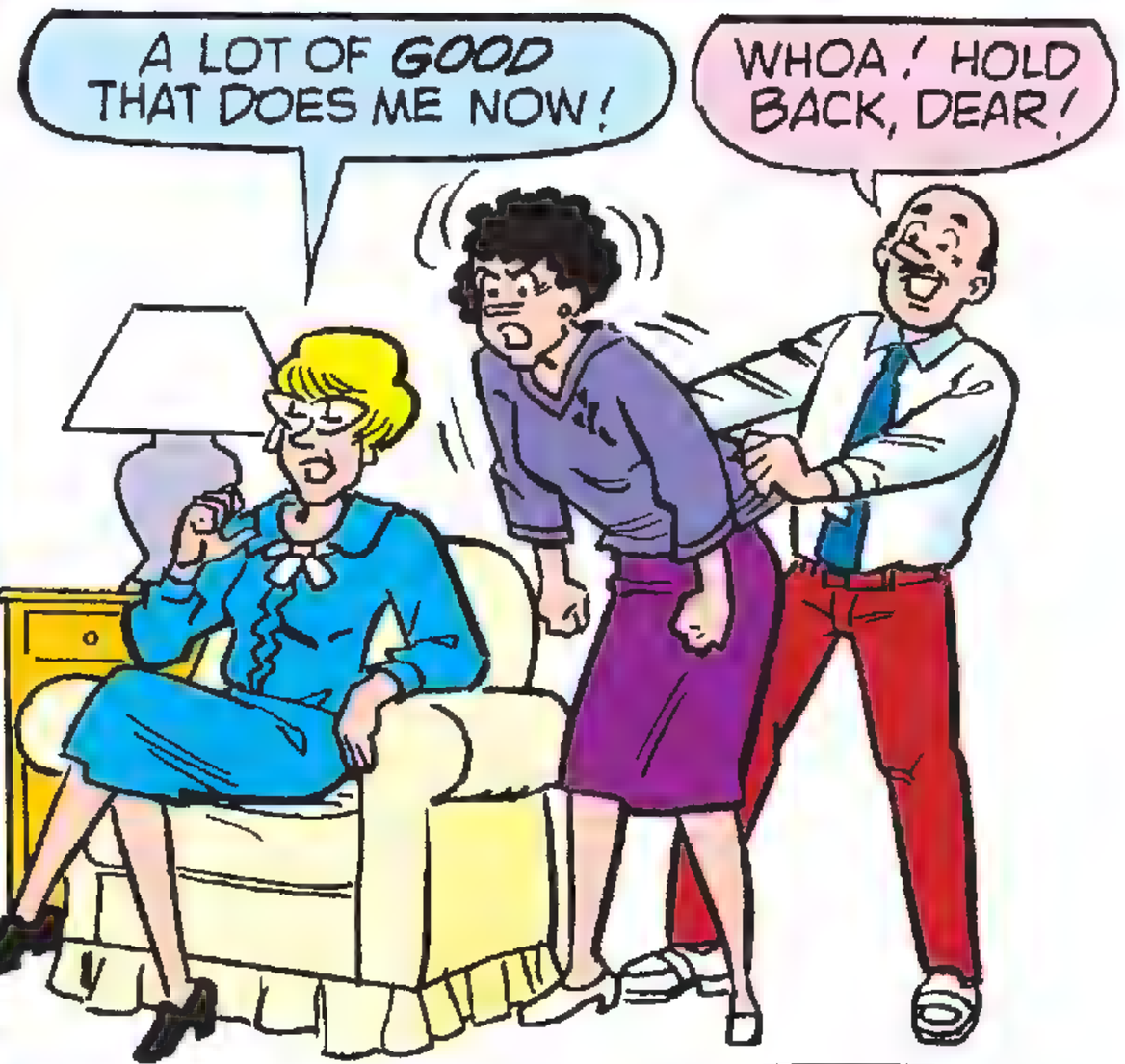

AT 3 A.M...
UH-OH! I'D BETTER GET HER BOTTLE!
WAH!!

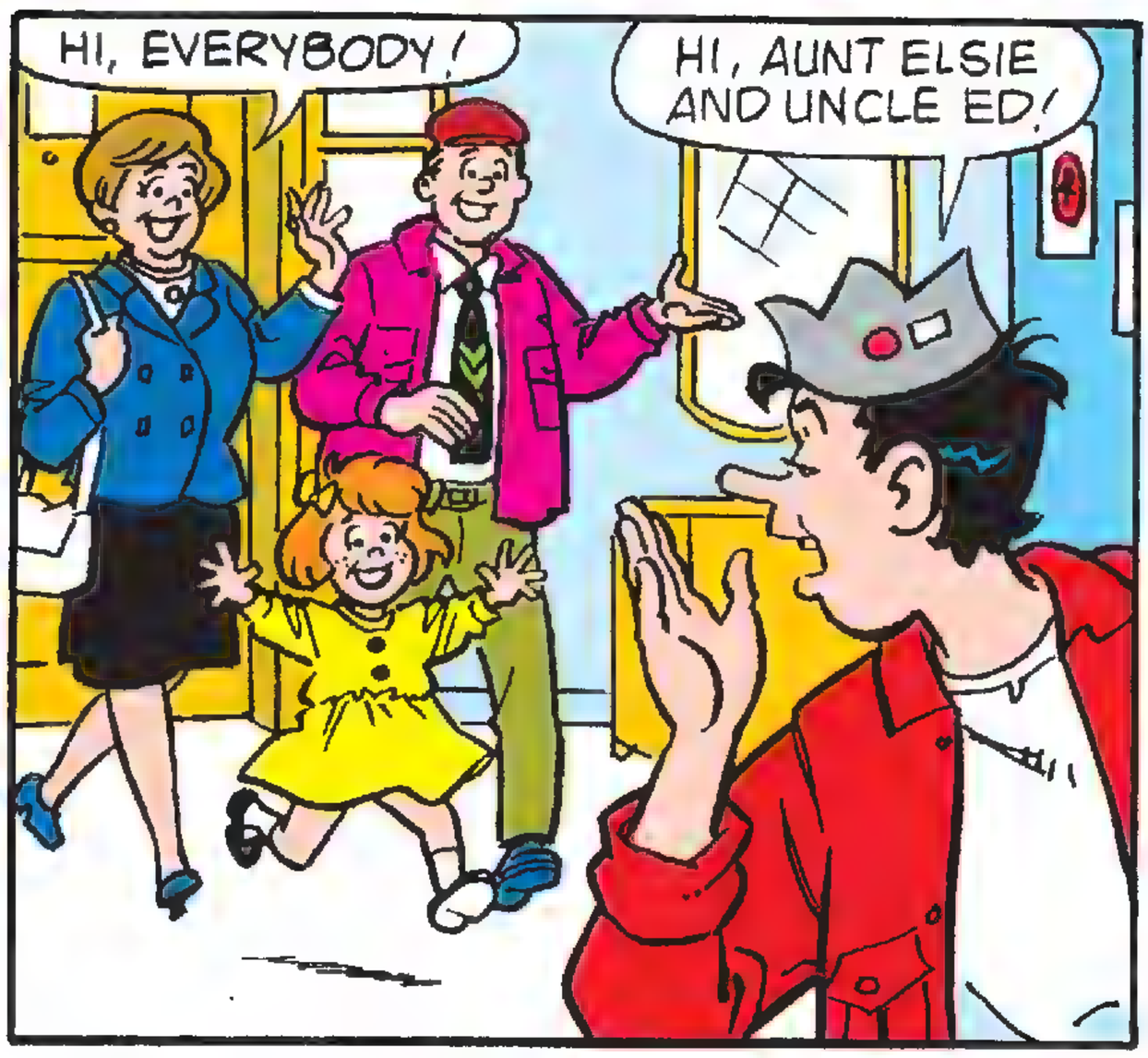

SHE DOESN'T WANT IT! AND HER DIAPER IS OKAY!
HI, KIDS! I OVERHEARD! SOUNDS LIKE SHE'S TEETHING TO ME!

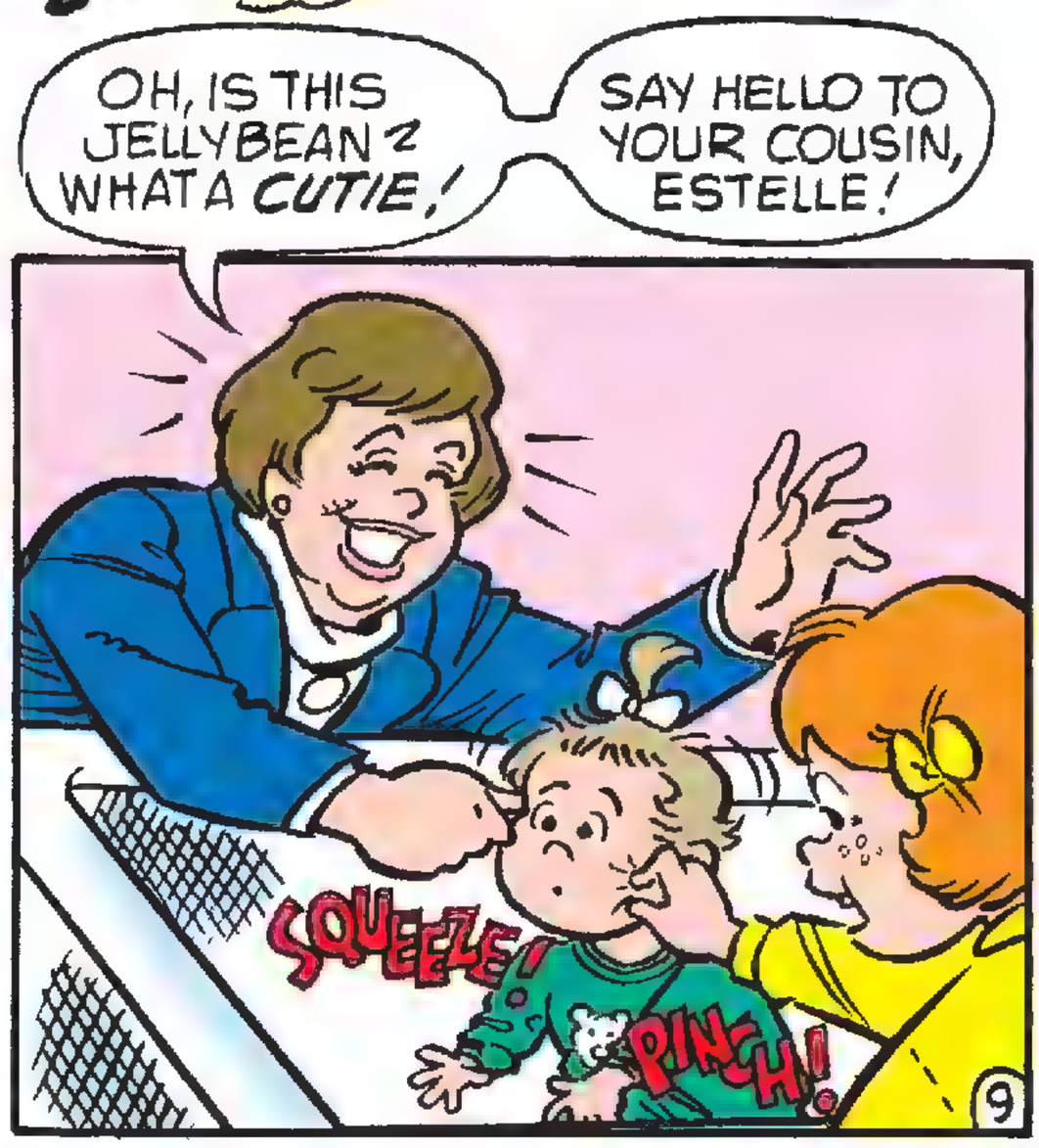

WE'LL HAVE TO SOOTHE HER TILL MORNING UNTIL WE CAN GET TO A DRUGSTORE!
GRAMPS AND I WILL TAKE TURNS HELPING YOU OUT!
ME, TOO!

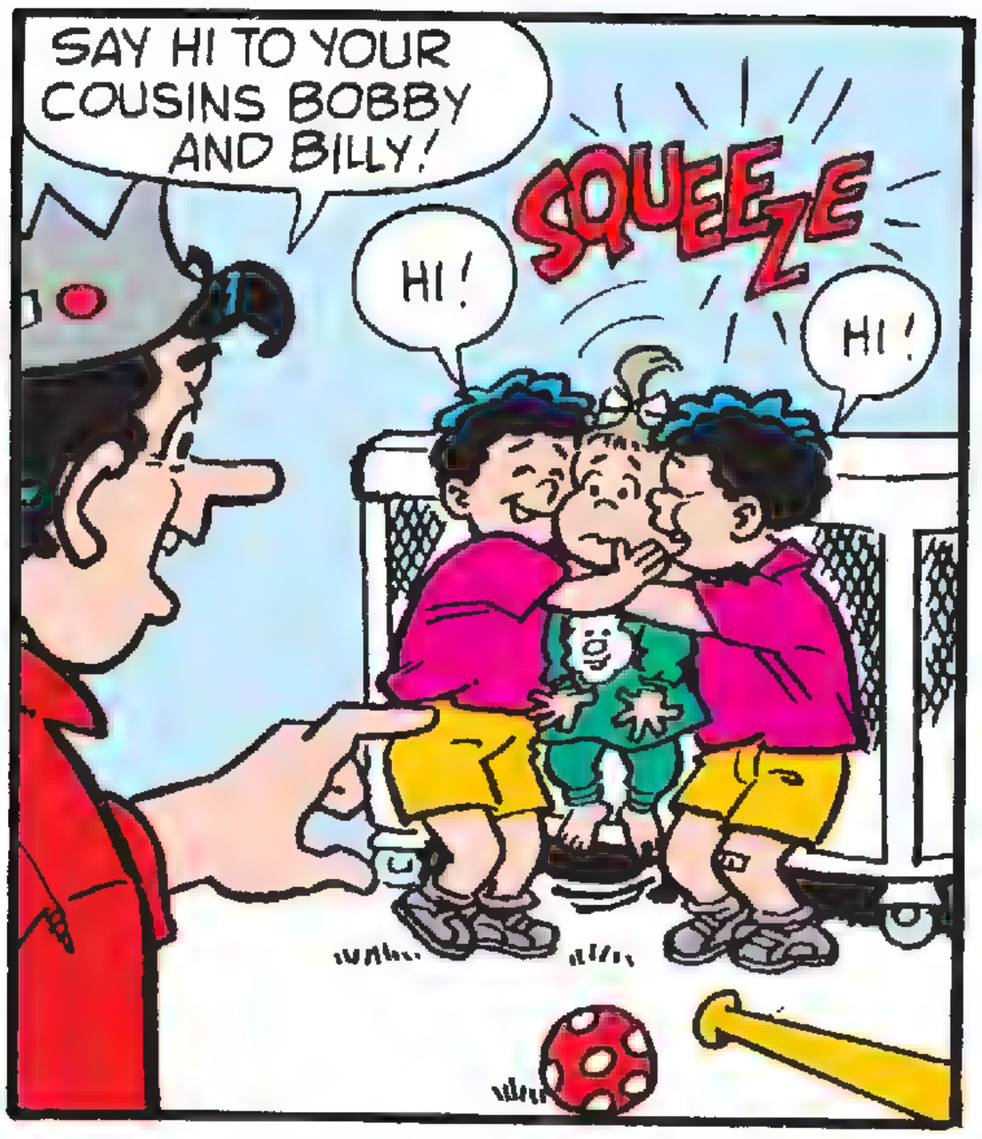

THE NEXT MORNING...
M-MORNING, AUNT IRIS!
SEE THESE CIRCLES UNDER MY EYES? GUESS HOW I GOT THEM!

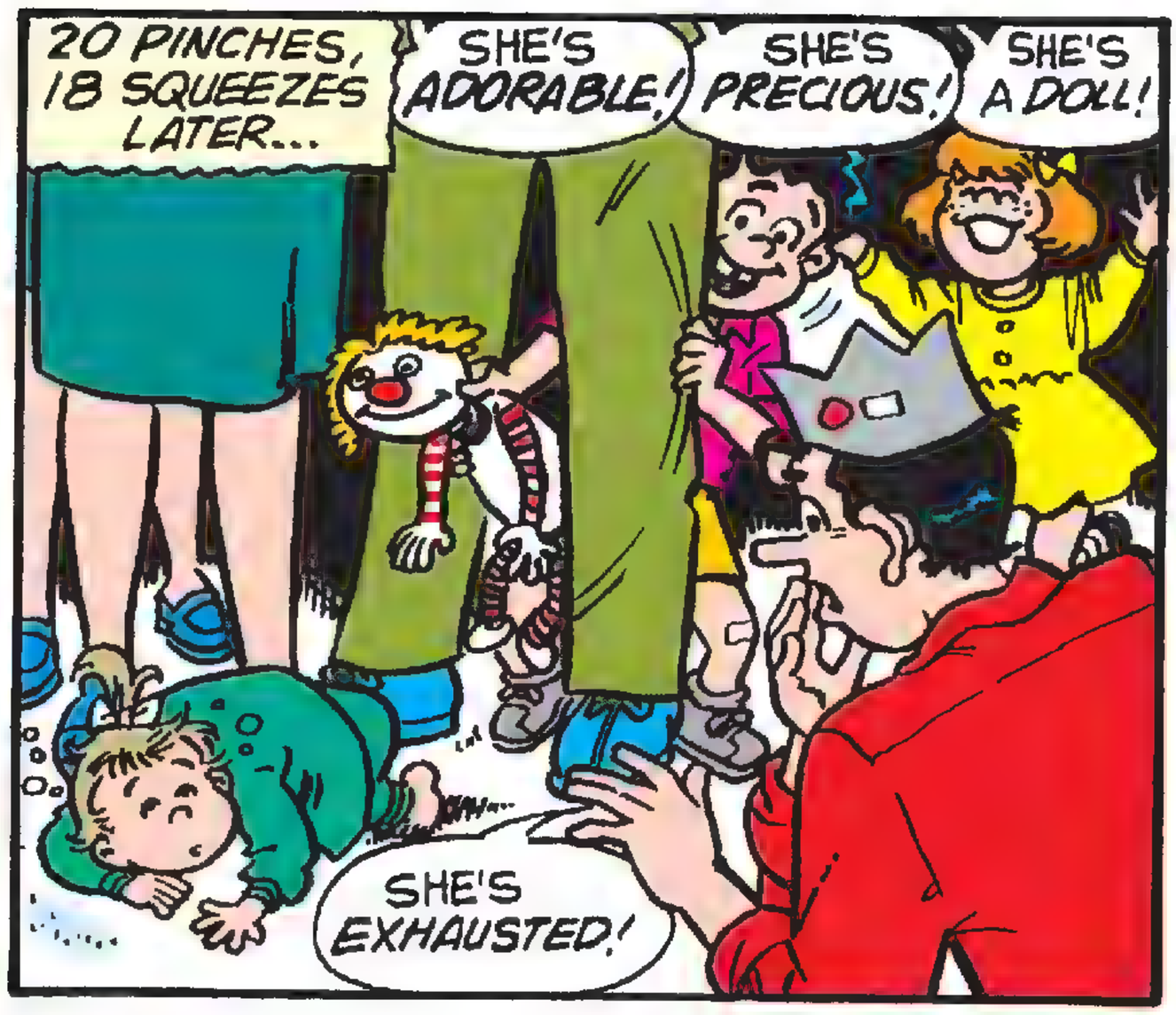

WE KNOW! SHE CRIED ALL NIGHT! WE'RE ALL EXHAUSTED!
BUT WE GOT HER SOME TEETHING OINTMENT AND SHE'S BETTER NOW!

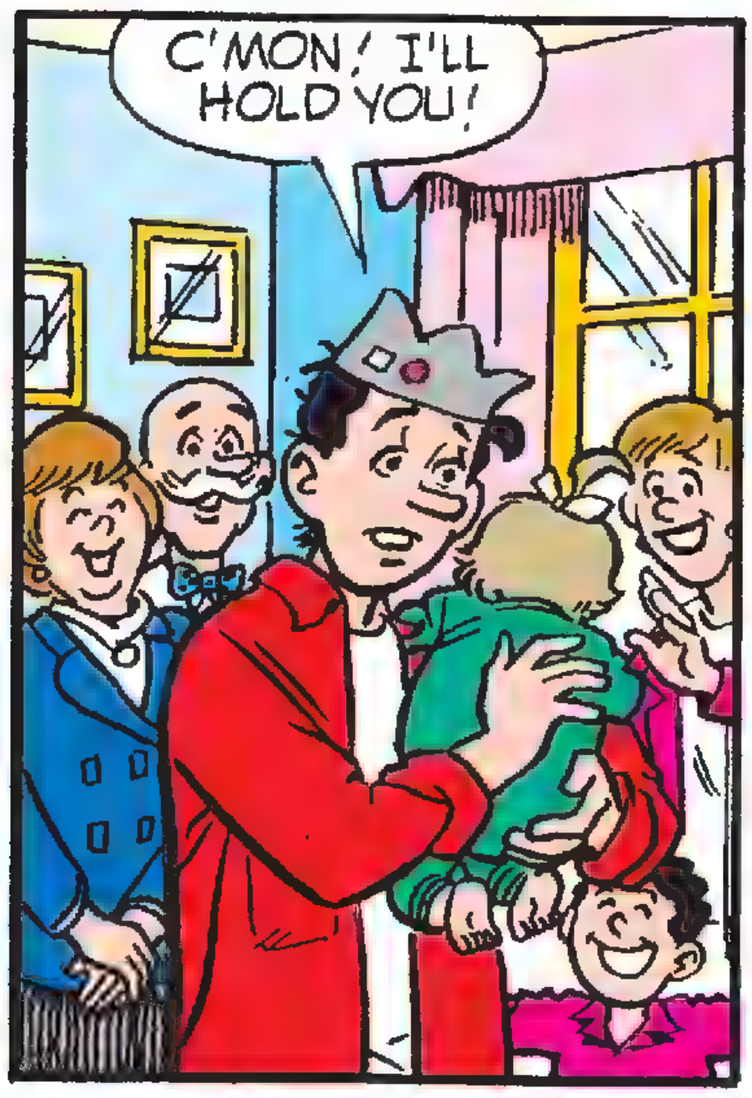

A LOT OF GOOD THAT DOES ME NOW!
WHOA! HOLD BACK, DEAR!


HI, EVERYBODY!
HI, AUNT ELSIE AND UNCLE ED!

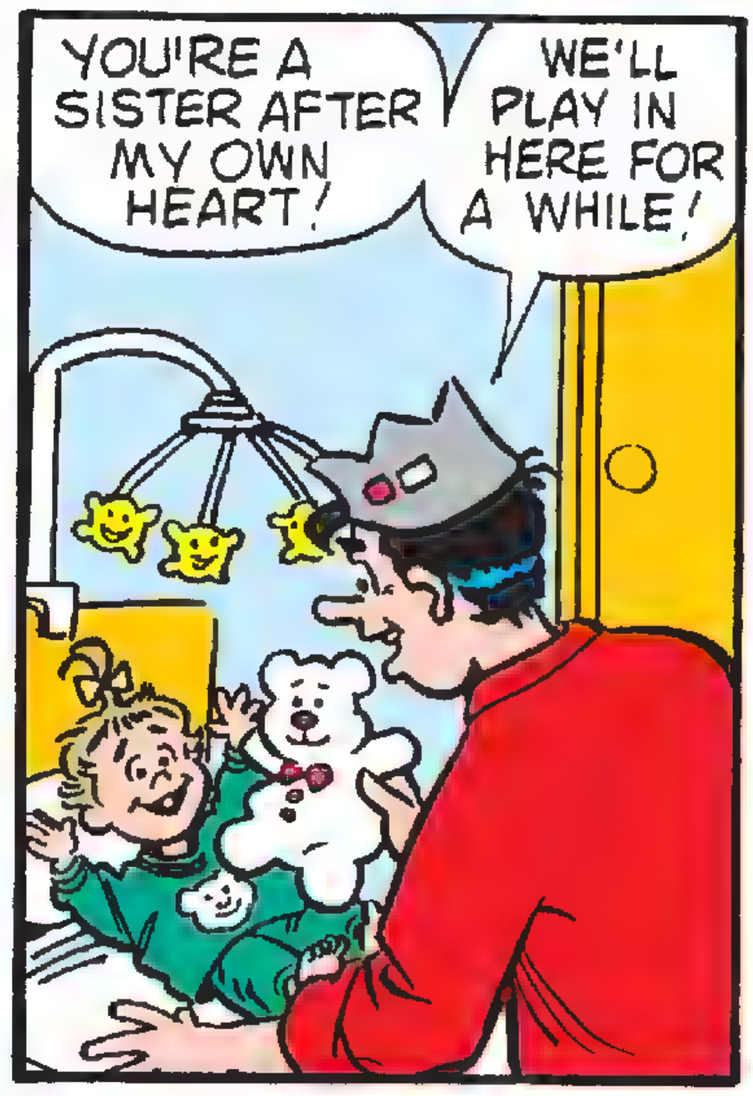

OH, IS THIS JELLYBEAN? WHAT A CUTIE!
SAY HELLO TO YOUR COUSIN, ESTELLE!
SQUEEZE!
PINCH!

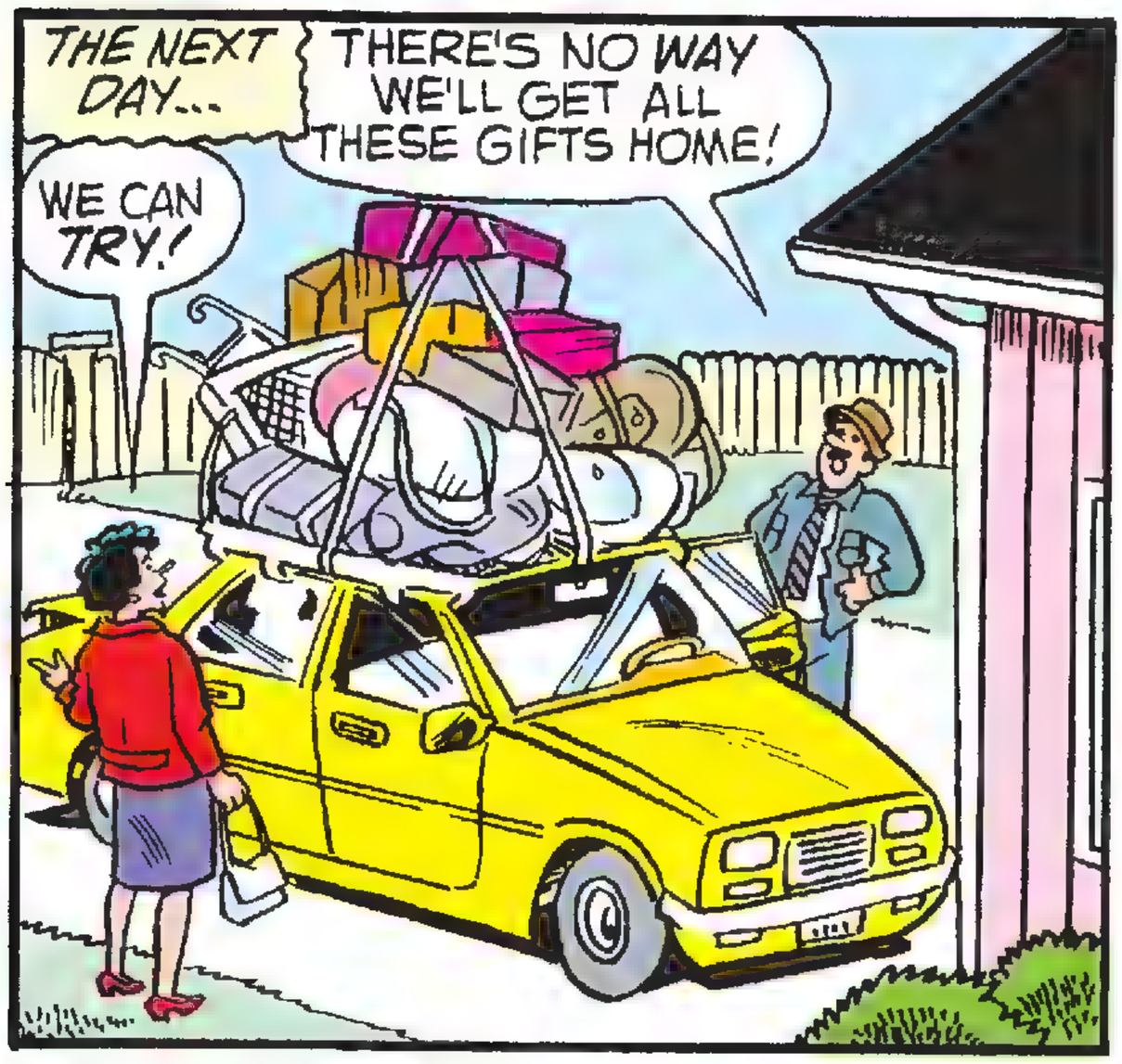

SAY HI TO YOUR COUSINS BOBBY AND BILLY!
HI!
SQUEEZE
HI!


20 PINCHES, 18 SQUEEZES LATER...
SHE'S ADORABLE!
SHE'S PRECIOUS!
SHE'S A DOLL!
SHE'S EXHAUSTED!

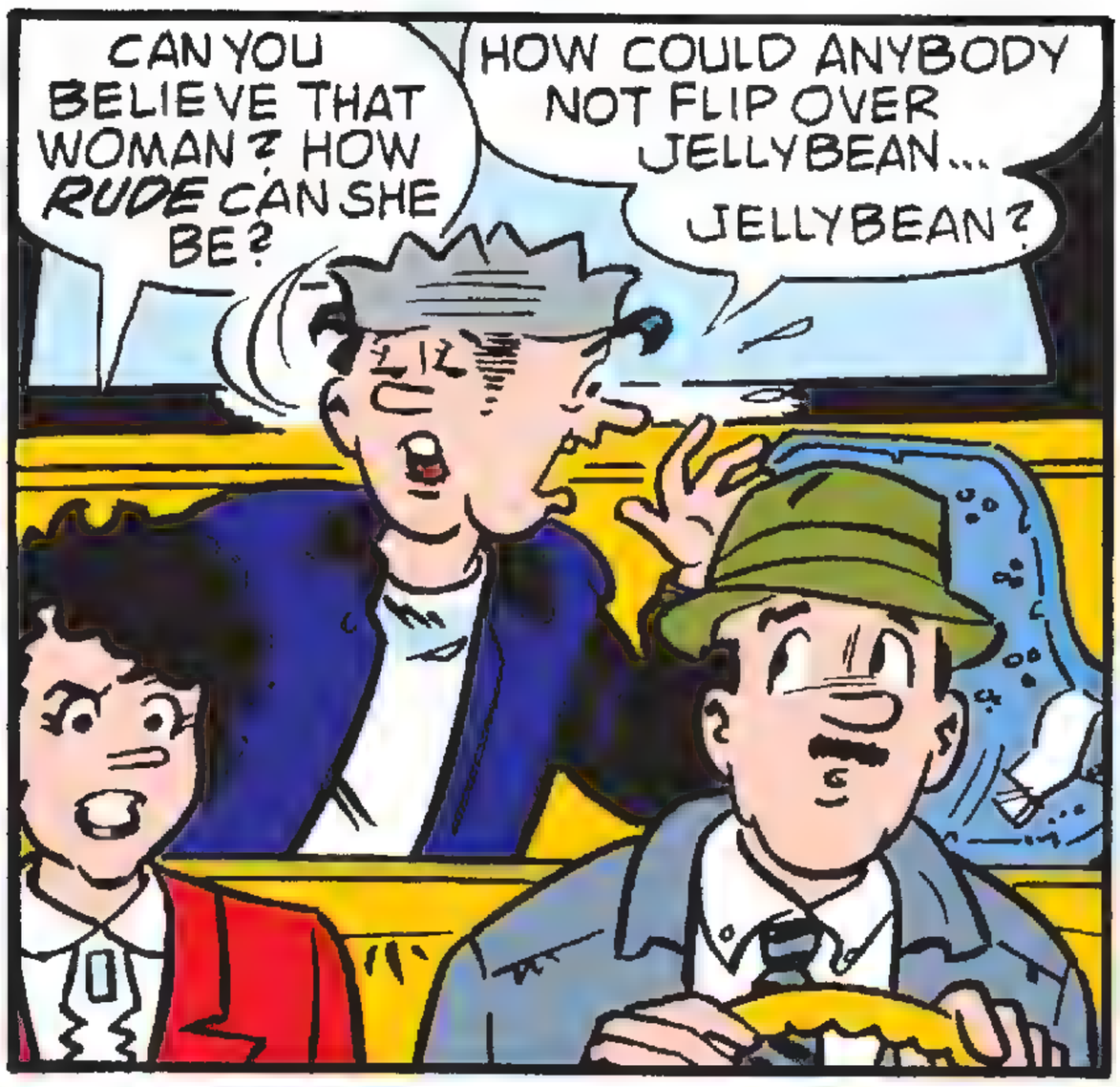

C'MON! I'LL HOLD YOU!

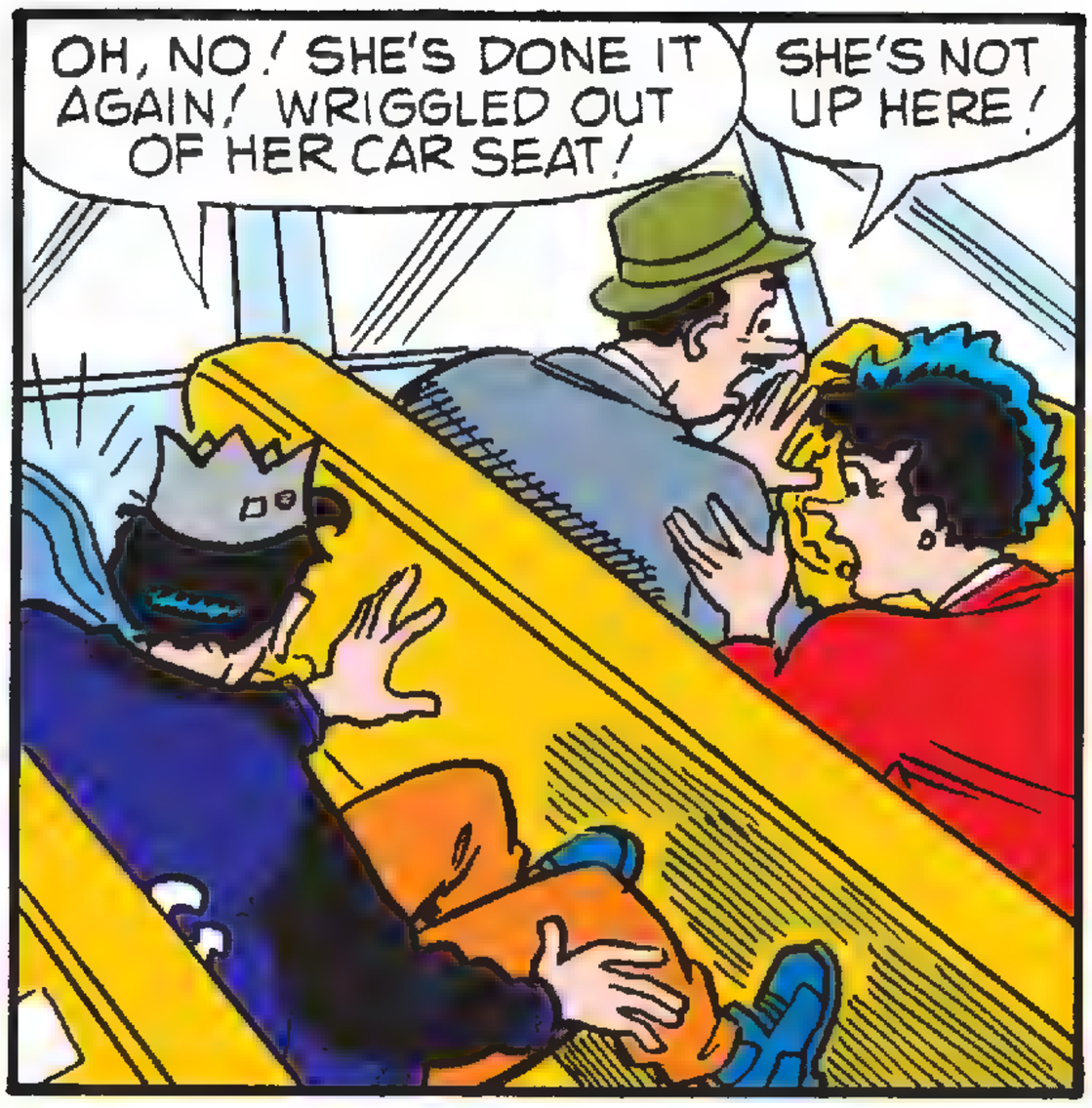
HEY, YOU'RE ALL SMILEY NOW! YOU WERE JUST FAKING SLEEP TO GET AWAY!


YOU'RE A SISTER AFTER MY OWN HEART!
WE'LL PLAY IN HERE FOR A WHILE!

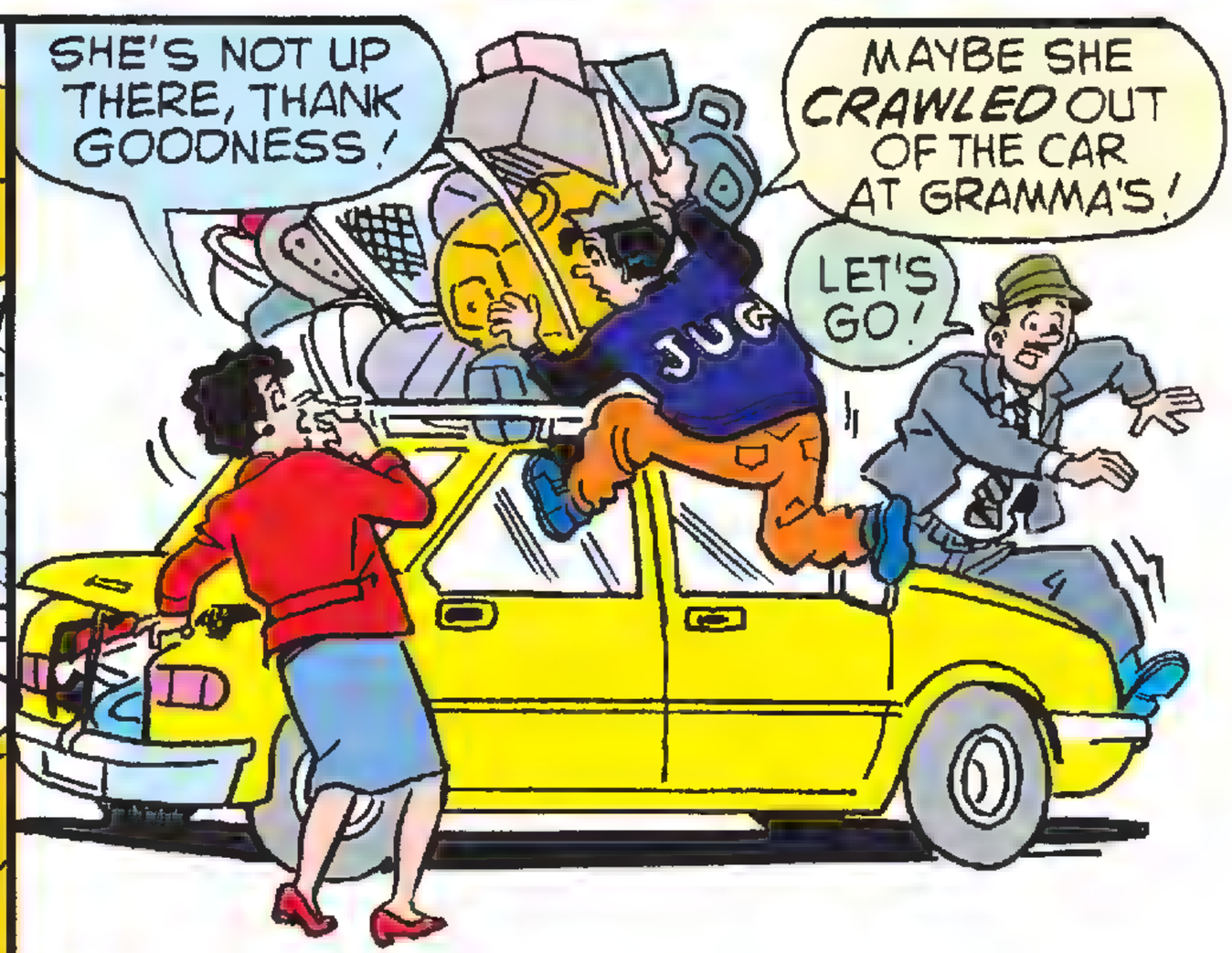

THE NEXT DAY...
THERE'S NO WAY WE'LL GET ALL THESE GIFTS HOME!
WE CAN TRY!

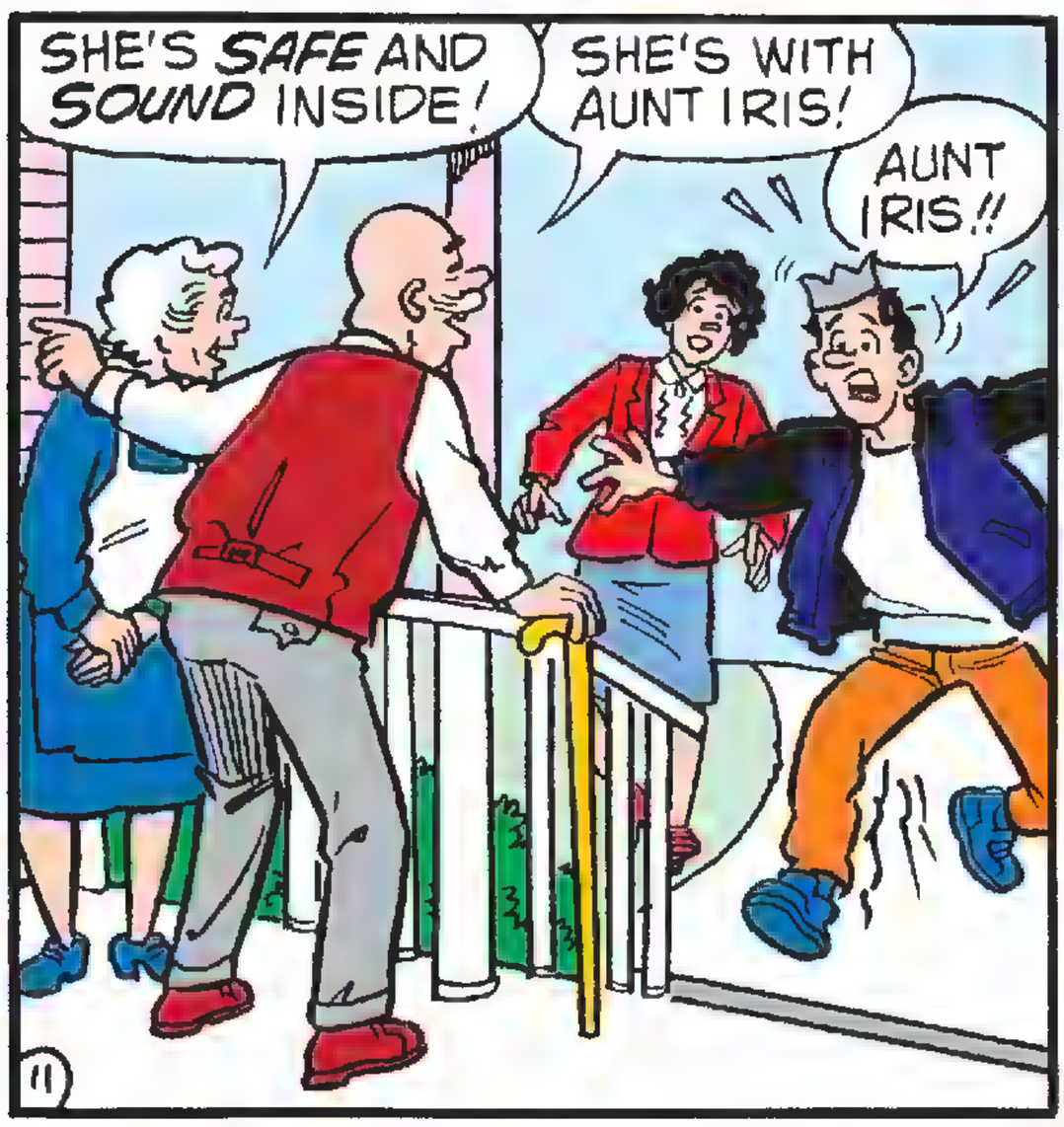
THANKS FOR COMING AND BRINGING THAT LITTLE SWEETIE!
'BYE GRAMMA! 'BYE GRAMPS! ...AND AUNT IRIS!

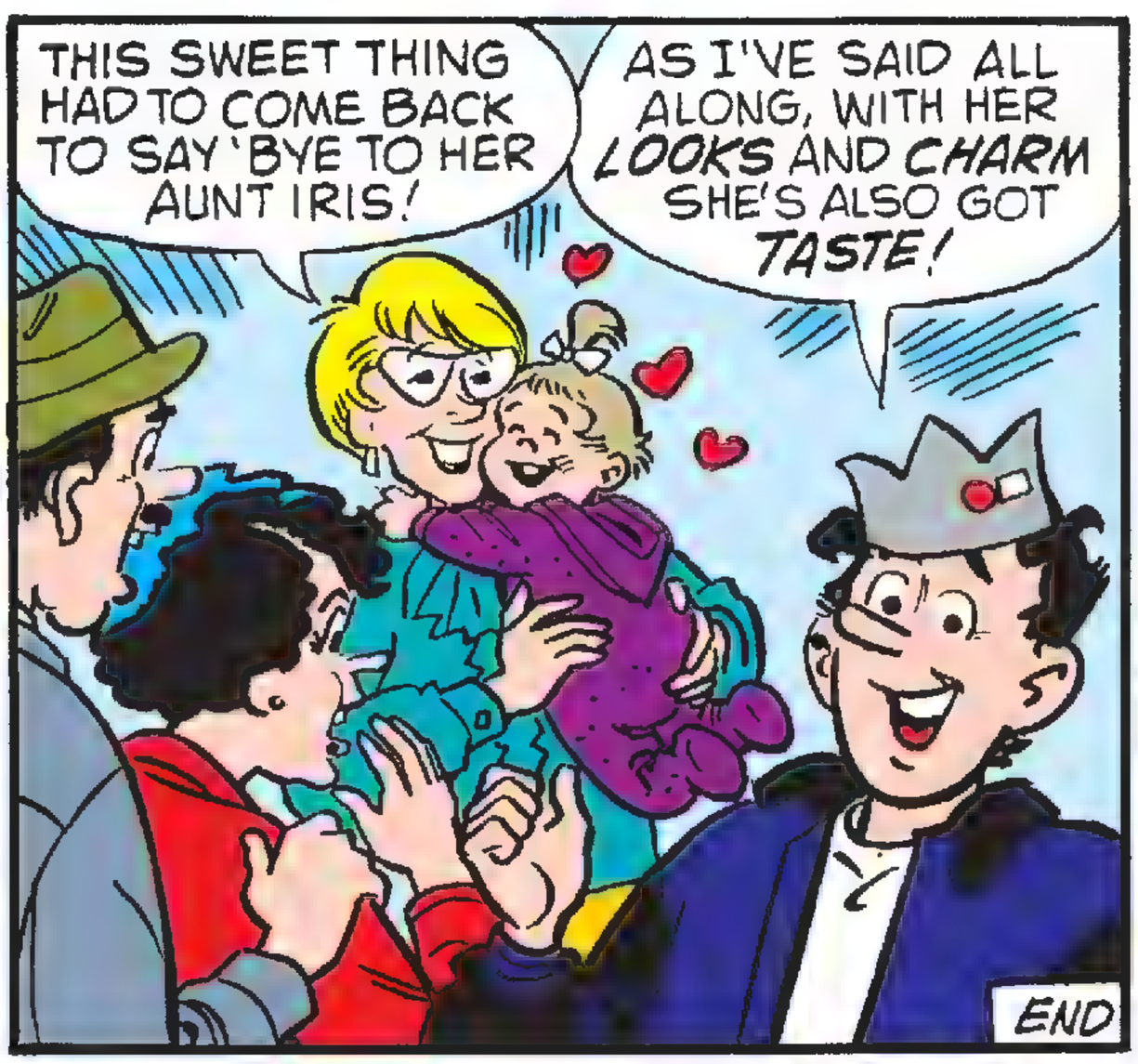

CAN YOU BELIEVE THAT WOMAN? HOW *RUDE* CAN SHE BE?
HOW COULD ANYBODY NOT FLIP OVER JELLYBEAN...
JELLYBEAN?


OH, NO! SHE'S DONE IT AGAIN! WRIGGLED OUT OF HER CAR SEAT!
SHE'S NOT UP HERE!

SHE'S NOT BACK HERE!
COULD SHE BE? ...OH NO!
JUG


SHE'S NOT UP THERE, THANK GOODNESS!
MAYBE SHE *CRAWLED* OUT OF THE CAR AT GRAMMA'S!
LET'S GO!
JUG


SHE'S *SAFE* AND *SOUND* INSIDE!
SHE'S WITH AUNT IRIS!
AUNT IRIS!!

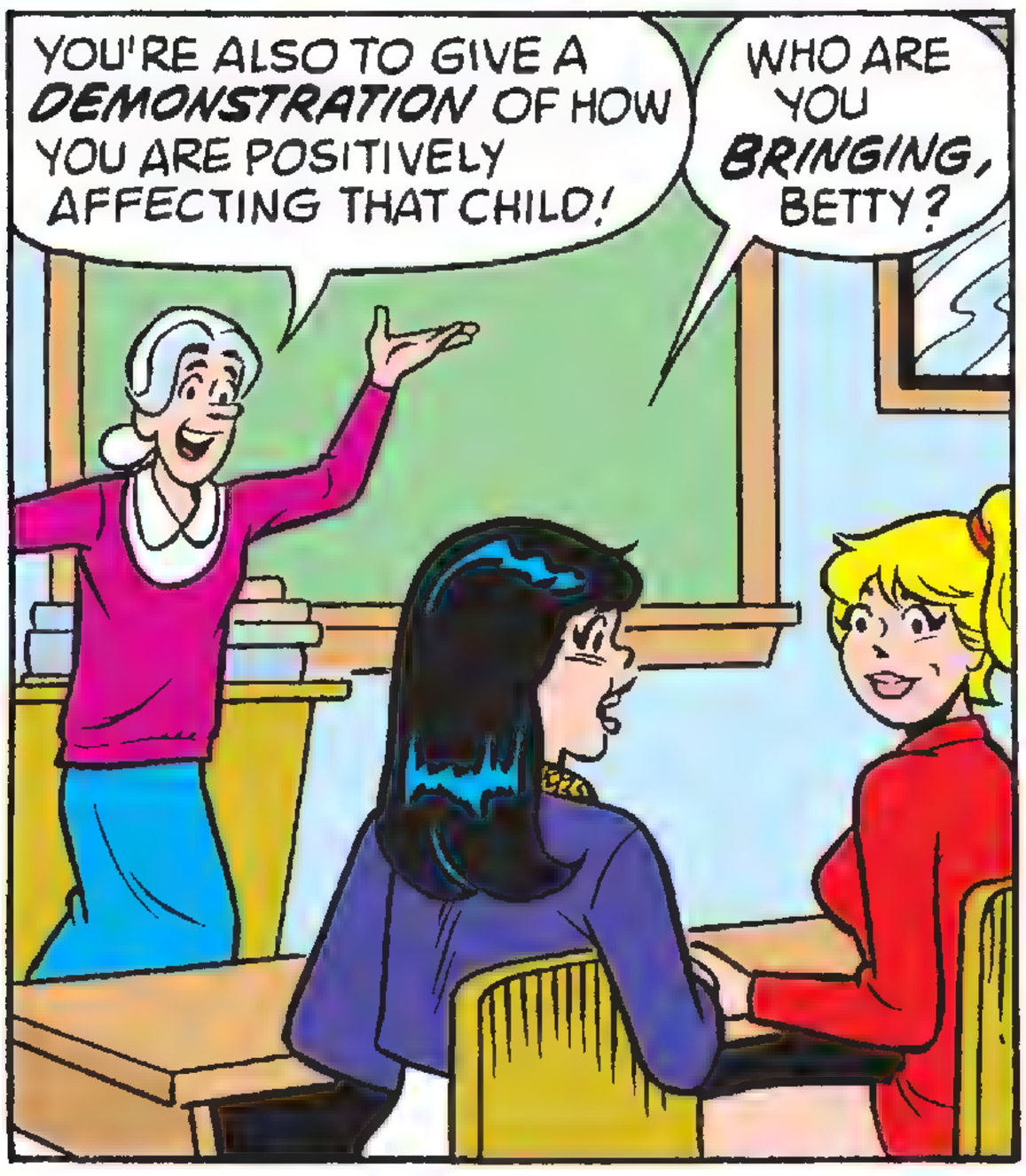

THIS SWEET THING HAD TO COME BACK TO SAY 'BYE TO HER AUNT IRIS!
AS I'VE SAID ALL ALONG, WITH HER *LOOKS* AND *CHARM* SHE'S ALSO GOT *TASTE!*
END

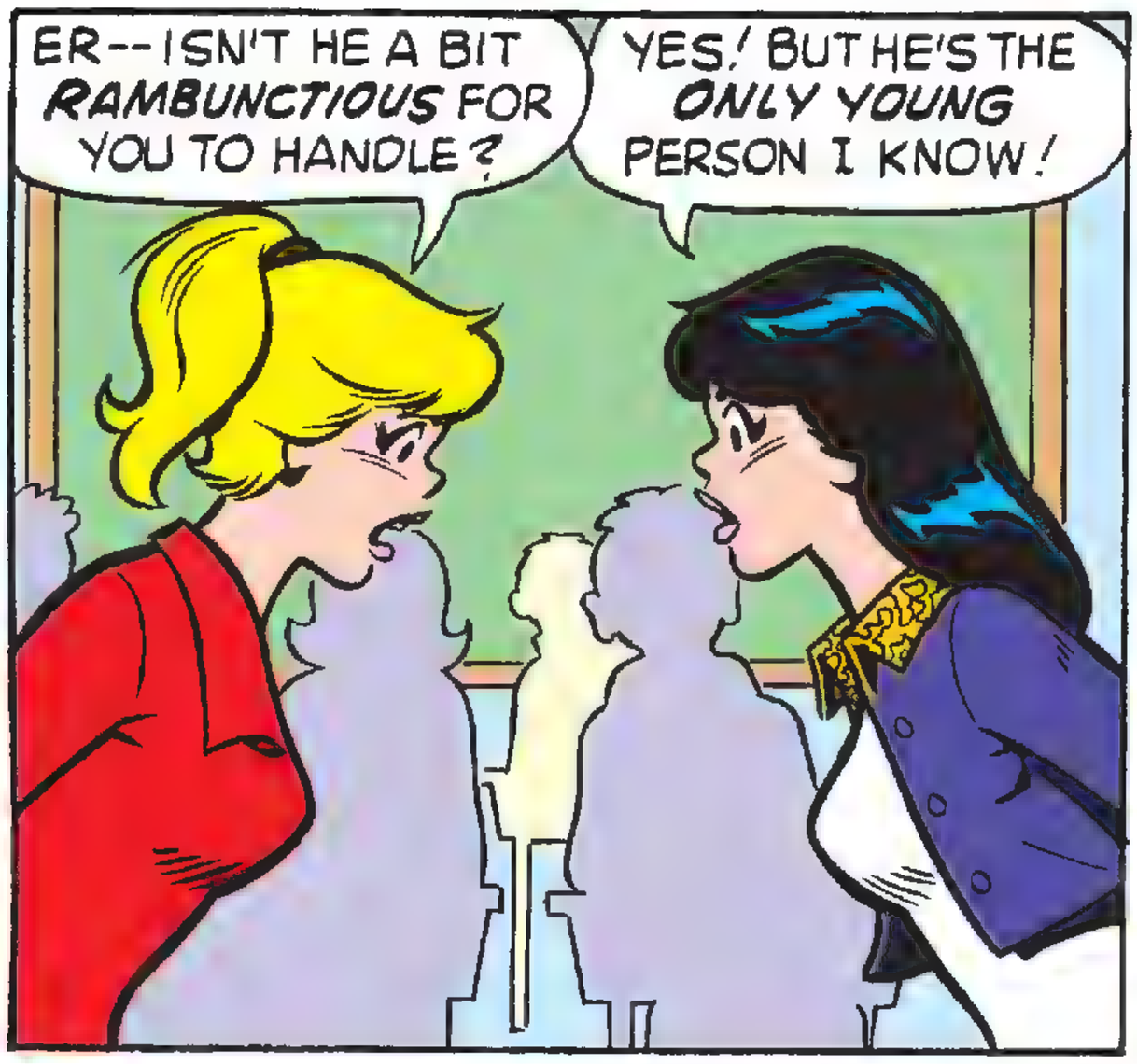
Betty and Veronica in School Rules

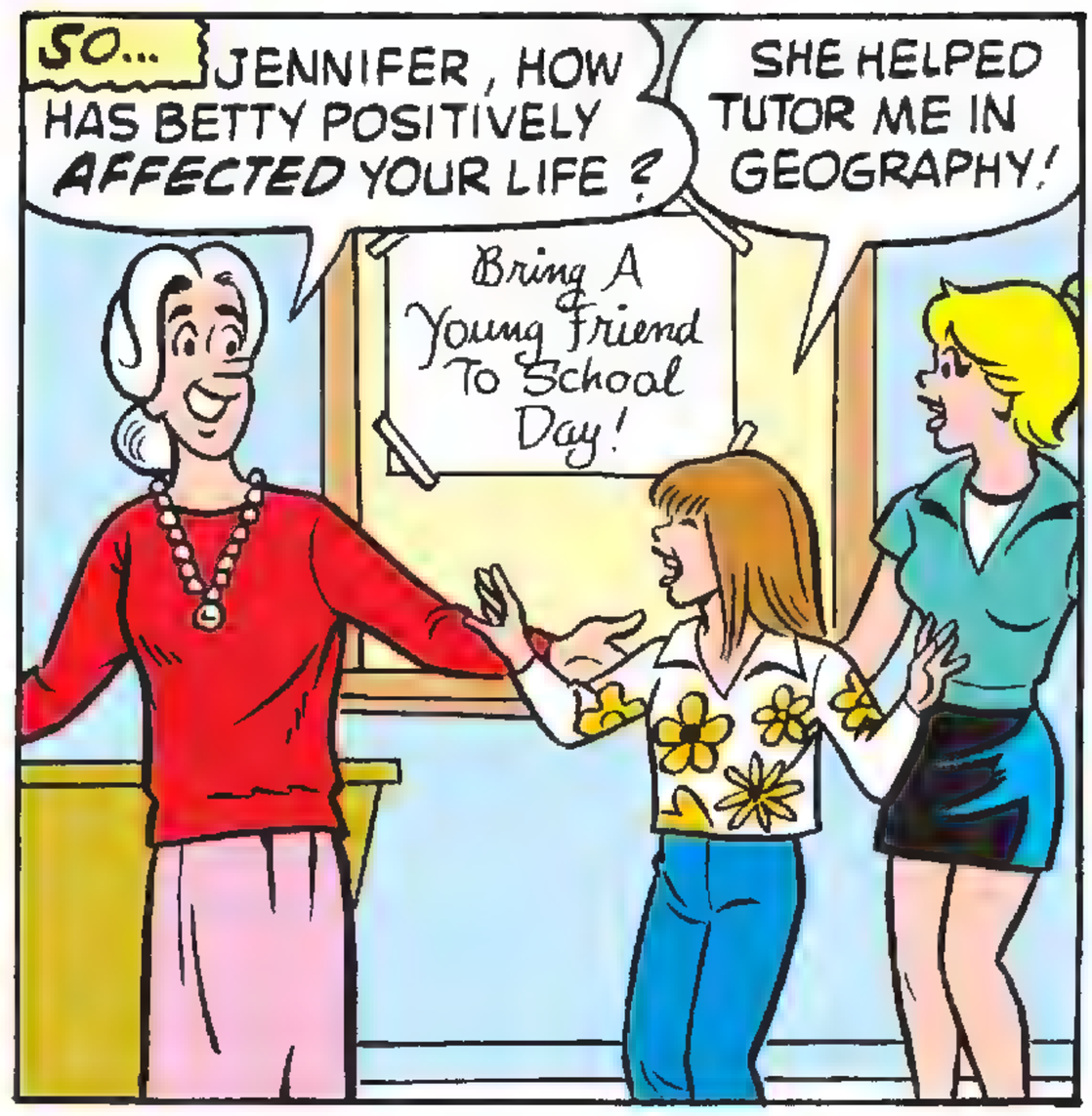
REMEMBER, TOMORROW IS "BRING A YOUNG FRIEND TO SCHOOL" DAY!

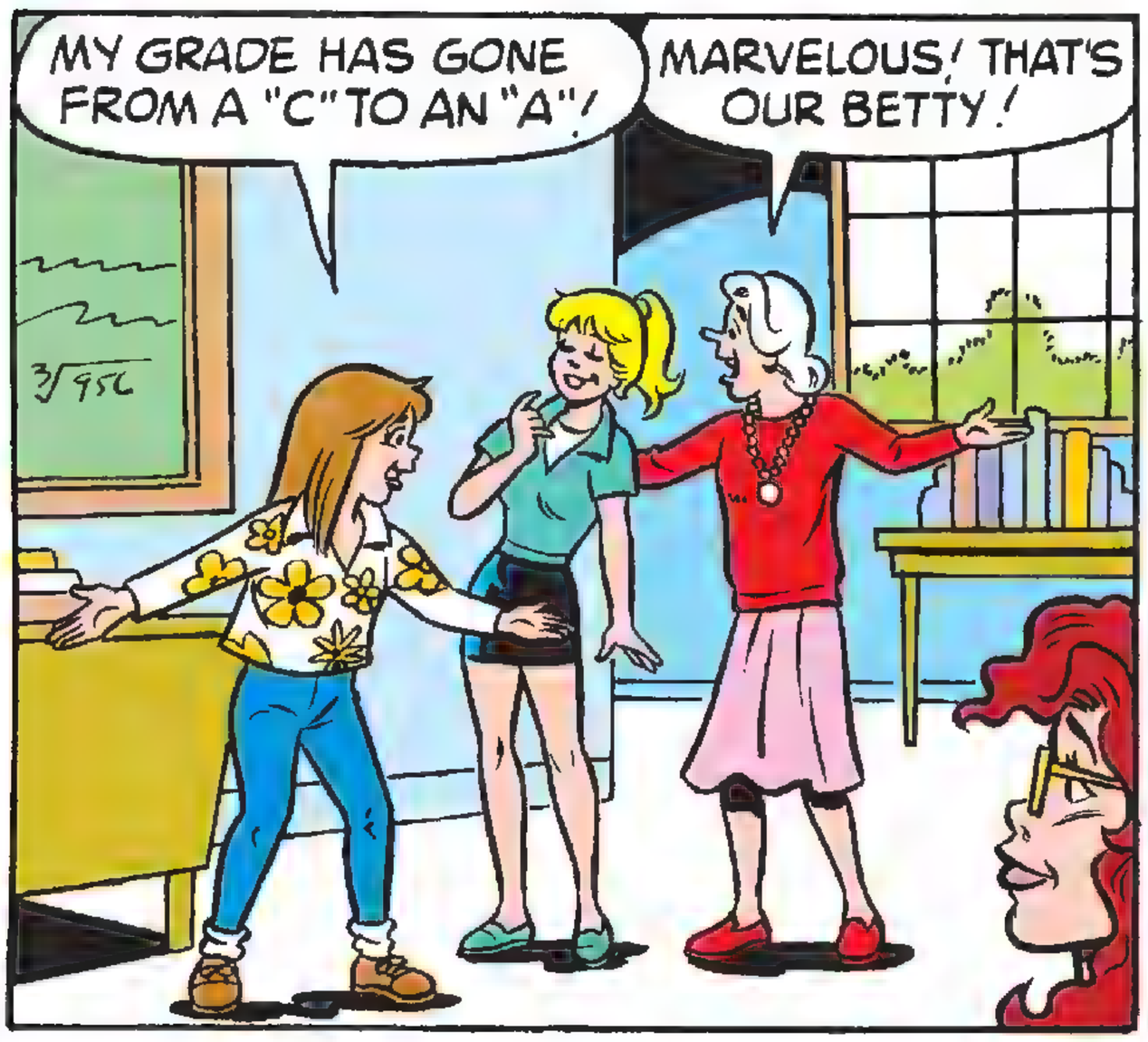
THE GOAL IS TO ENCOURAGE YOUNG *PEOPLE* TO DO WELL AND HAVE POSITIVE *GUIDANCE* FROM TEEN-AGERS LIKE YOURSELVES!

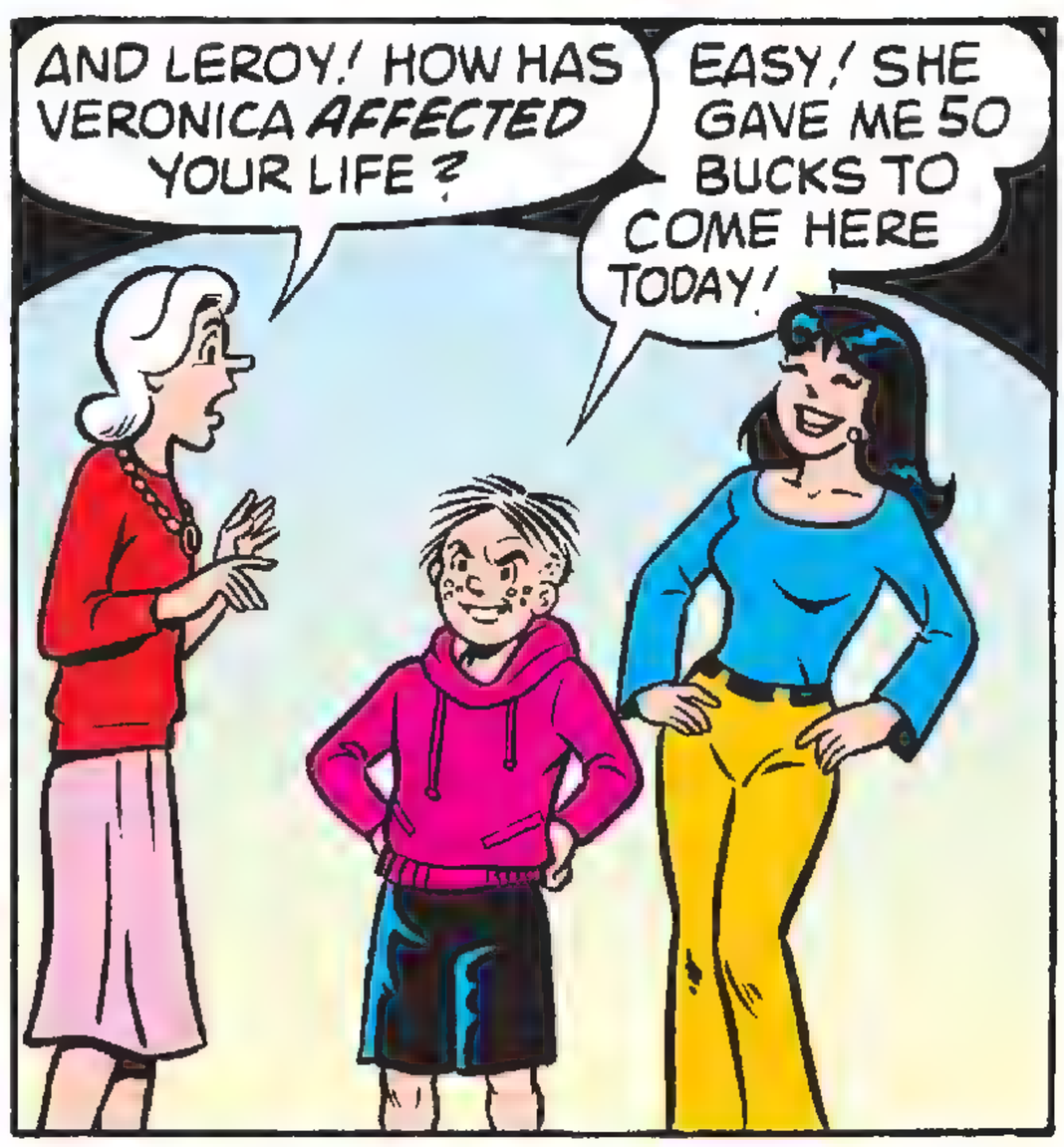
Parent / D'Agostino / Yoshida
Grossman

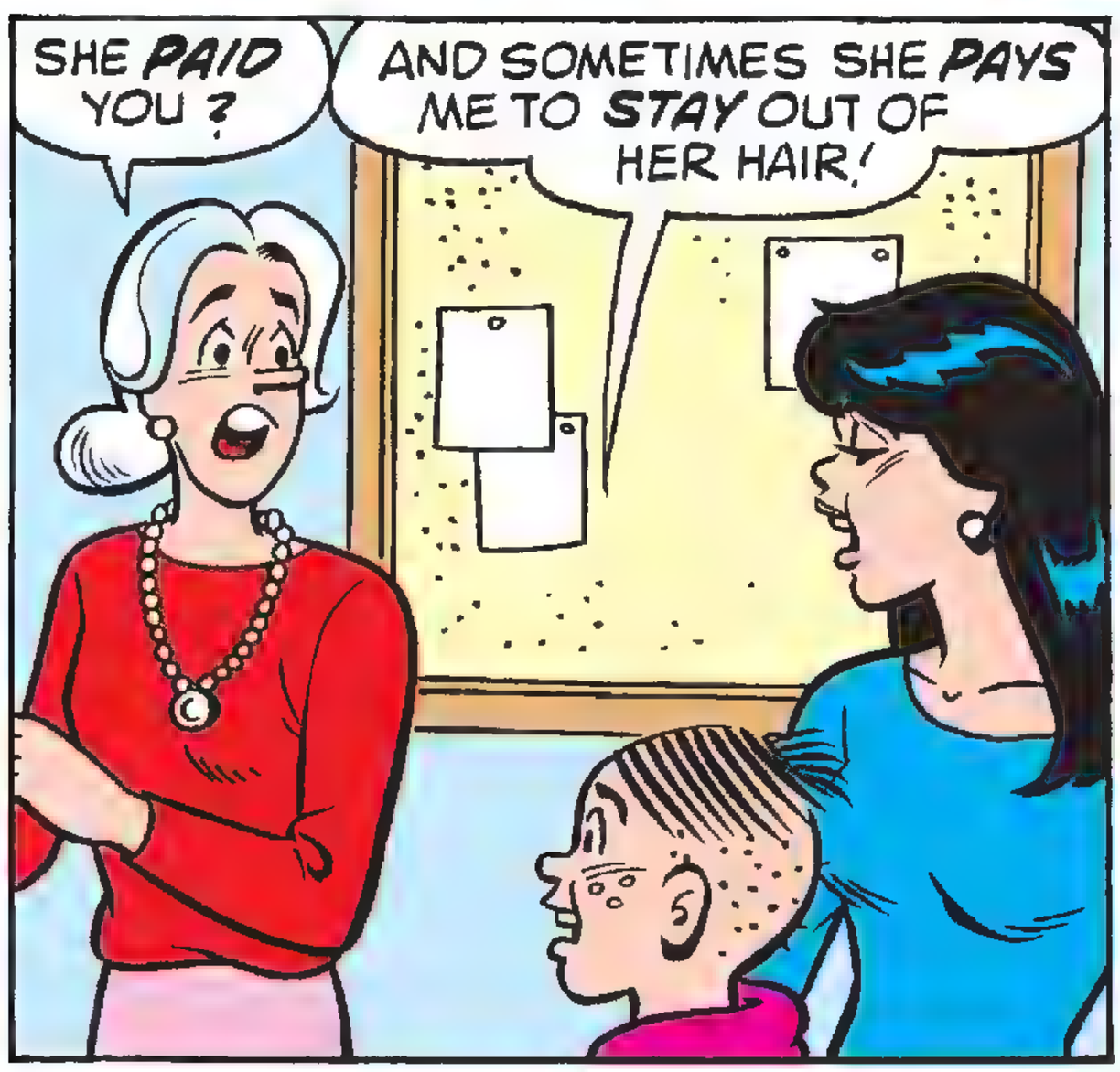


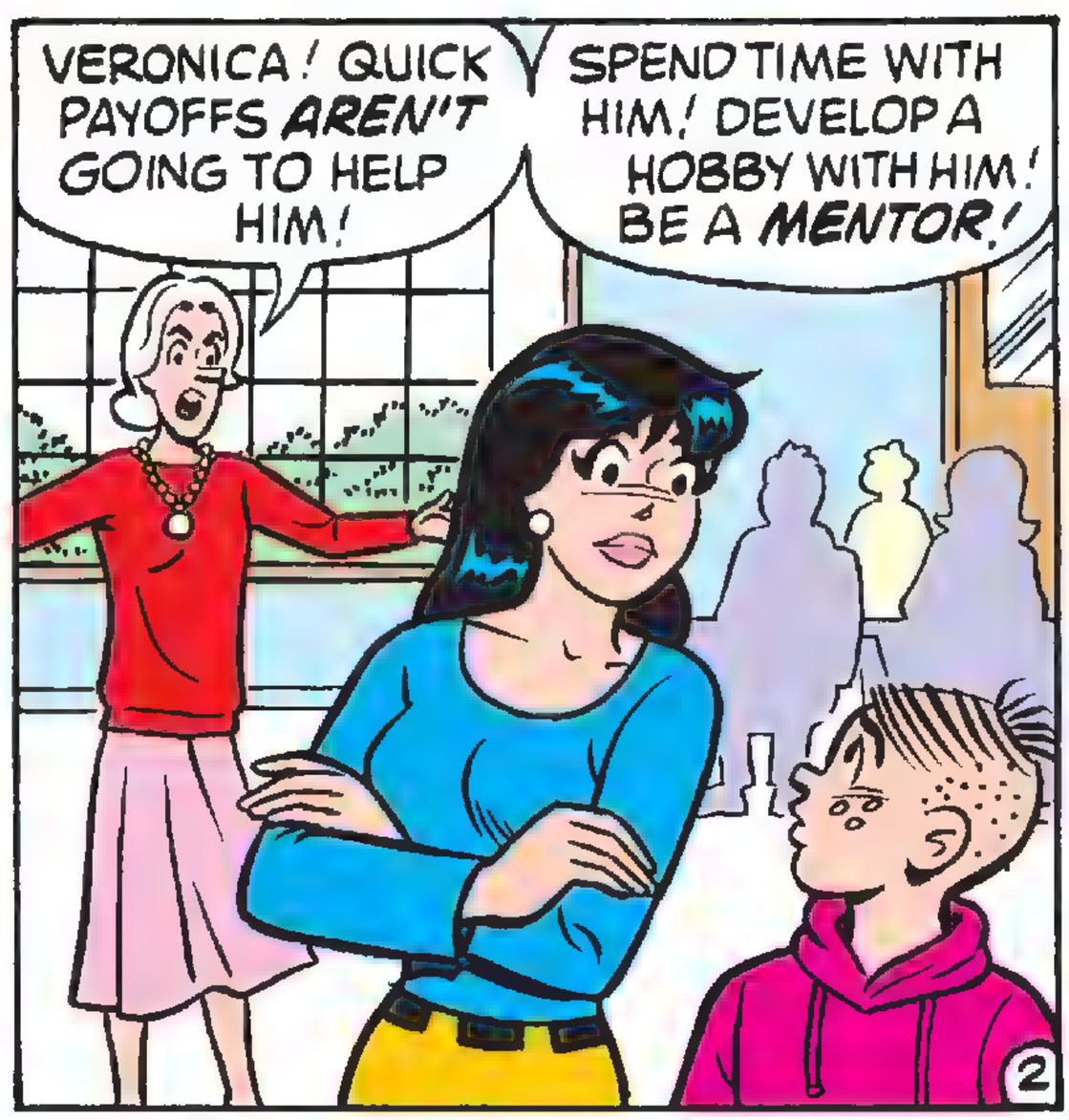

ER--ISN'T HE A BIT RAMBUNCTIOUS FOR YOU TO HANDLE?
YES! BUT HE'S THE ONLY YOUNG PERSON I KNOW!

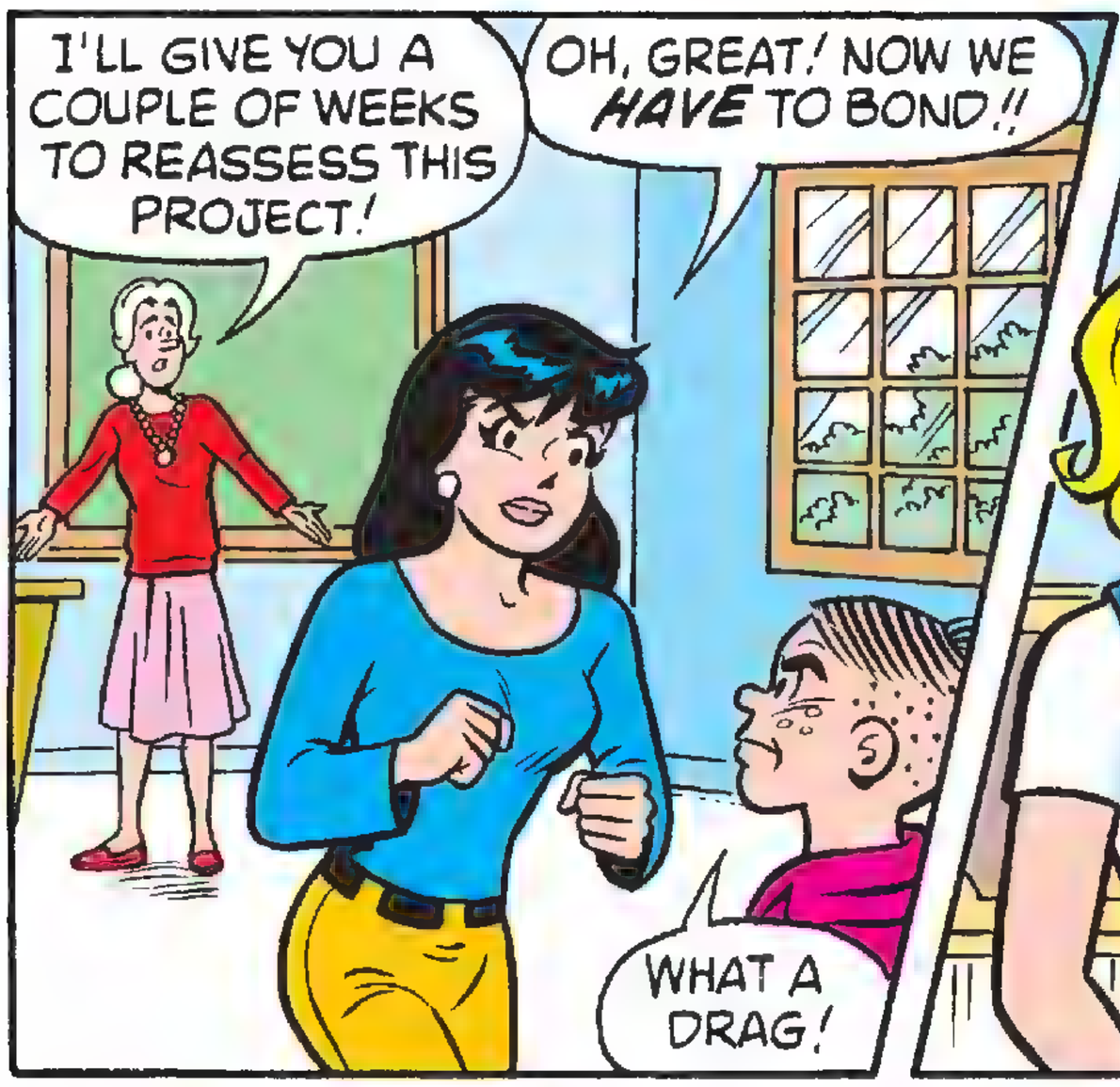

SO... JENNIFER, HOW HAS BETTY POSITIVELY AFFECTED YOUR LIFE?
SHE HELPED TUTOR ME IN GEOGRAPHY!
Bring A Young Friend To School Day!

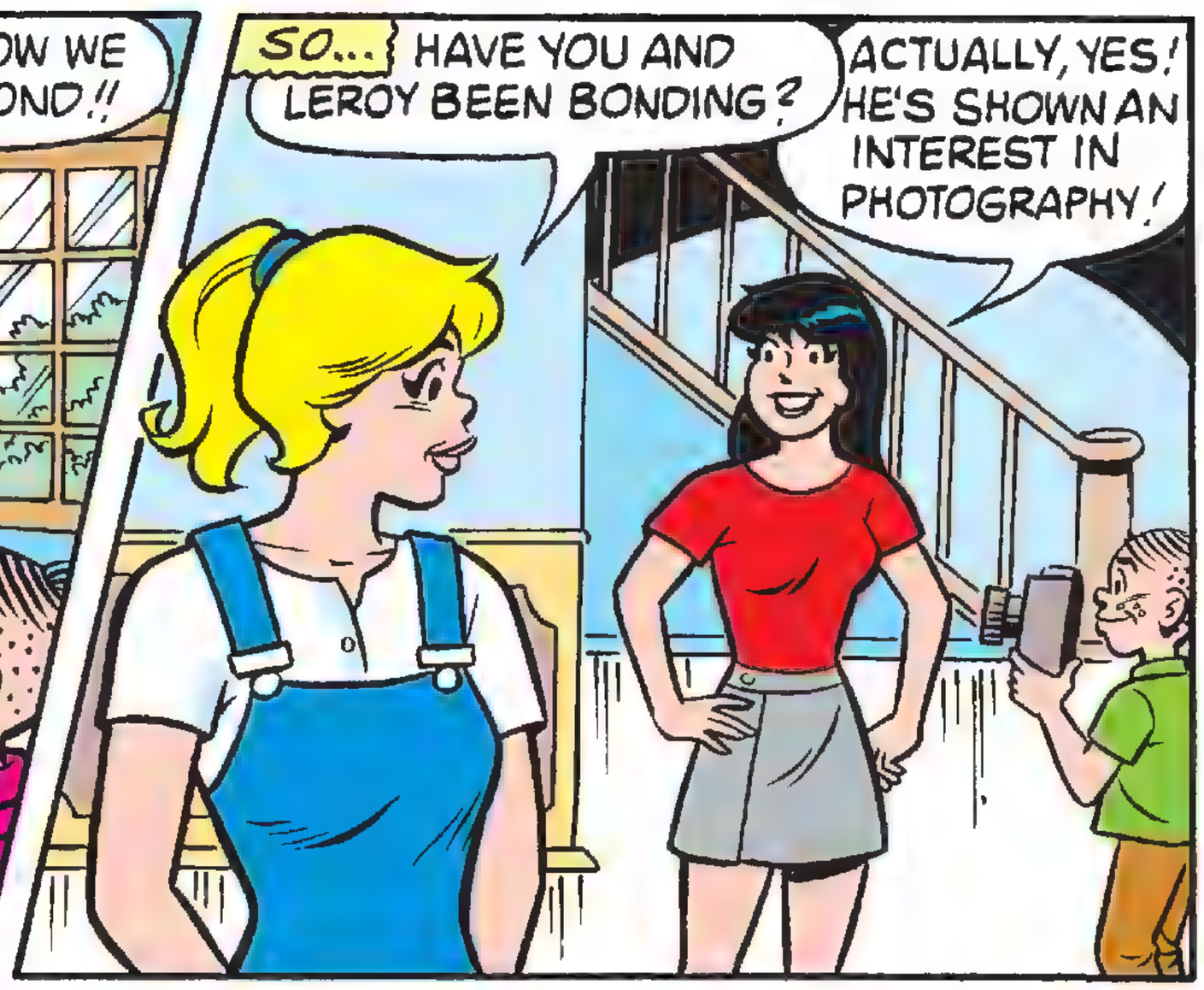

MY GRADE HAS GONE FROM A "C" TO AN "A"!
MARVELOUS! THAT'S OUR BETTY!

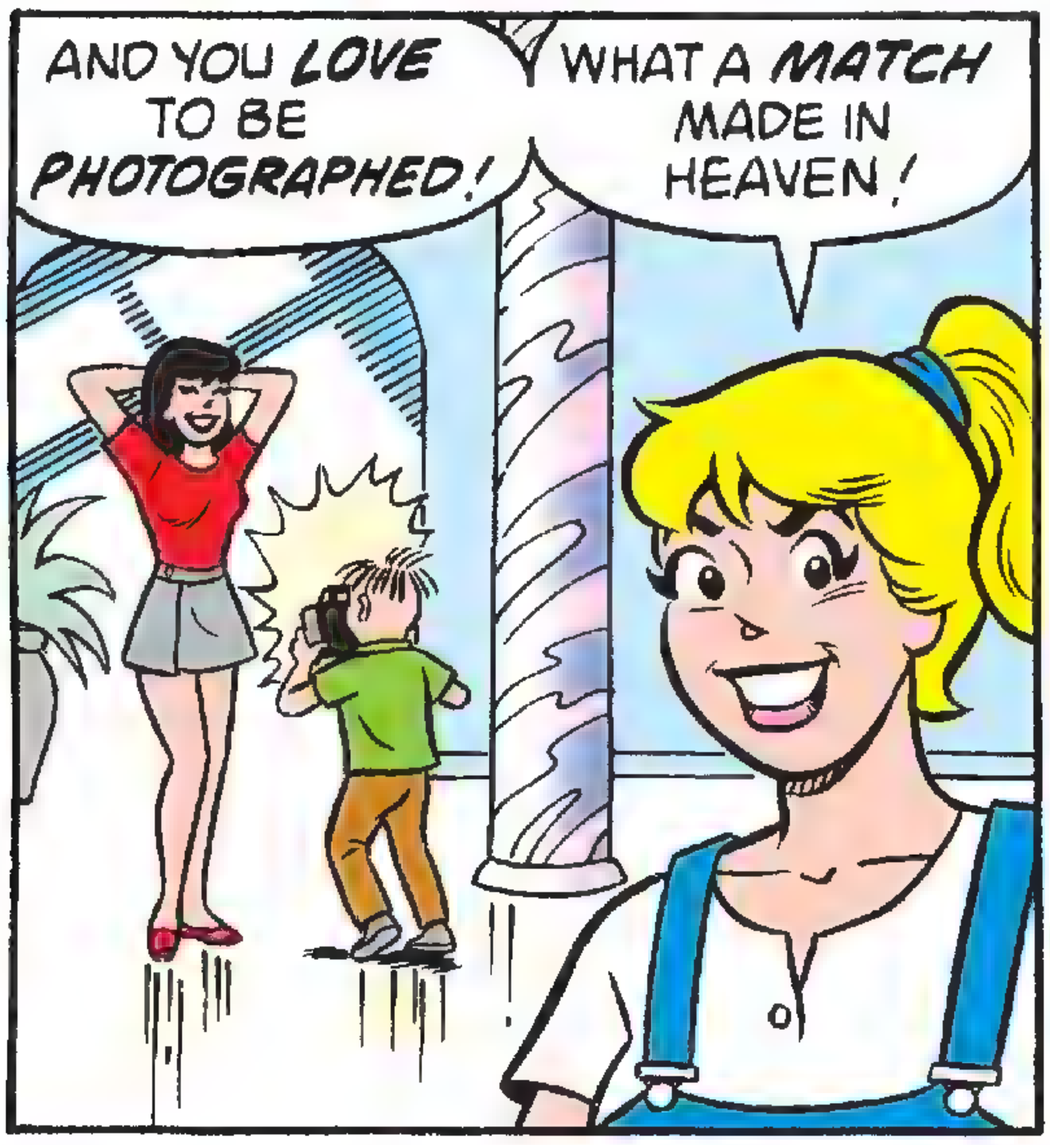

AND LEROY! HOW HAS VERONICA AFFECTED YOUR LIFE?
EASY! SHE GAVE ME 50 BUCKS TO COME HERE TODAY!


SHE PAID YOU?
AND SOMETIMES SHE PAYS ME TO STAY OUT OF HER HAIR!

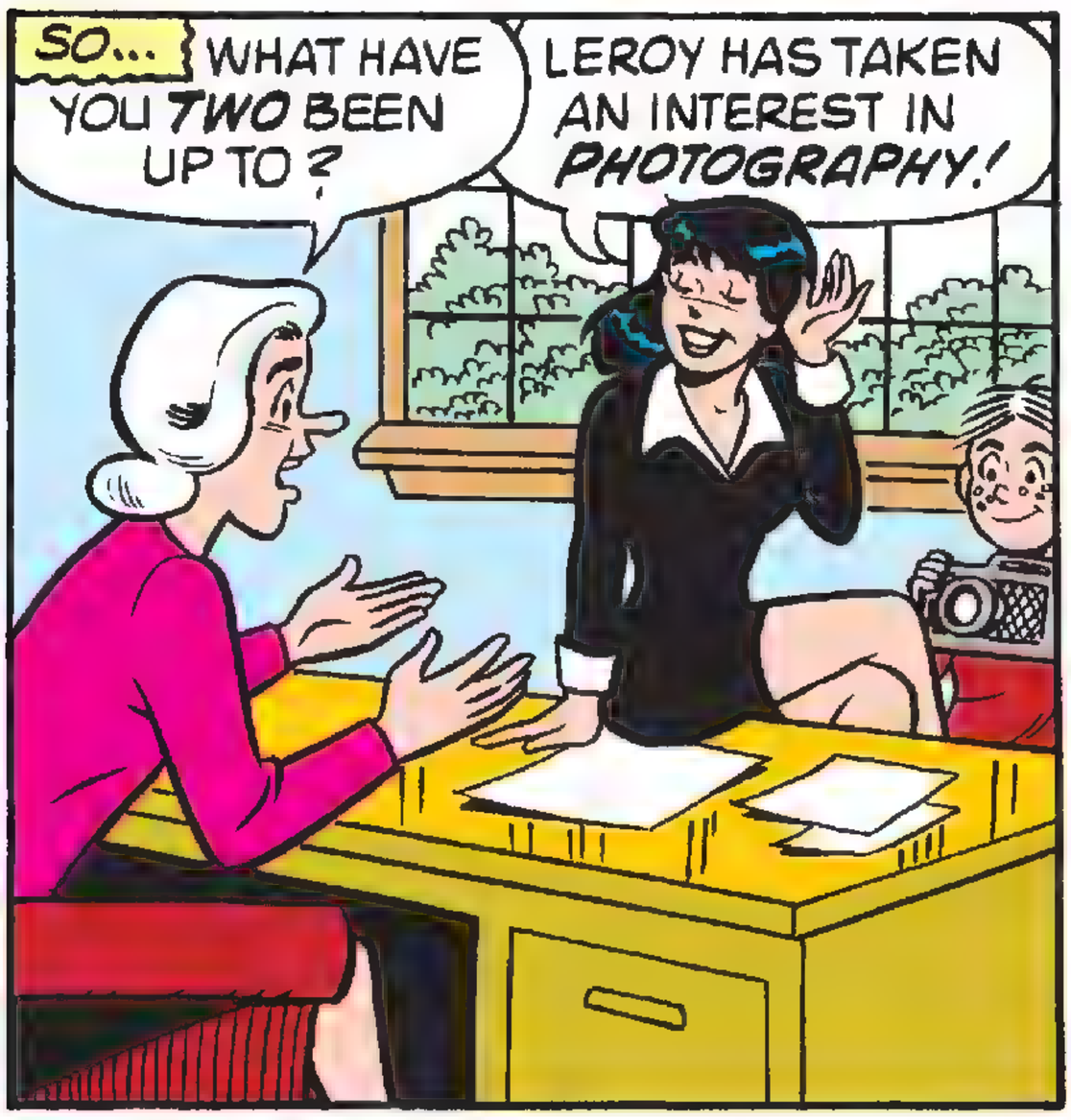

VERONICA! QUICK PAYOFFS AREN'T GOING TO HELP HIM!
SPEND TIME WITH HIM! DEVELOP A HOBBY WITH HIM! BE A MENTOR!

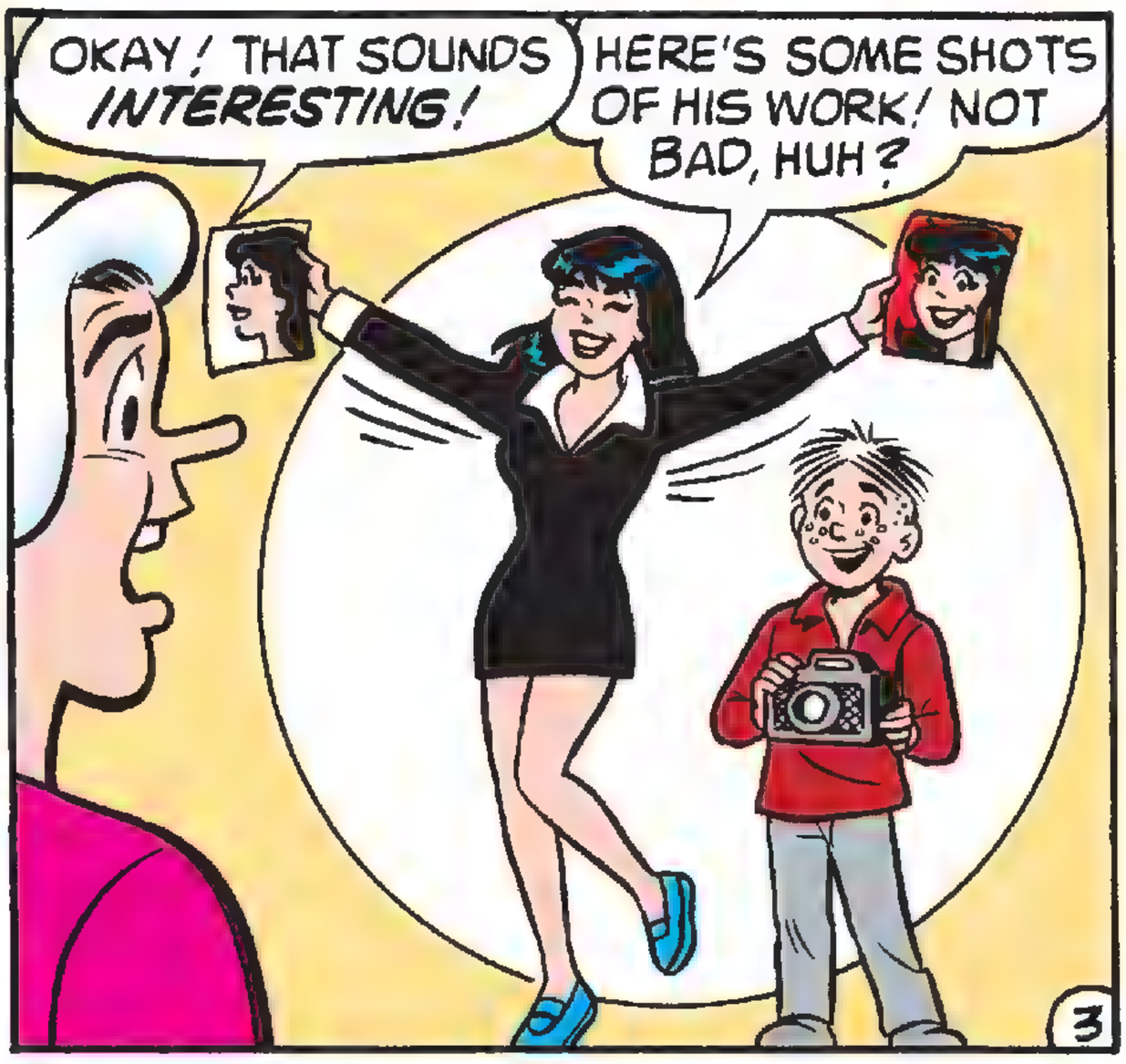

I'LL GIVE YOU A COUPLE OF WEEKS TO REASSESS THIS PROJECT!
OH, GREAT! NOW WE HAVE TO BOND!!
WHAT A DRAG!

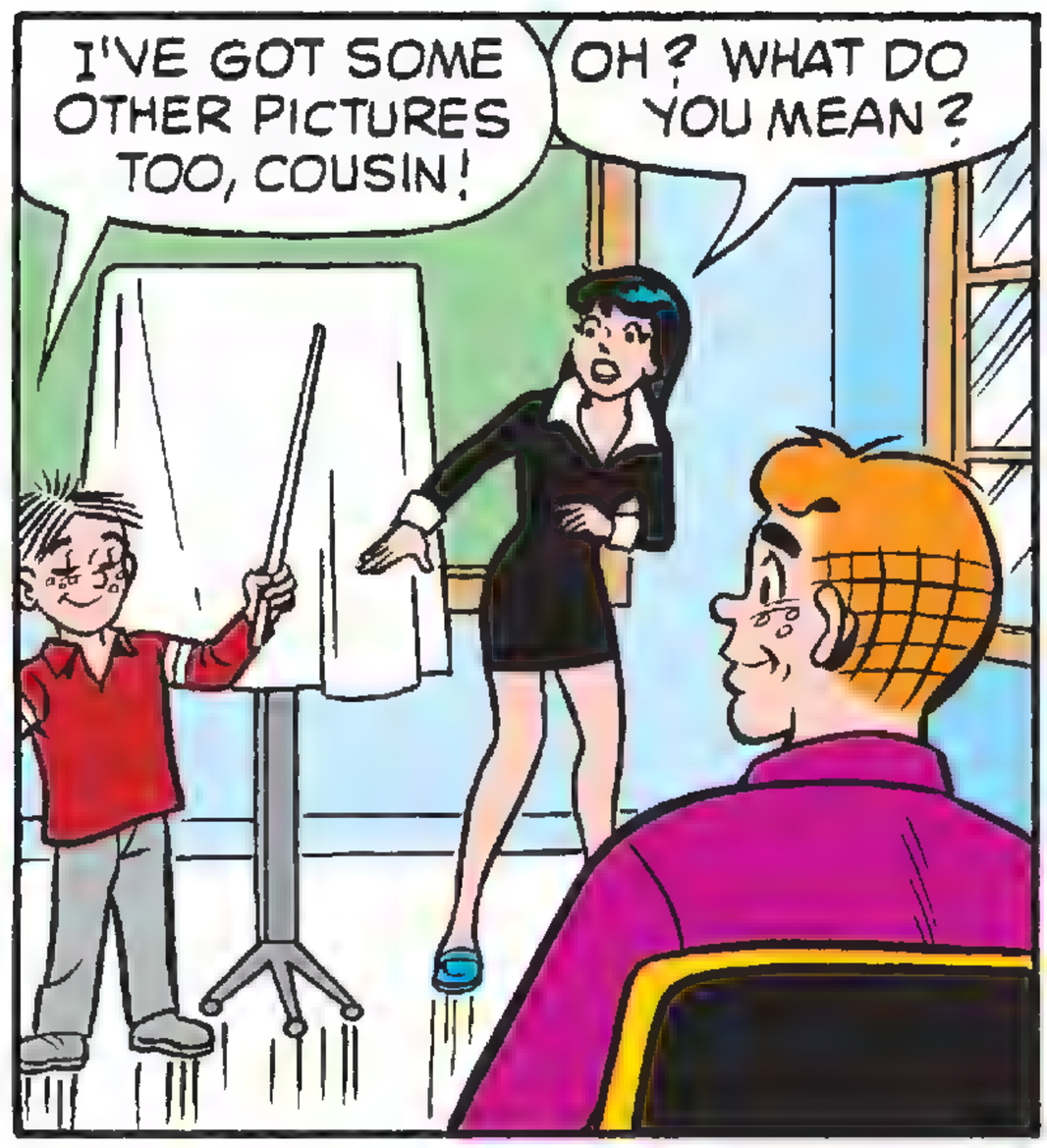

SO... HAVE YOU AND LEROY BEEN BONDING?
ACTUALLY, YES! HE'S SHOWN AN INTEREST IN PHOTOGRAPHY!

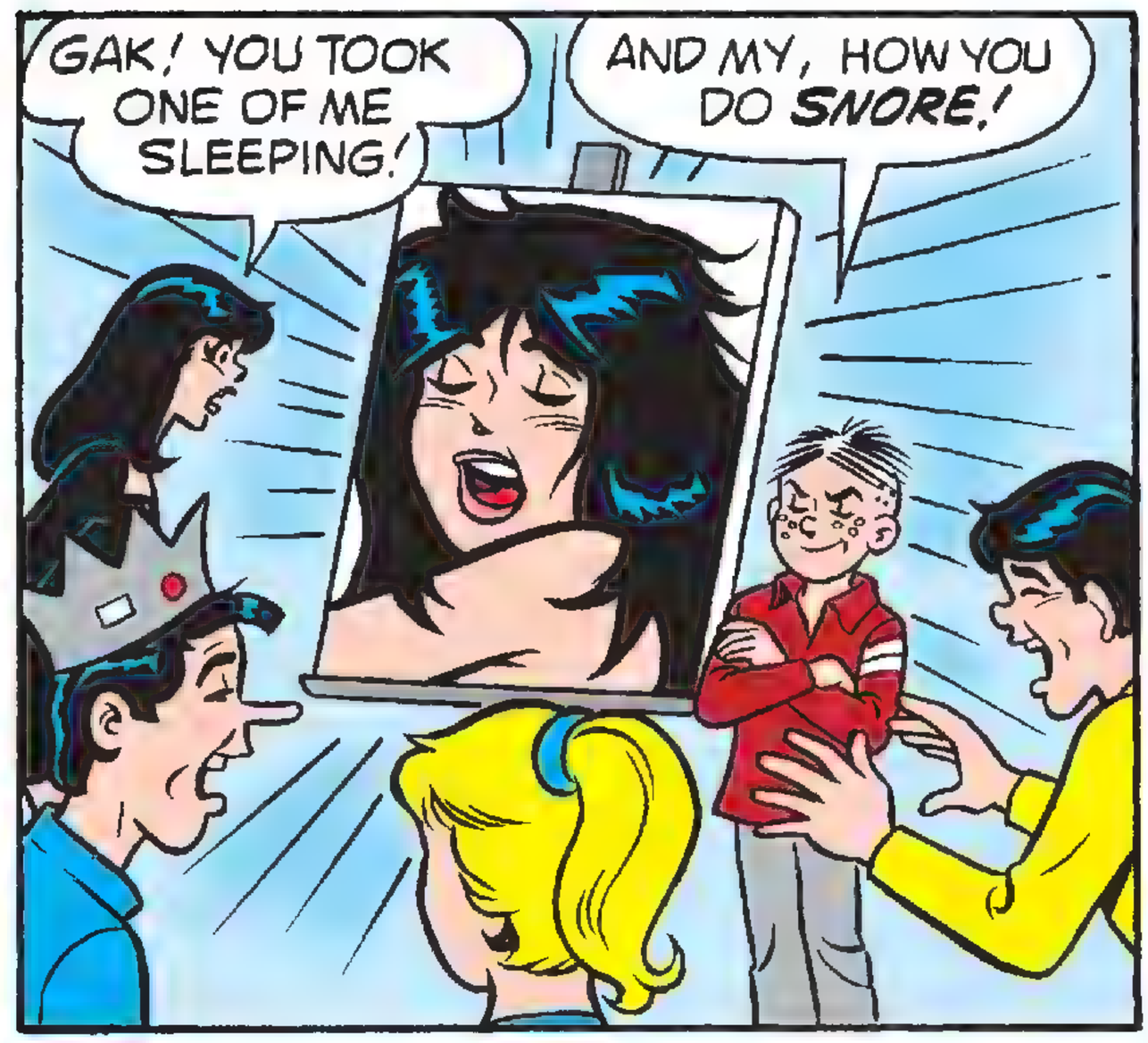

AND YOU LOVE TO BE PHOTOGRAPHED!
WHAT A MATCH MADE IN HEAVEN!

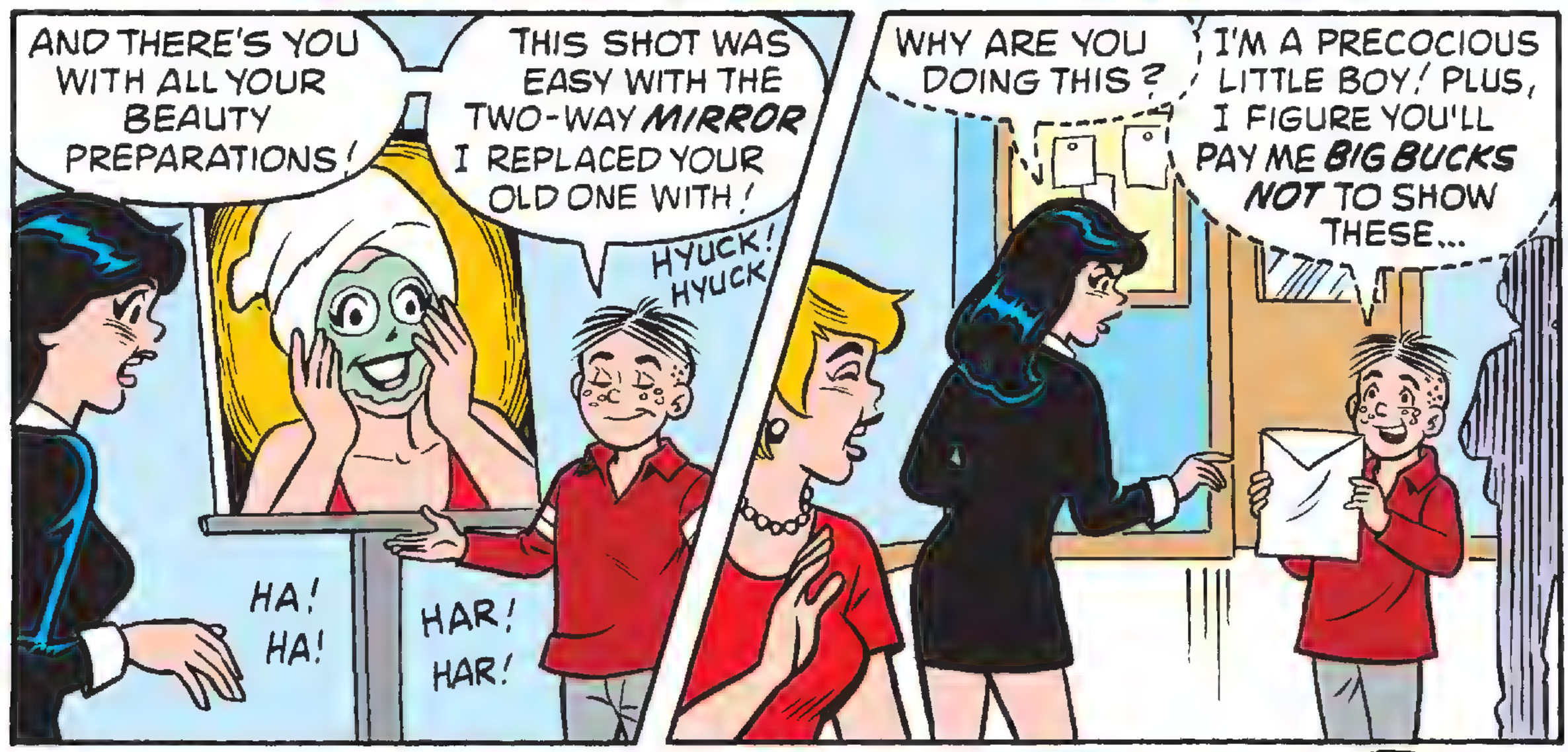
YOU CAN PHOTOGRAPH ME IN MY NEW FALL WARDROBE!
OKAY, COUSIN!
WELL, IT IS SORT OF PROMISING, IN A VAIN SORT OF WAY!

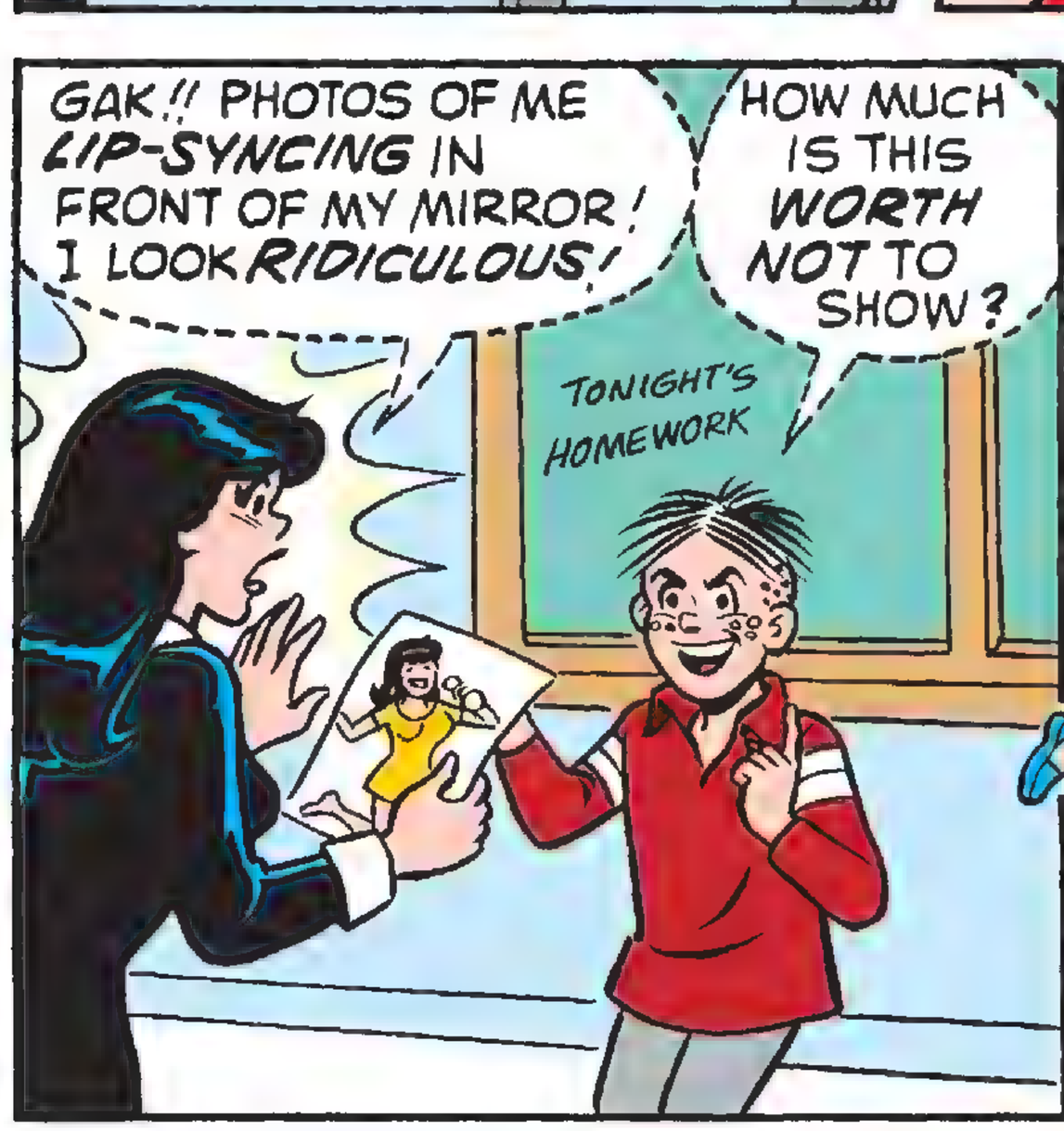

SO... WHAT HAVE YOU TWO BEEN UP TO?
LEROY HAS TAKEN AN INTEREST IN PHOTOGRAPHY!

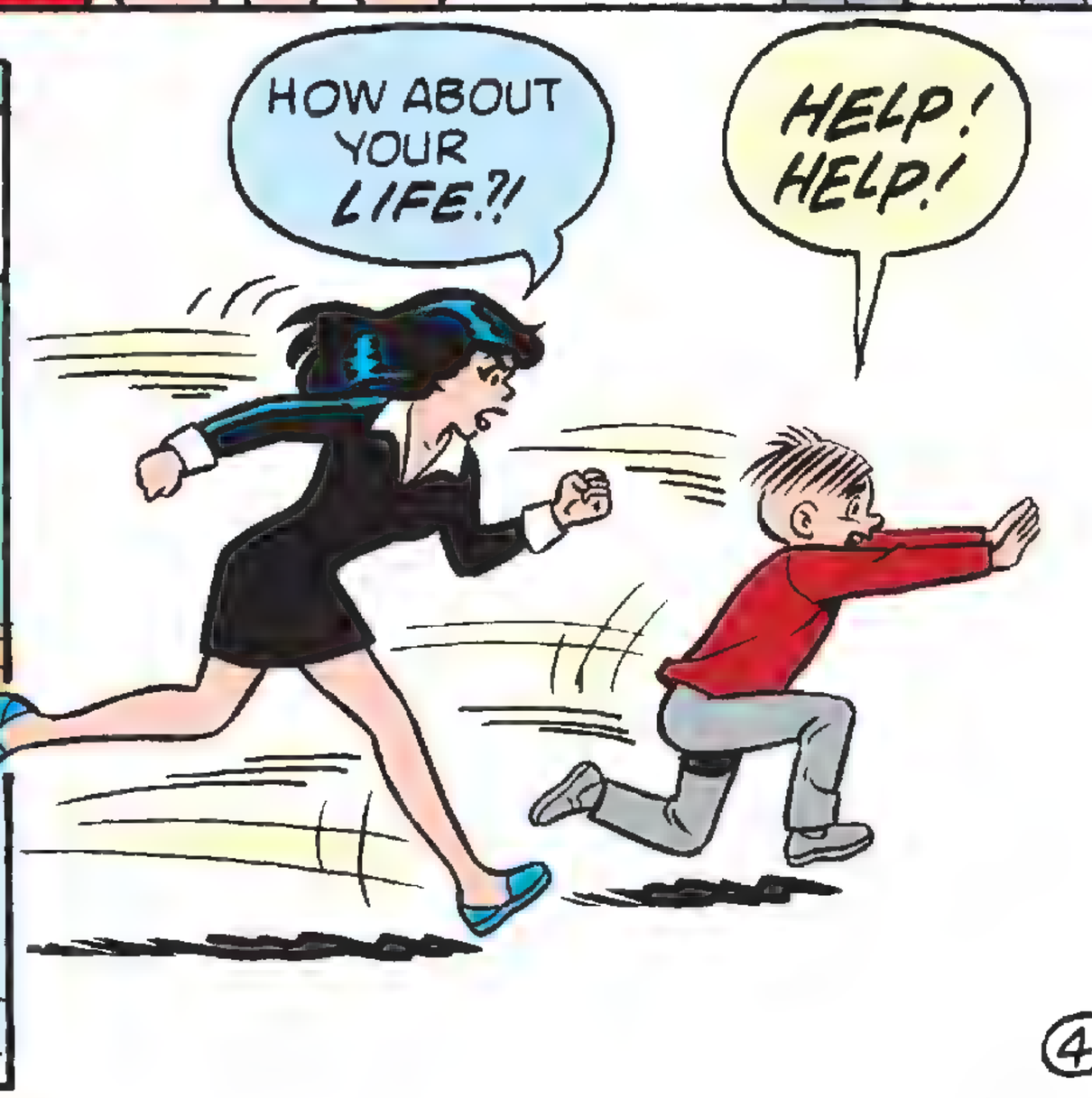

OKAY! THAT SOUNDS INTERESTING!
HERE'S SOME SHOTS OF HIS WORK! NOT BAD, HUH?

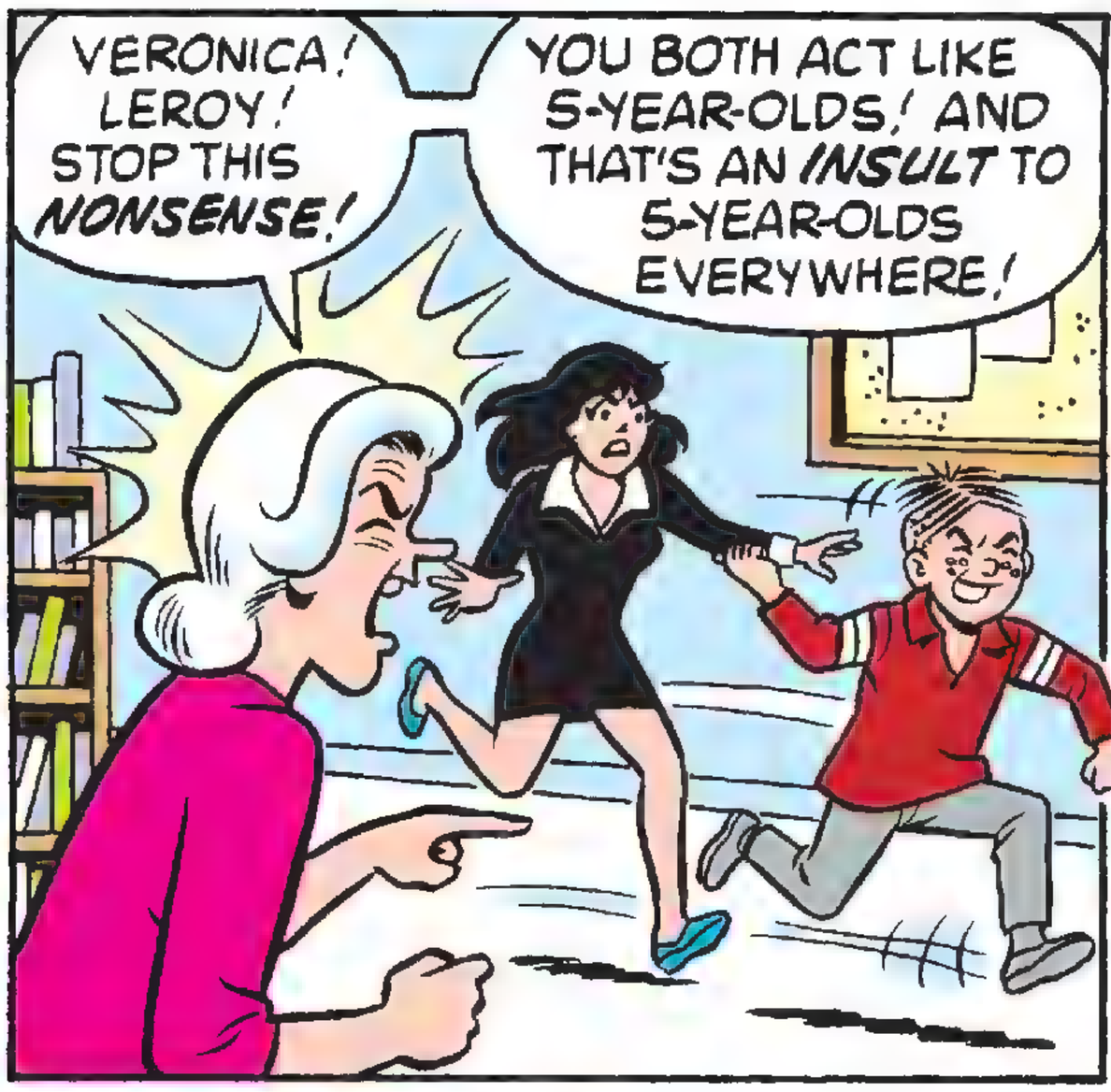

I'VE GOT SOME OTHER PICTURES TOO, COUSIN!
OH? WHAT DO YOU MEAN?


GAK! YOU TOOK ONE OF ME SLEEPING!
AND MY, HOW YOU DO SNORE!


AND THERE'S YOU WITH ALL YOUR BEAUTY PREPARATIONS!
THIS SHOT WAS EASY WITH THE TWO-WAY MIRROR I REPLACED YOUR OLD ONE WITH!
HYUCK! HYUCK
HA! HA!
HAR! HAR!
WHY ARE YOU DOING THIS?
I'M A PRECOCIOUS LITTLE BOY! PLUS, I FIGURE YOU'LL PAY ME BIG BUCKS NOT TO SHOW THESE...

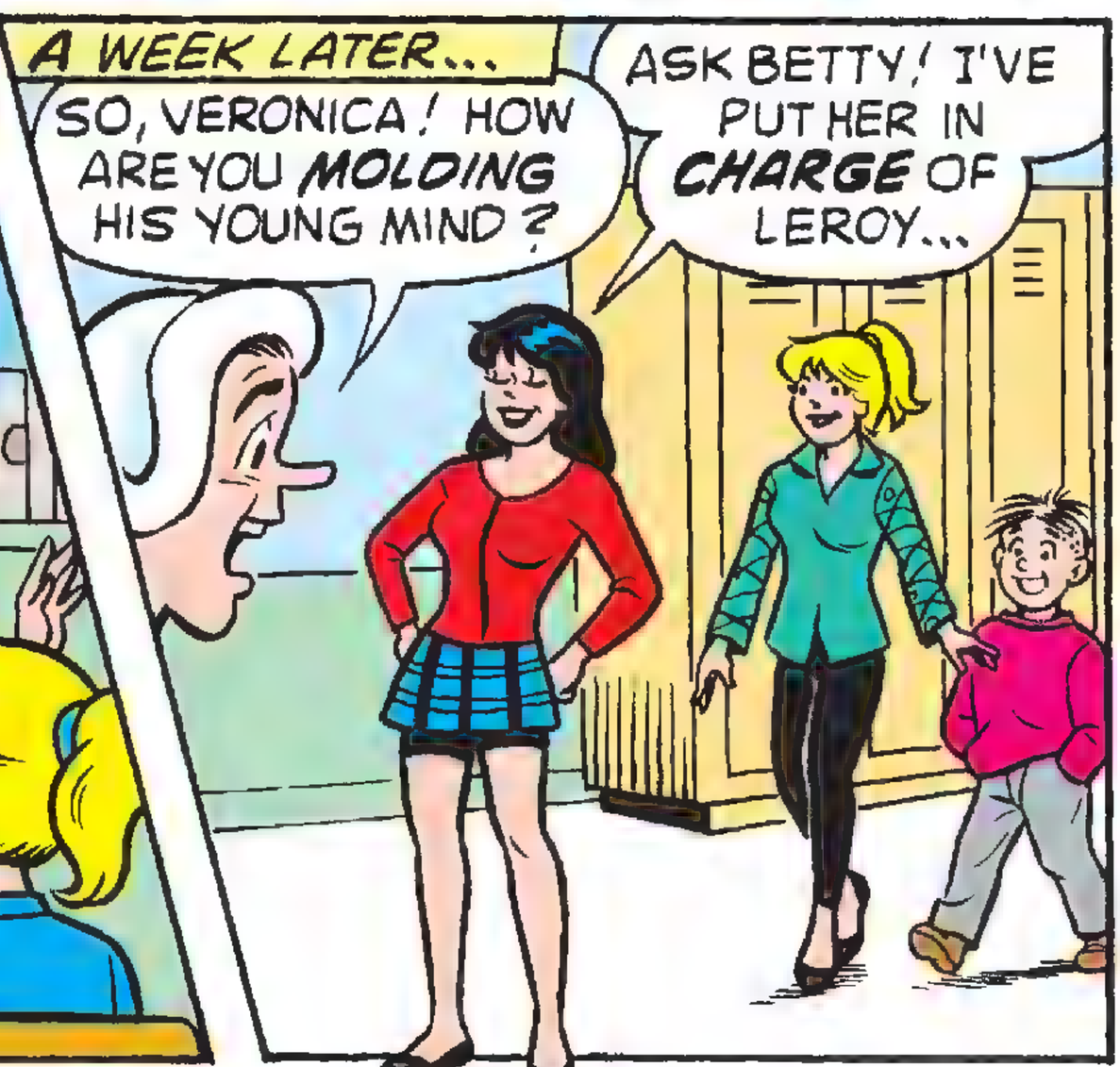

GAK!! PHOTOS OF ME LIP-SYNCING IN FRONT OF MY MIRROR! I LOOK RIDICULOUS!
HOW MUCH IS THIS WORTH NOT TO SHOW?
TONIGHT'S HOMEWORK

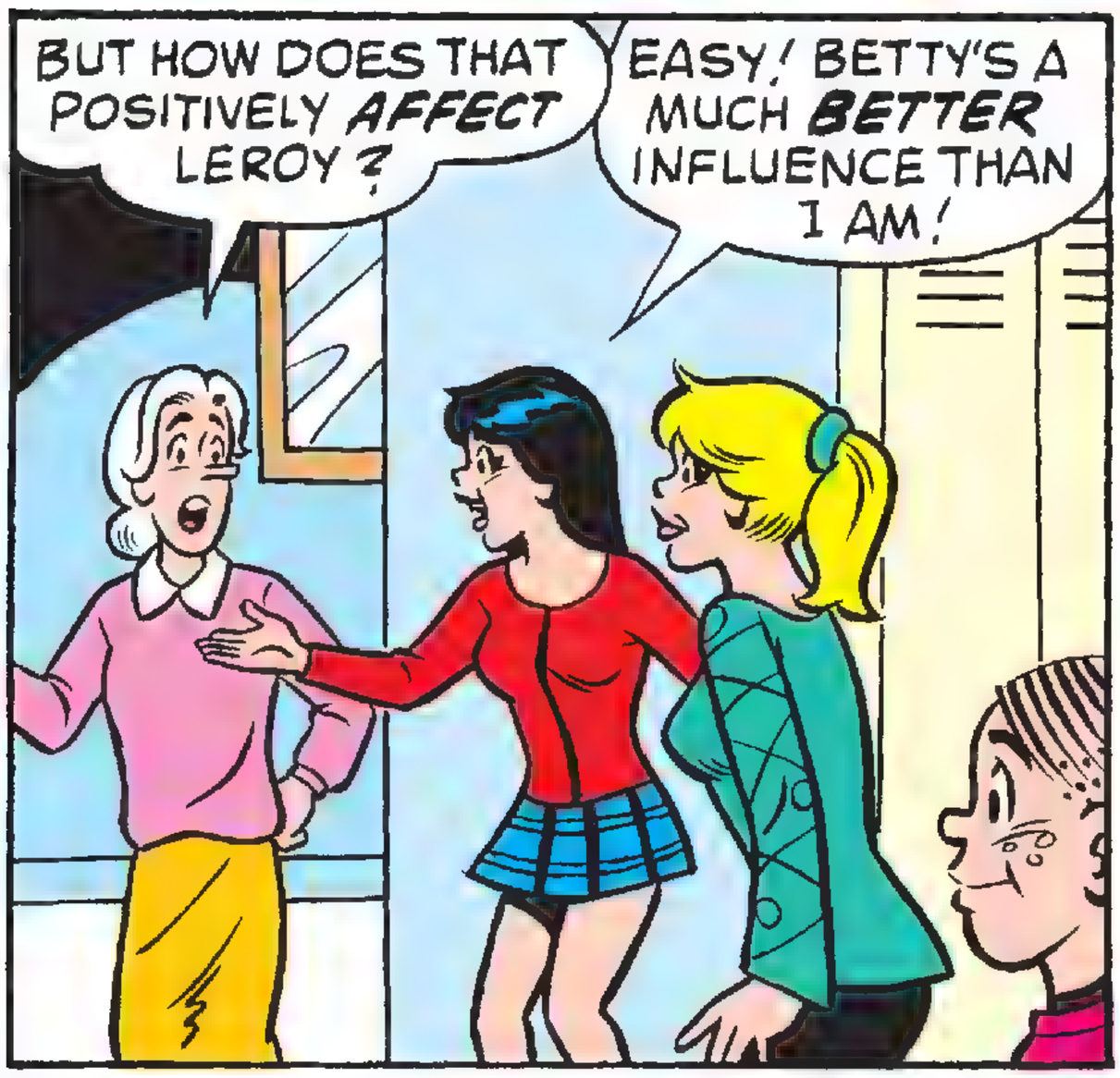

HOW ABOUT YOUR LIFE?!
HELP! HELP!

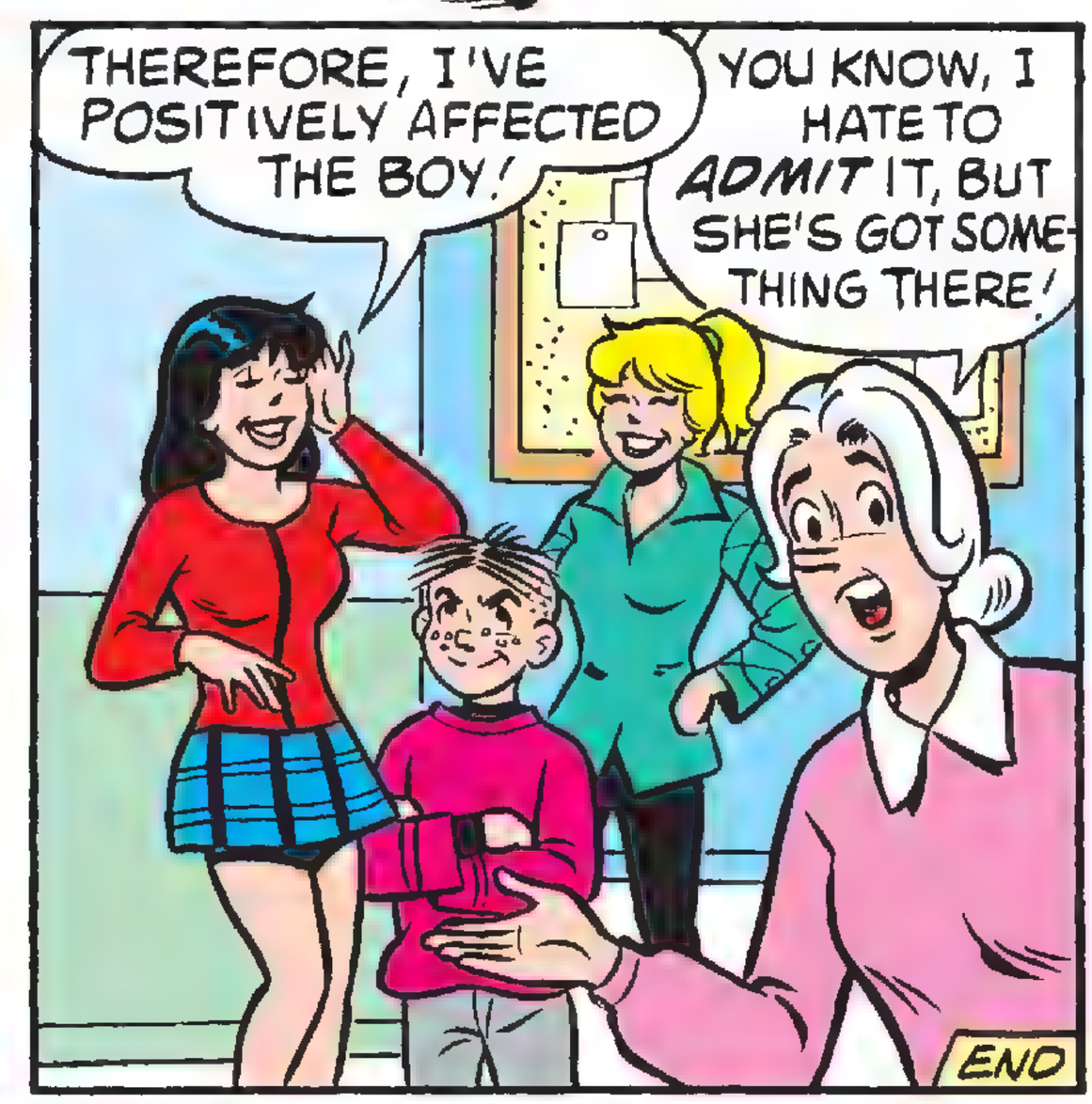

VERONICA! LEROY! STOP THIS NONSENSE!
YOU BOTH ACT LIKE 5-YEAR-OLDS! AND THAT'S AN INSULT TO 5-YEAR-OLDS EVERYWHERE!

YOU'VE FAILED THIS PROJECT, VERONICA!
GIVE US ONE MORE CHANCE! I HAVE AN IDEA!

OH, ALL RIGHT! I'M A GLUTTON FOR PUNISHMENT!
BETTY, YOU'VE GOT TO HELP ME...
HONOR ROLL


A WEEK LATER...
SO, VERONICA! HOW ARE YOU MOLDING HIS YOUNG MIND?
ASK BETTY! I'VE PUT HER IN CHARGE OF LEROY...


BUT HOW DOES THAT POSITIVELY AFFECT LEROY?
EASY! BETTY'S A MUCH BETTER INFLUENCE THAN I AM!


THEREFORE, I'VE POSITIVELY AFFECTED THE BOY!
YOU KNOW, I HATE TO ADMIT IT, BUT SHE'S GOT SOMETHING THERE!
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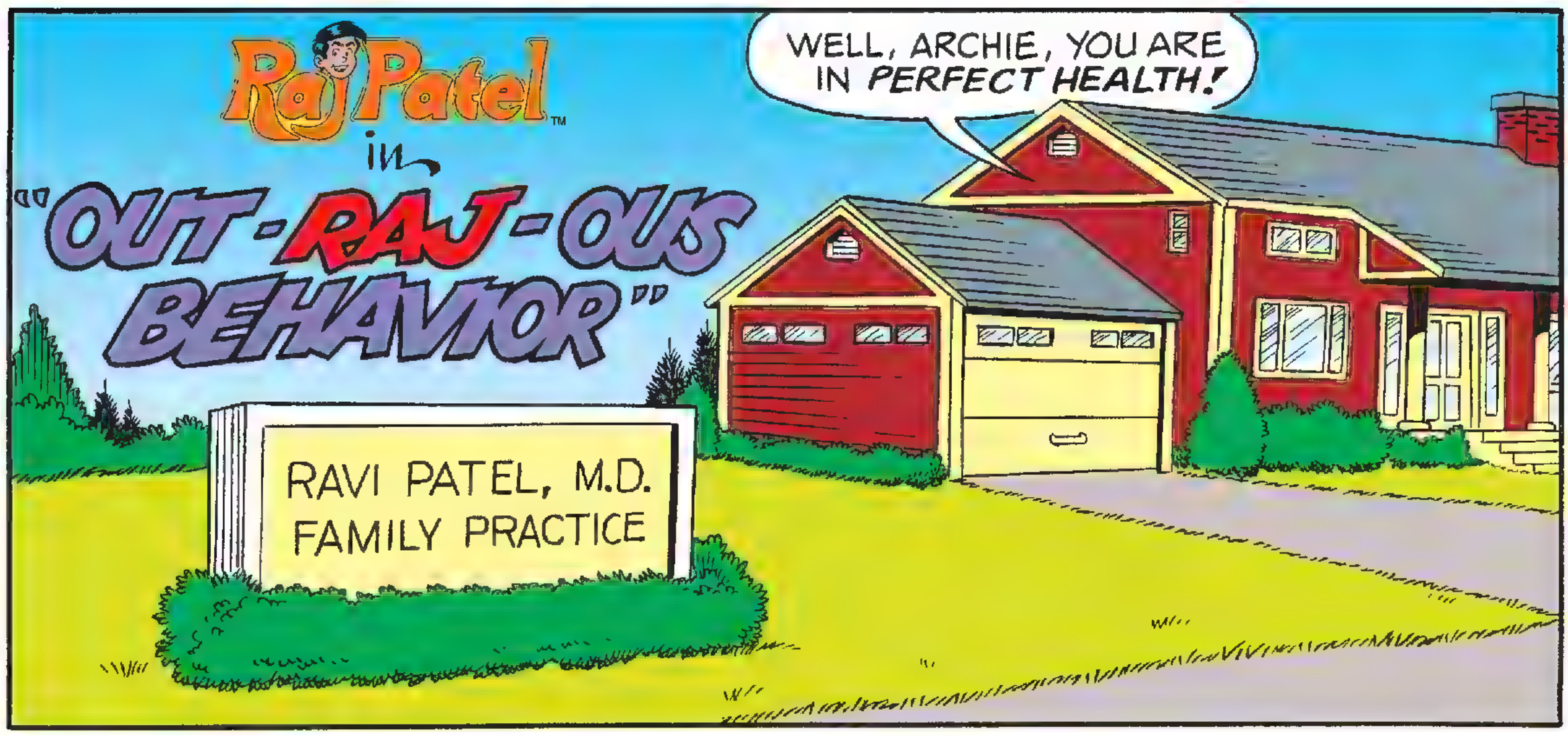

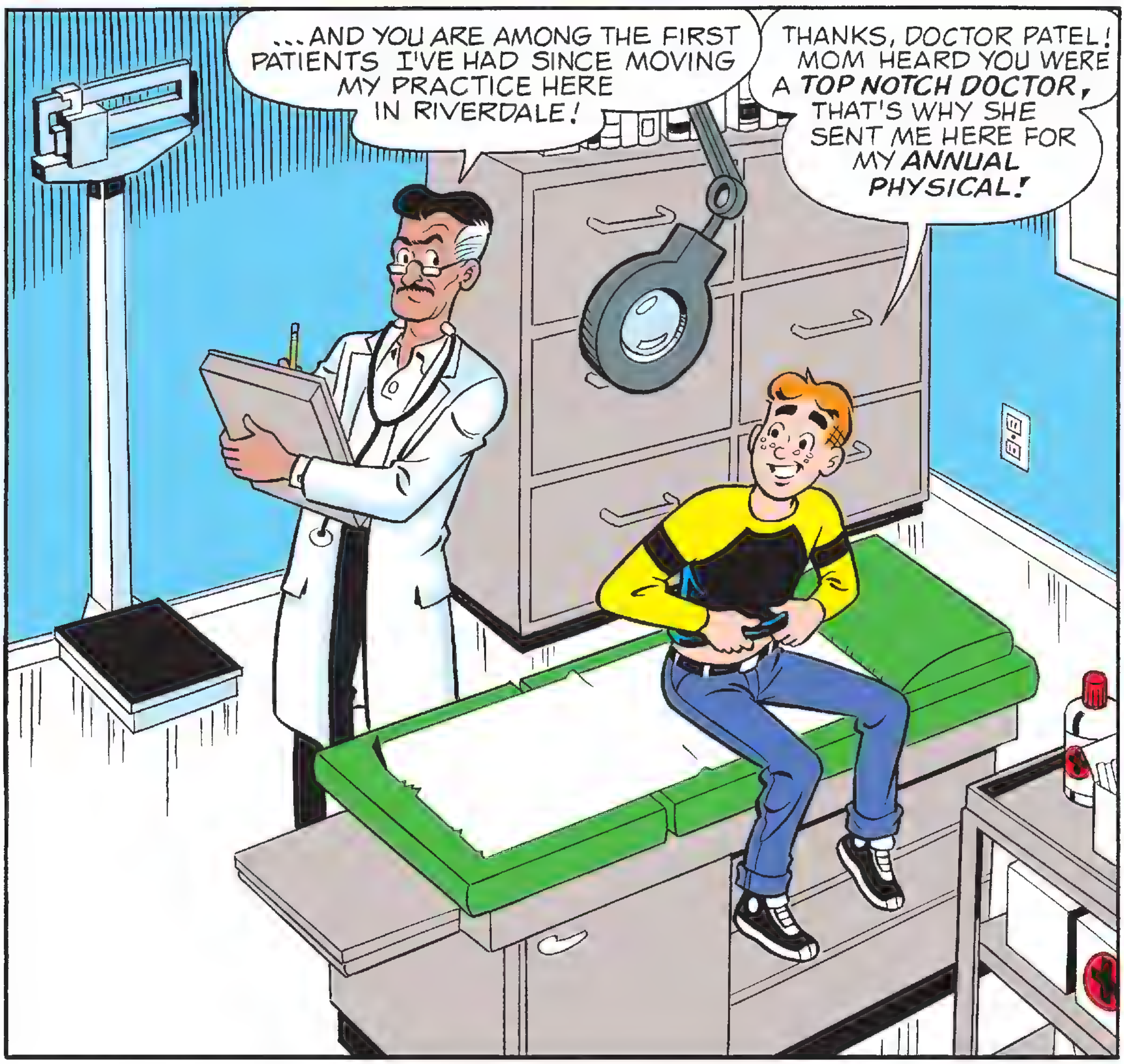

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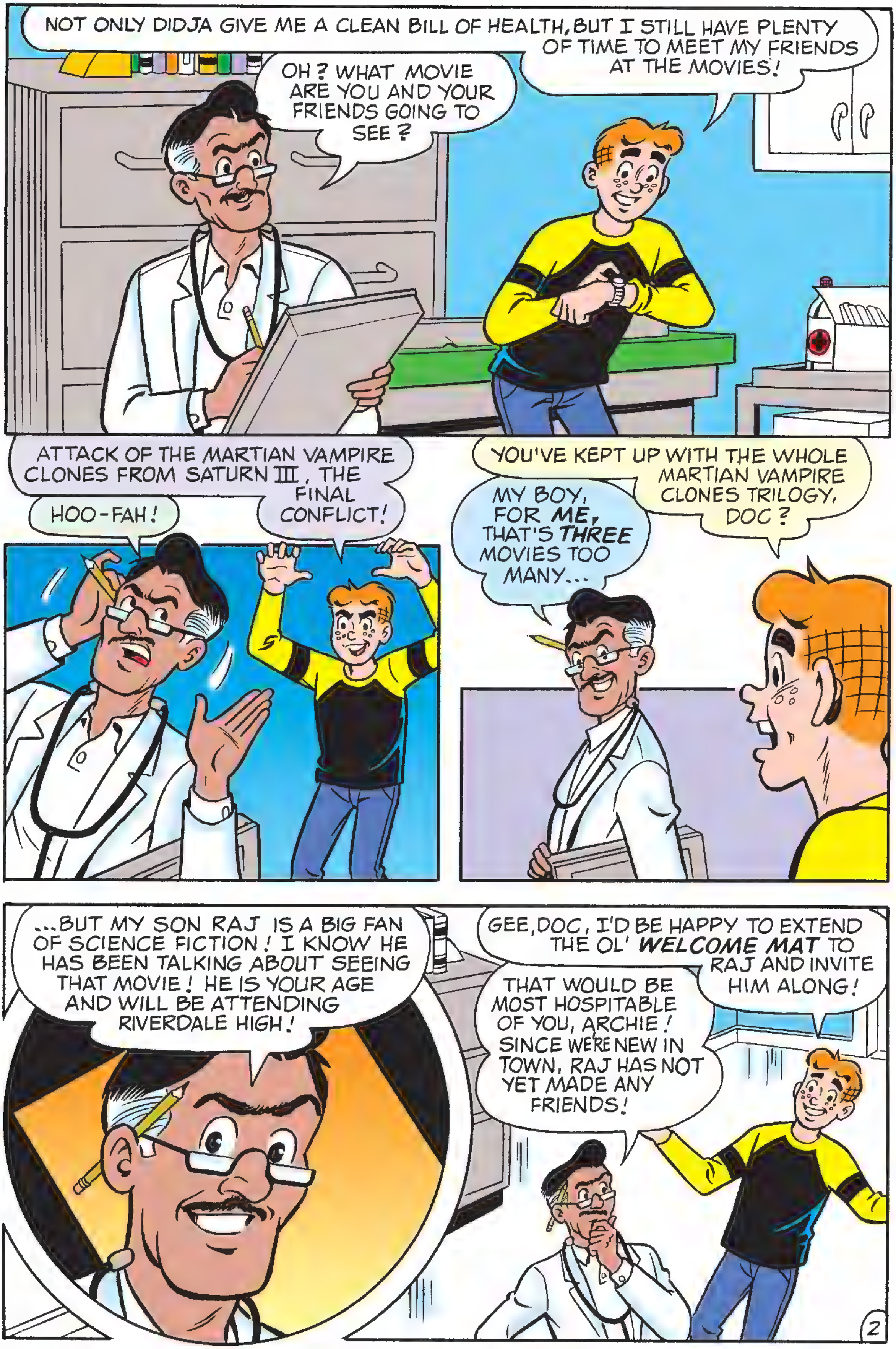
NOT ONLY DIDJA GIVE ME A CLEAN BILL OF HEALTH, BUT I STILL HAVE PLENTY OF TIME TO MEET MY FRIENDS AT THE MOVIES!
OH? WHAT MOVIE ARE YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS GOING TO SEE?
ATTACK OF THE MARTIAN VAMPIRE CLONES FROM SATURN III, THE FINAL CONFLICT!
HOO-FAH!
YOU'VE KEPT UP WITH THE WHOLE MARTIAN VAMPIRE CLONES TRILOGY, DOC?
MY BOY, FOR ME, THAT'S THREE MOVIES TOO MANY...
...BUT MY SON RAJ IS A BIG FAN OF SCIENCE FICTION! I KNOW HE HAS BEEN TALKING ABOUT SEEING THAT MOVIE! HE IS YOUR AGE AND WILL BE ATTENDING RIVERDALE HIGH!
GEE, DOC, I'D BE HAPPY TO EXTEND THE OL' WELCOME MAT TO RAJ AND INVITE HIM ALONG!
THAT WOULD BE MOST HOSPITABLE OF YOU, ARCHIE! SINCE WE'RE NEW IN TOWN, RAJ HAS NOT YET MADE ANY FRIENDS!
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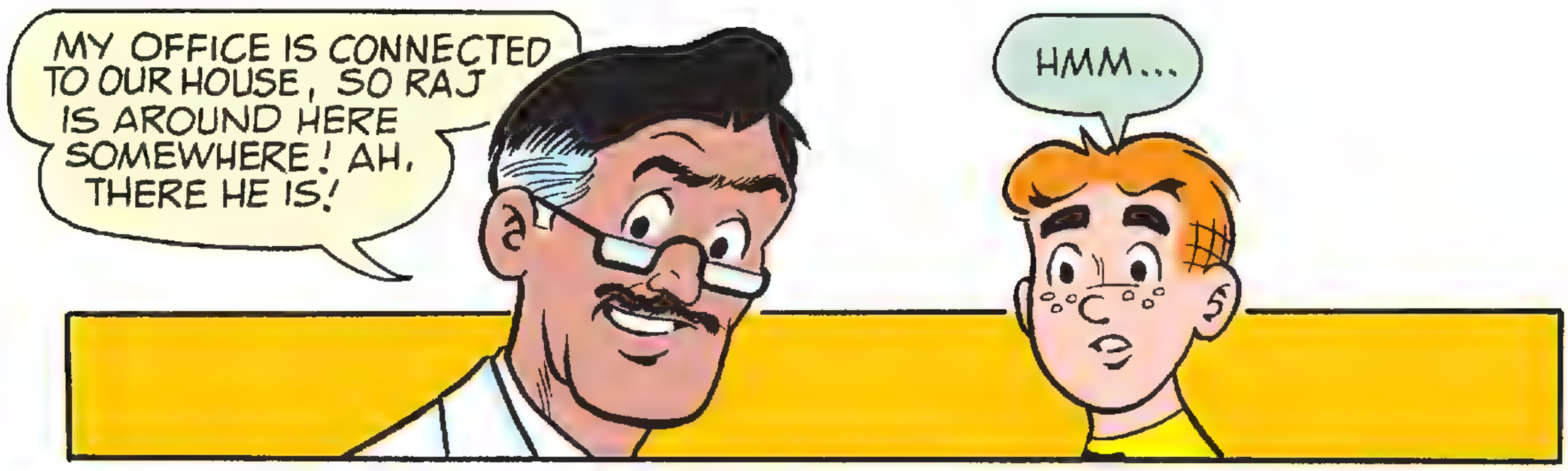
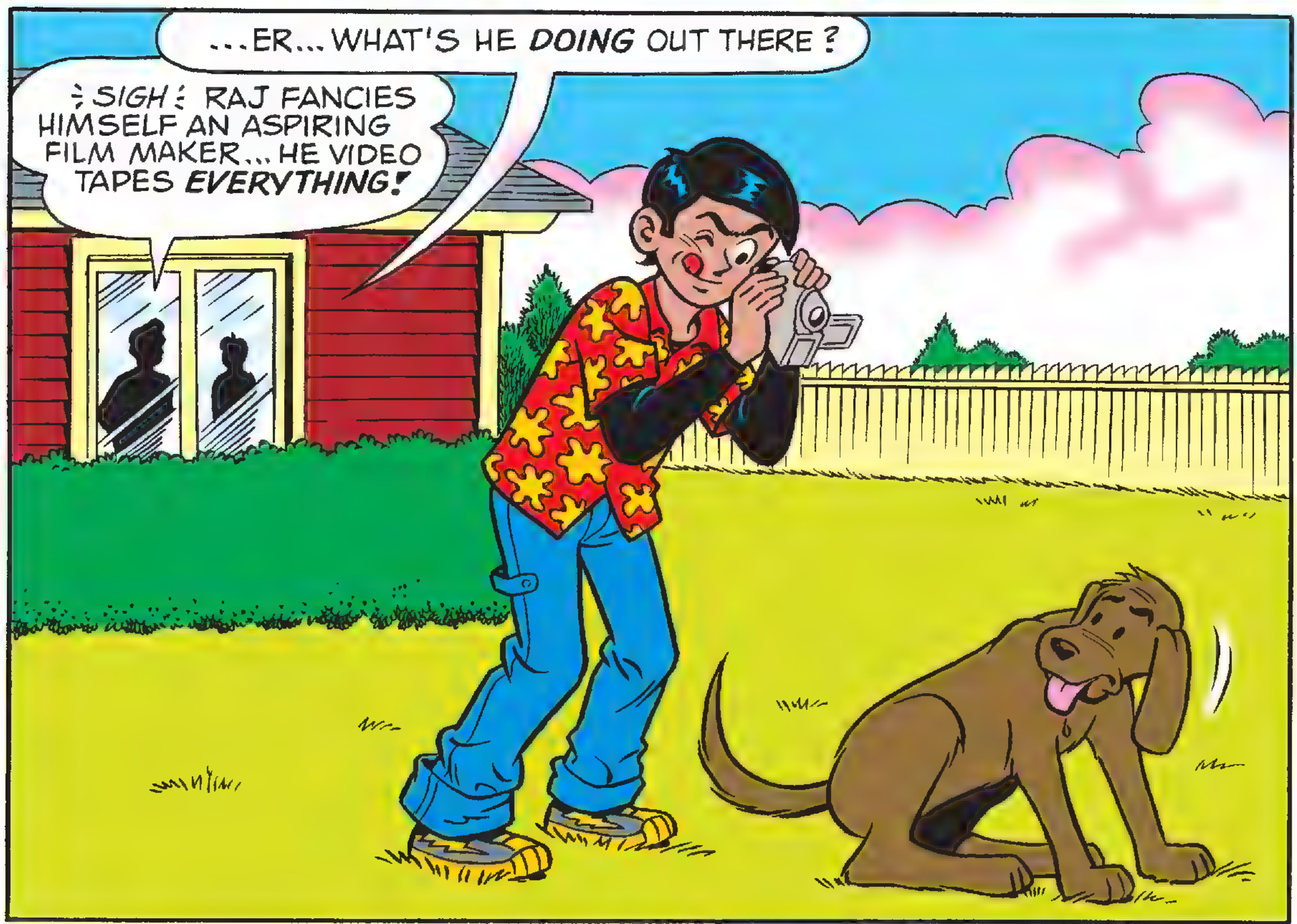
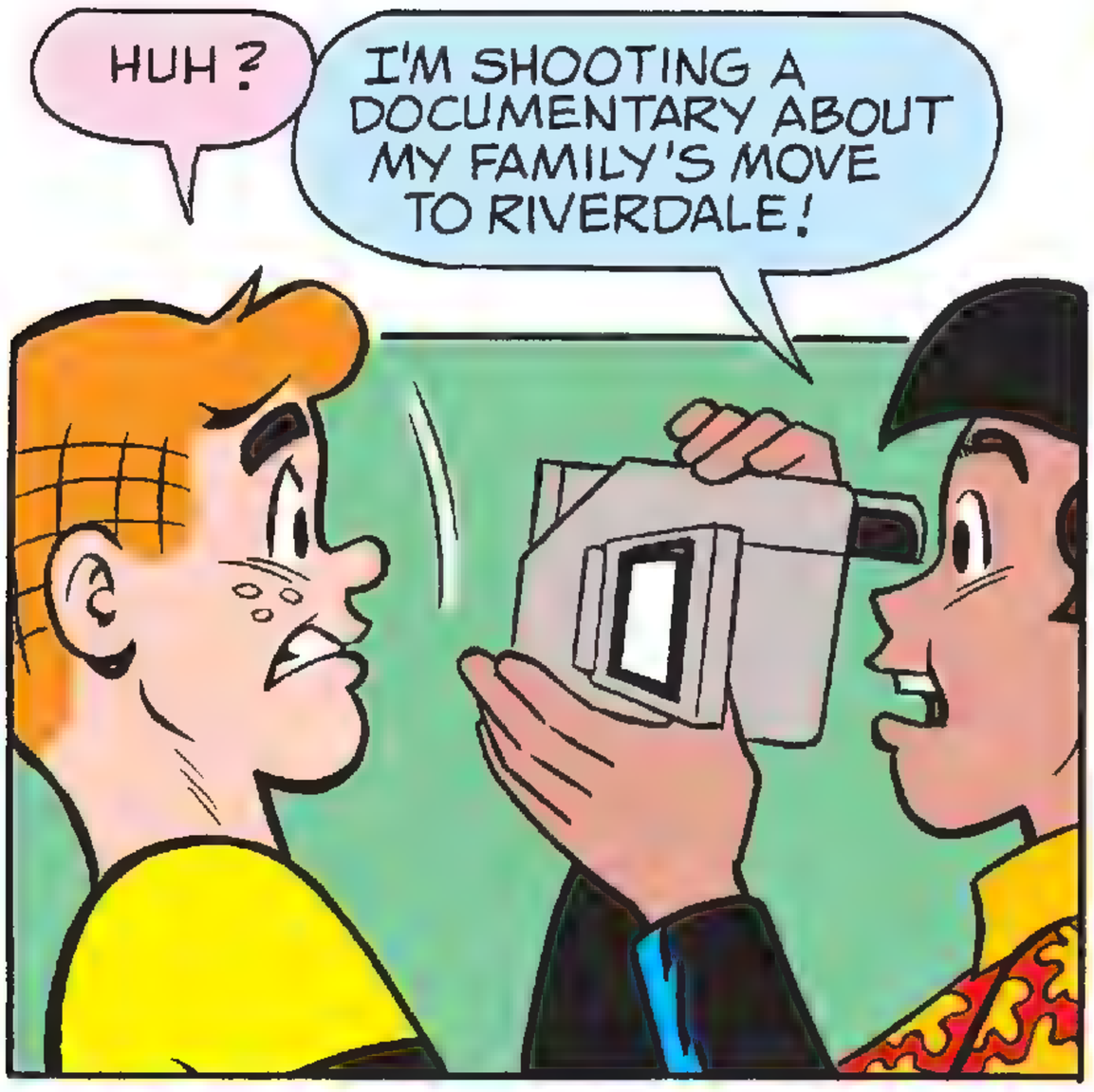
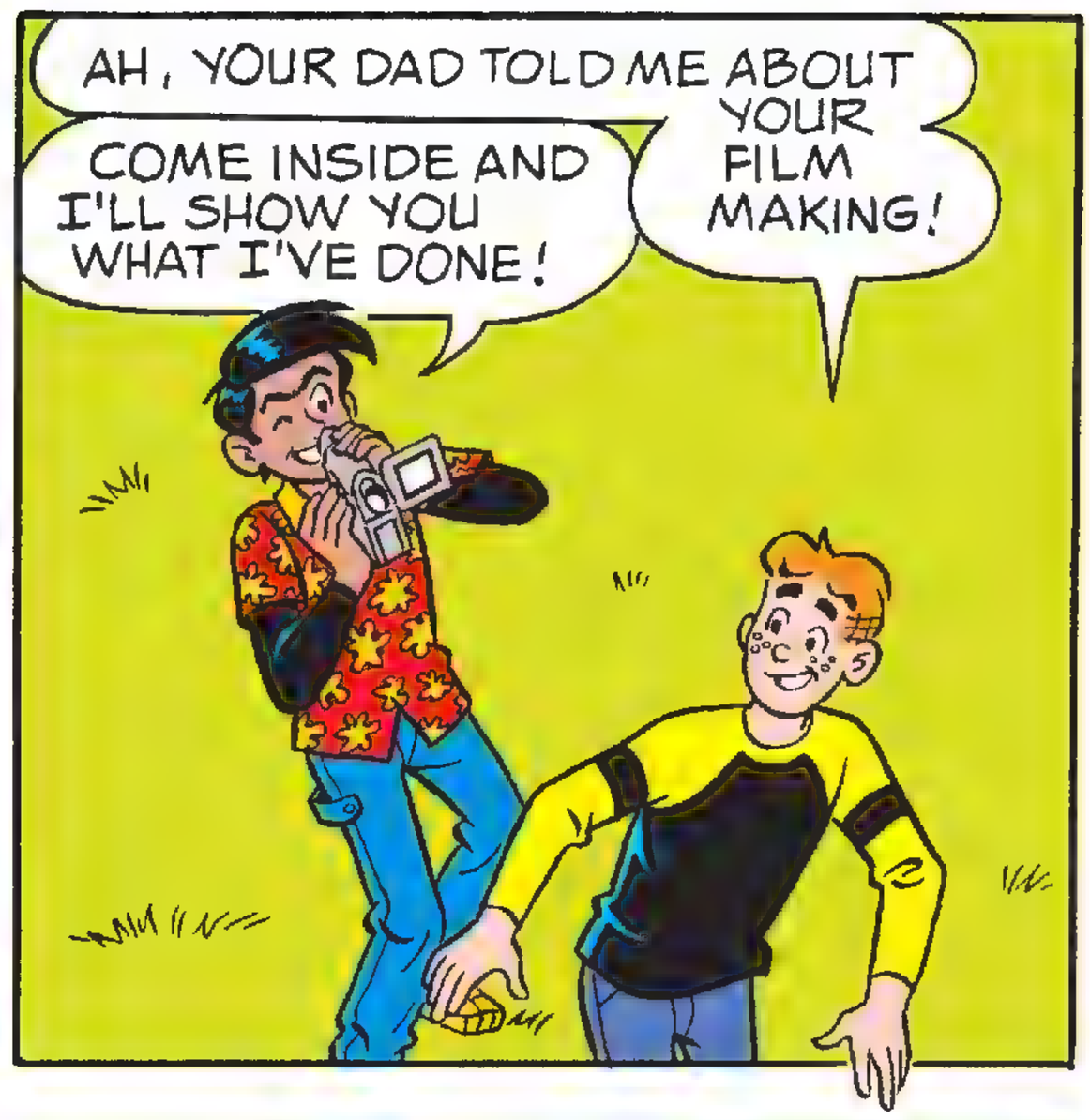

MY OFFICE IS CONNECTED TO OUR HOUSE, SO RAJ IS AROUND HERE SOMEWHERE! AH, THERE HE IS!
HMM...

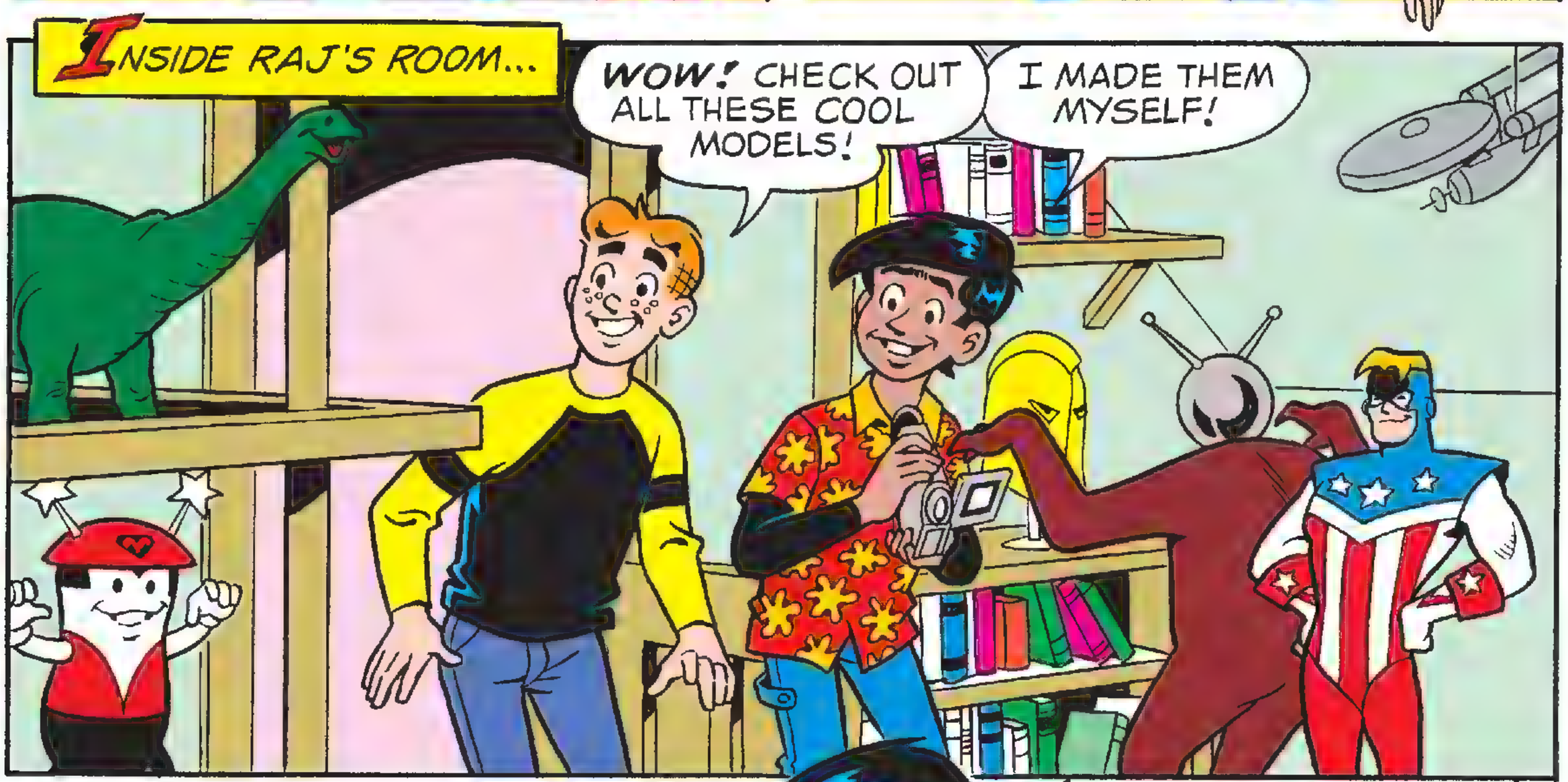

...ER... WHAT'S HE DOING OUT THERE?
SIGH RAJ FANCIES HIMSELF AN ASPIRING FILM MAKER... HE VIDEO TAPES EVERYTHING!

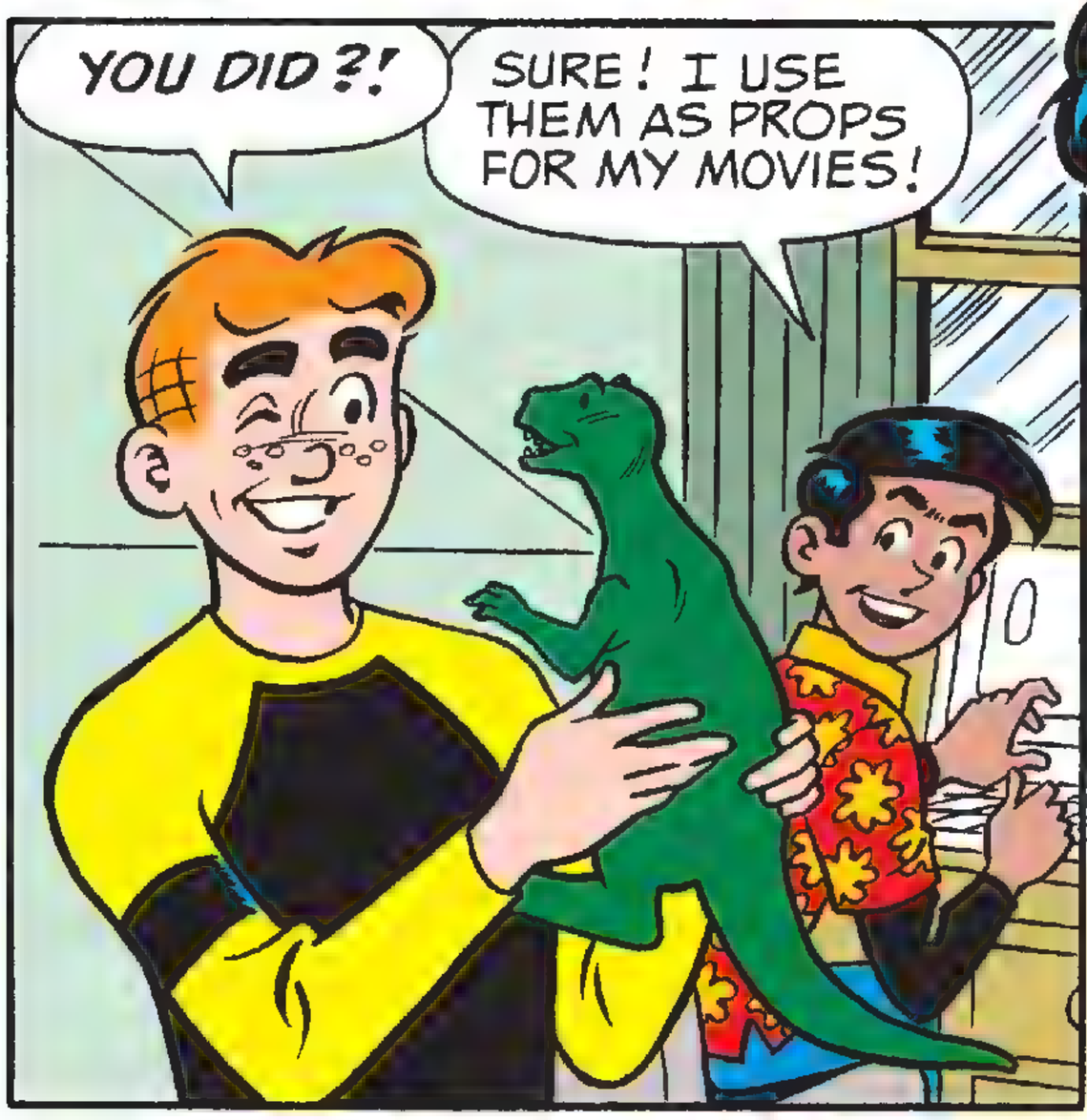
WELL, I'LL JUST GO OUT AND INTRODUCE MYSELF TO HIM!

HI, RAJ, MY NAME IS ARCHIE ANDREWS!
KEEP TALKING!

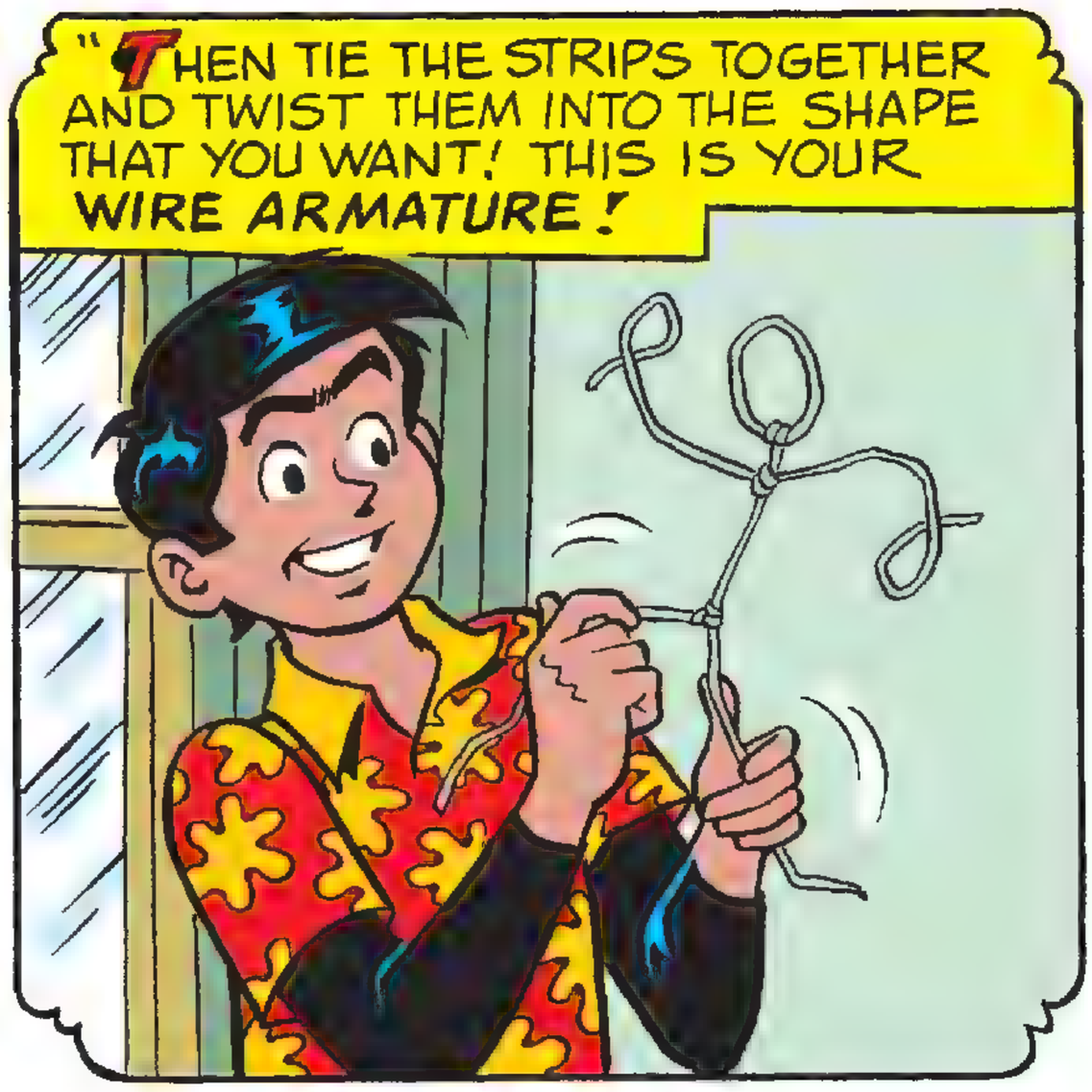

HUH?
I'M SHOOTING A DOCUMENTARY ABOUT MY FAMILY'S MOVE TO RIVERDALE!


AH, YOUR DAD TOLD ME ABOUT YOUR FILM MAKING!
COME INSIDE AND I'LL SHOW YOU WHAT I'VE DONE!


INSIDE RAJ'S ROOM...
WOW! CHECK OUT ALL THESE COOL MODELS!
I MADE THEM MYSELF!


YOU DID?!
SURE! I USE THEM AS PROPS FOR MY MOVIES!

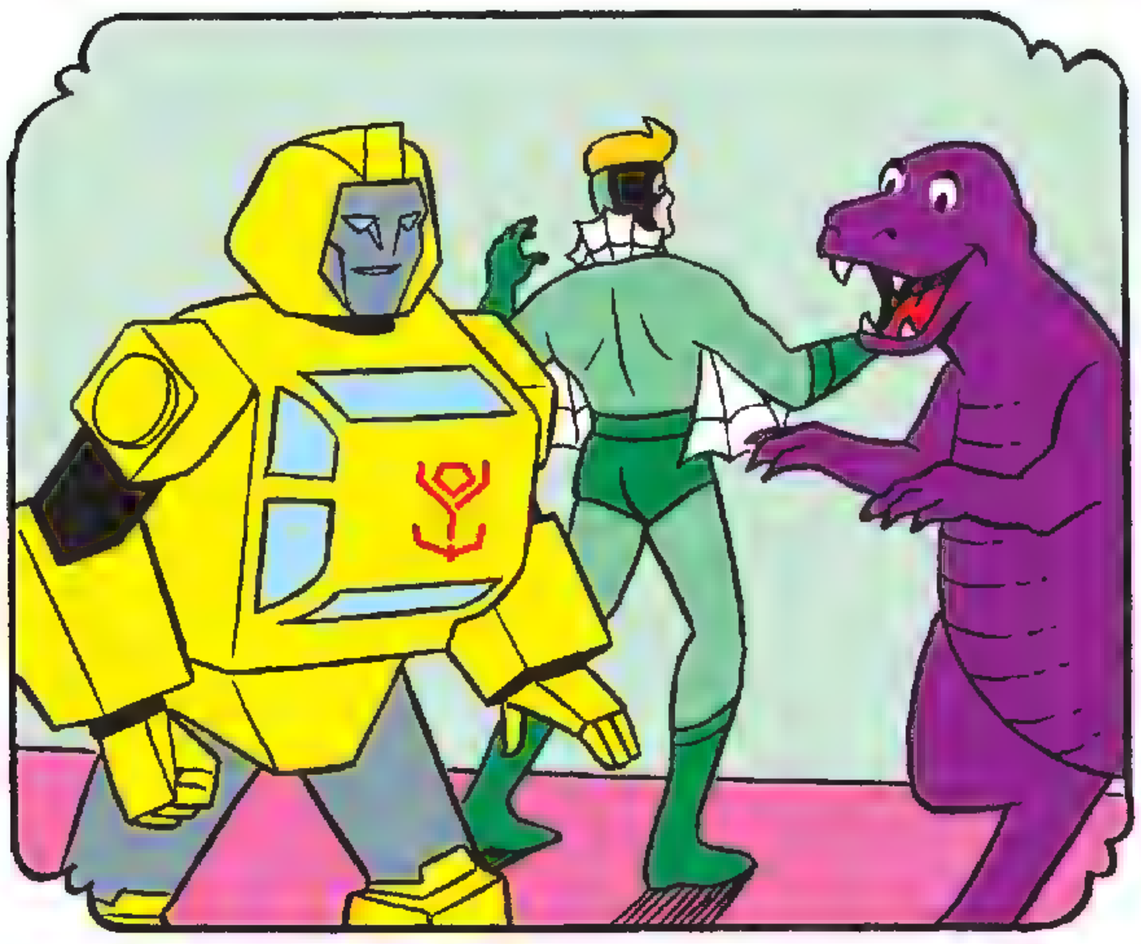
IT'S NOT VERY HARD! ALL YOU NEED IS A SPOOL OF WIRE, WIRE CUTTER, AND SOME CLAY!
MODELLING CLAY

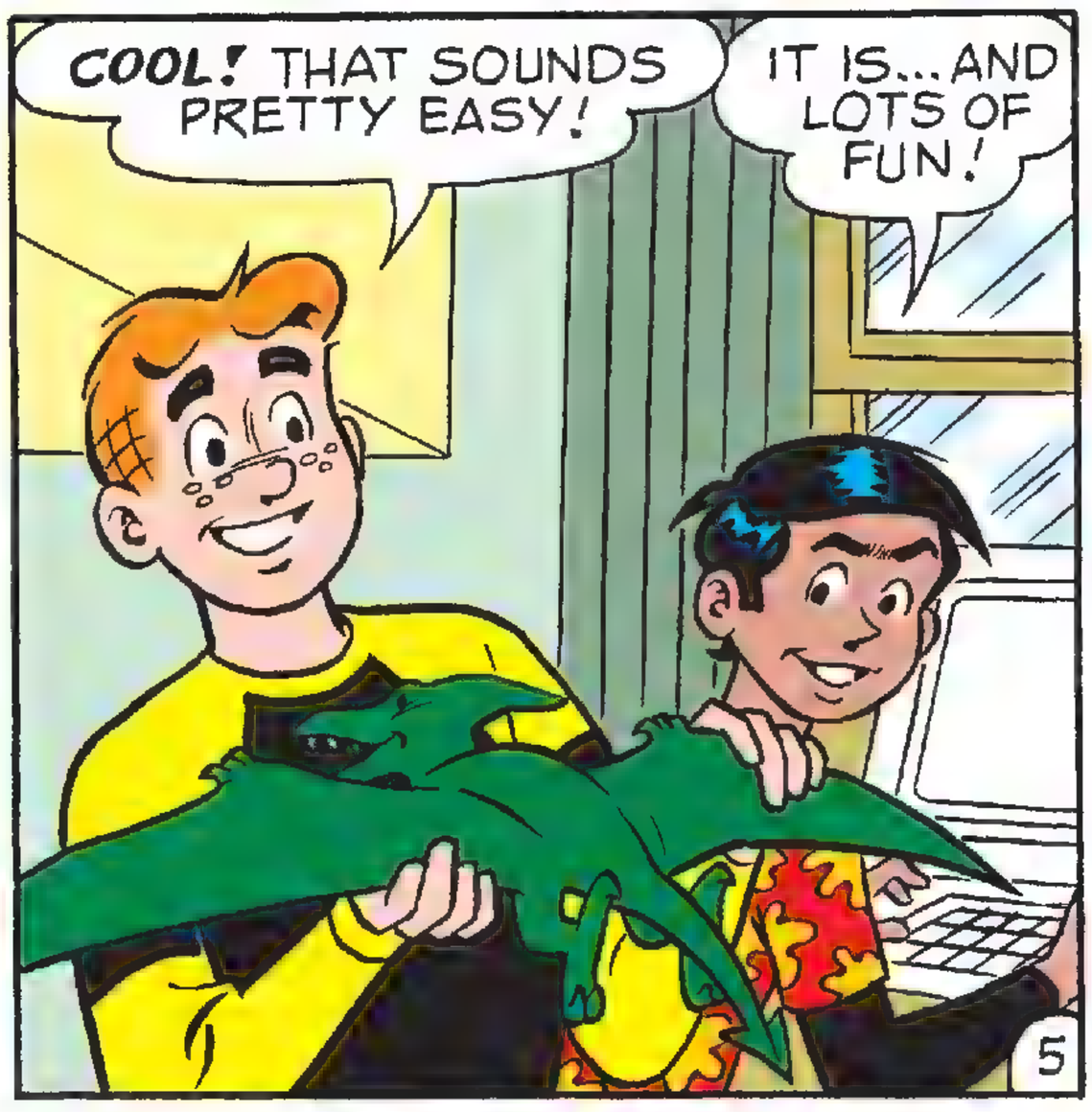


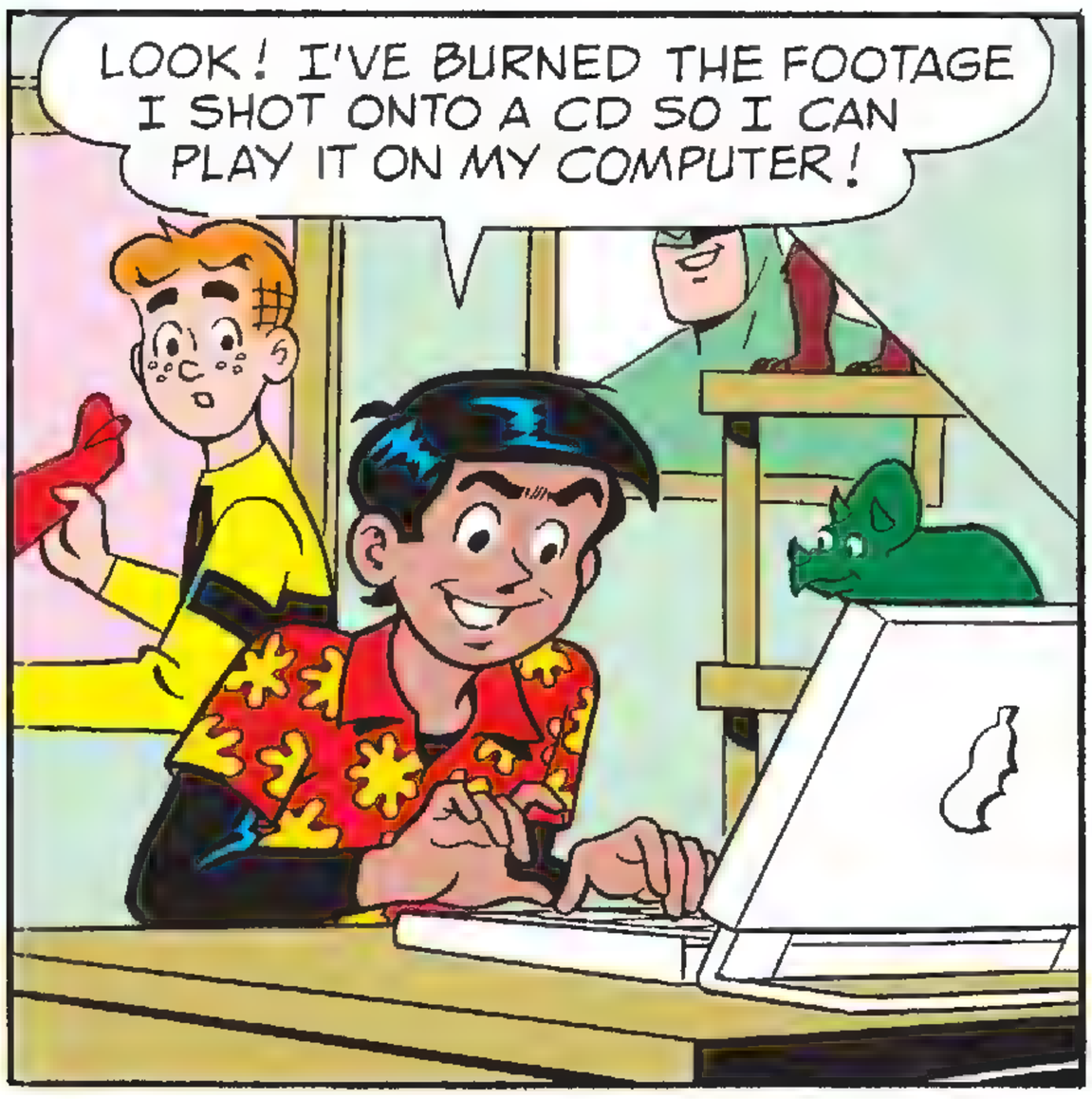
"ONCE YOUR ARMATURE IS COMPLETE, PACK THE CLAY OVER IT...

...AND AFTER YOU FINISH **SCULPTING** YOUR MODEL, ADD **PAINT**...

...AND ***VIOLA!*** IT'S FINISHED! YOU CAN MAKE ANY CHARACTER OR CREATURE YOU CAN IMAGINE!"

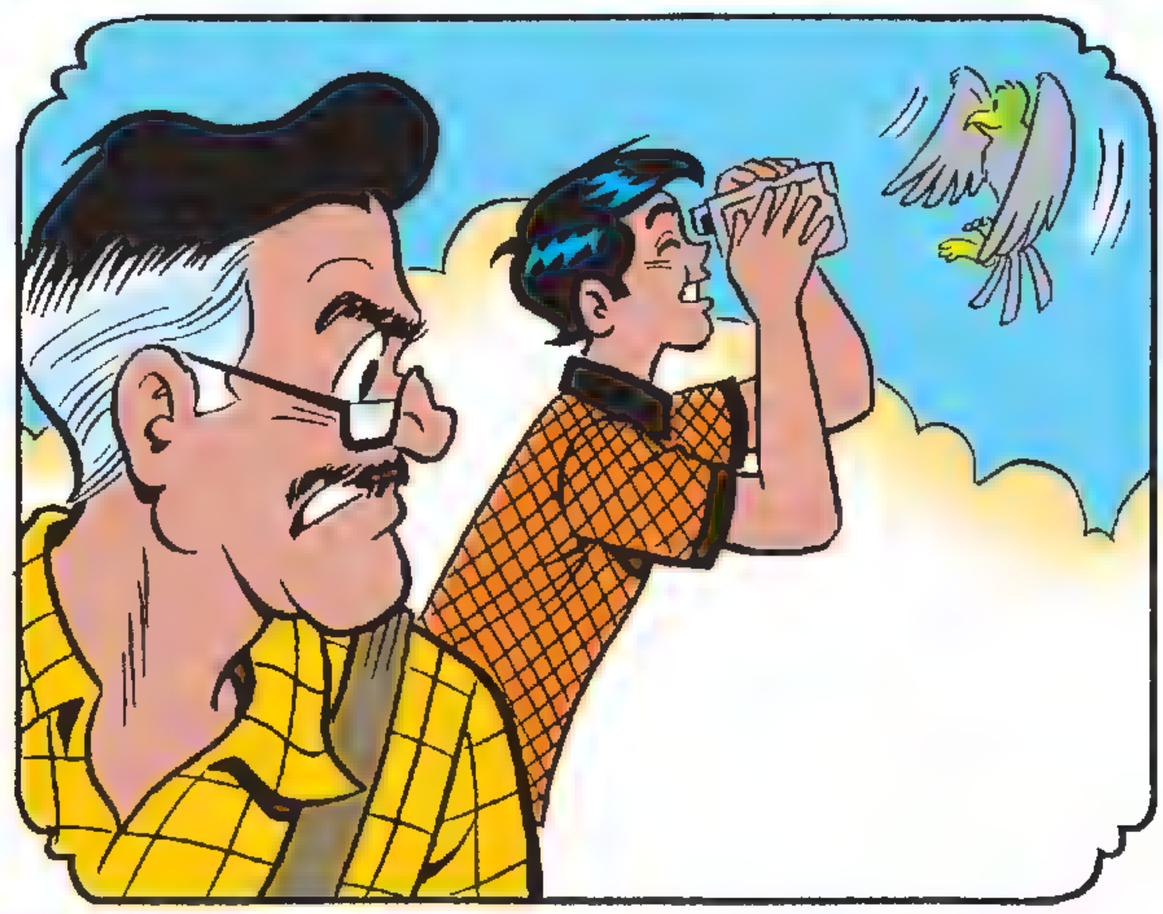


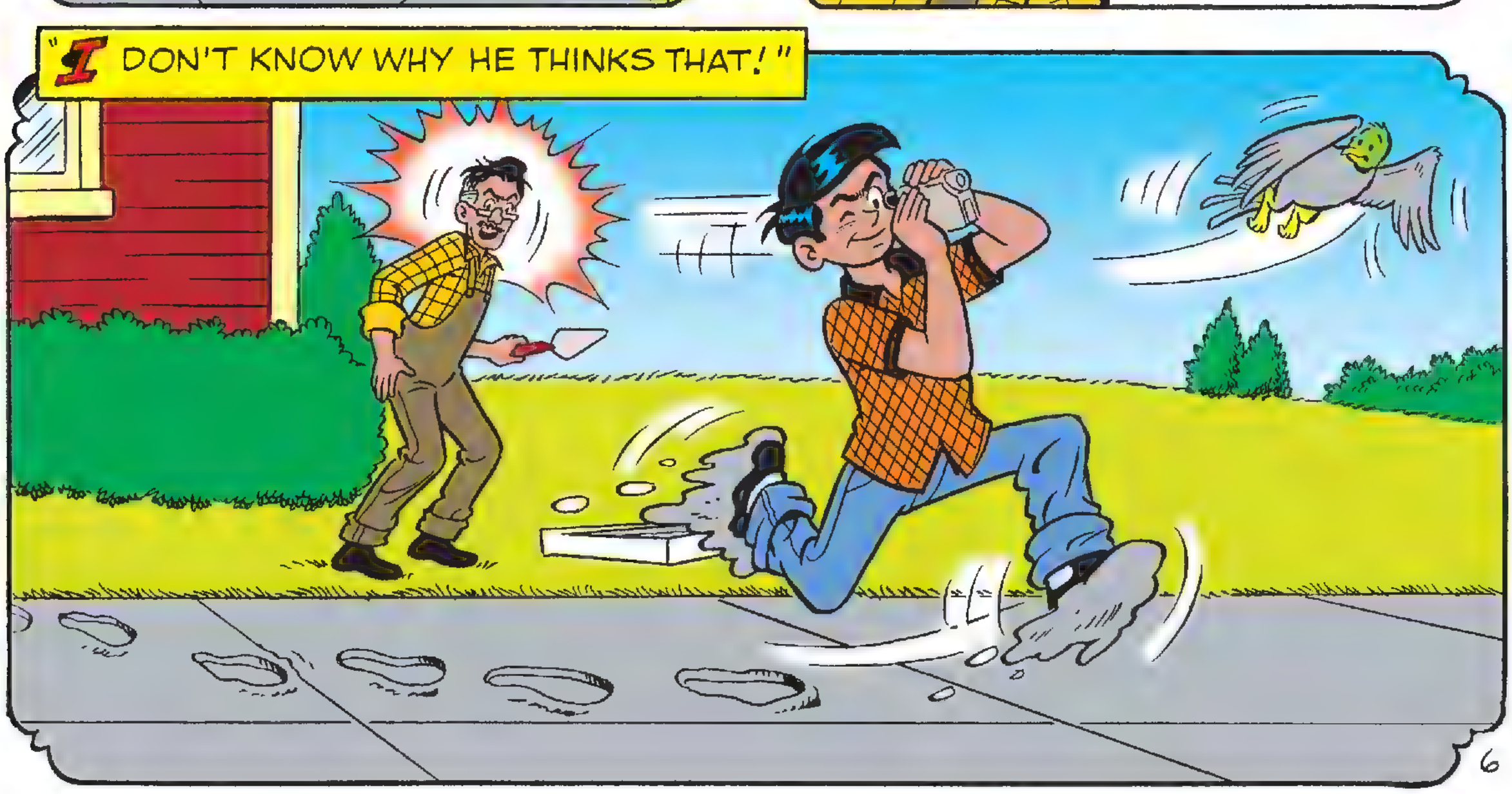


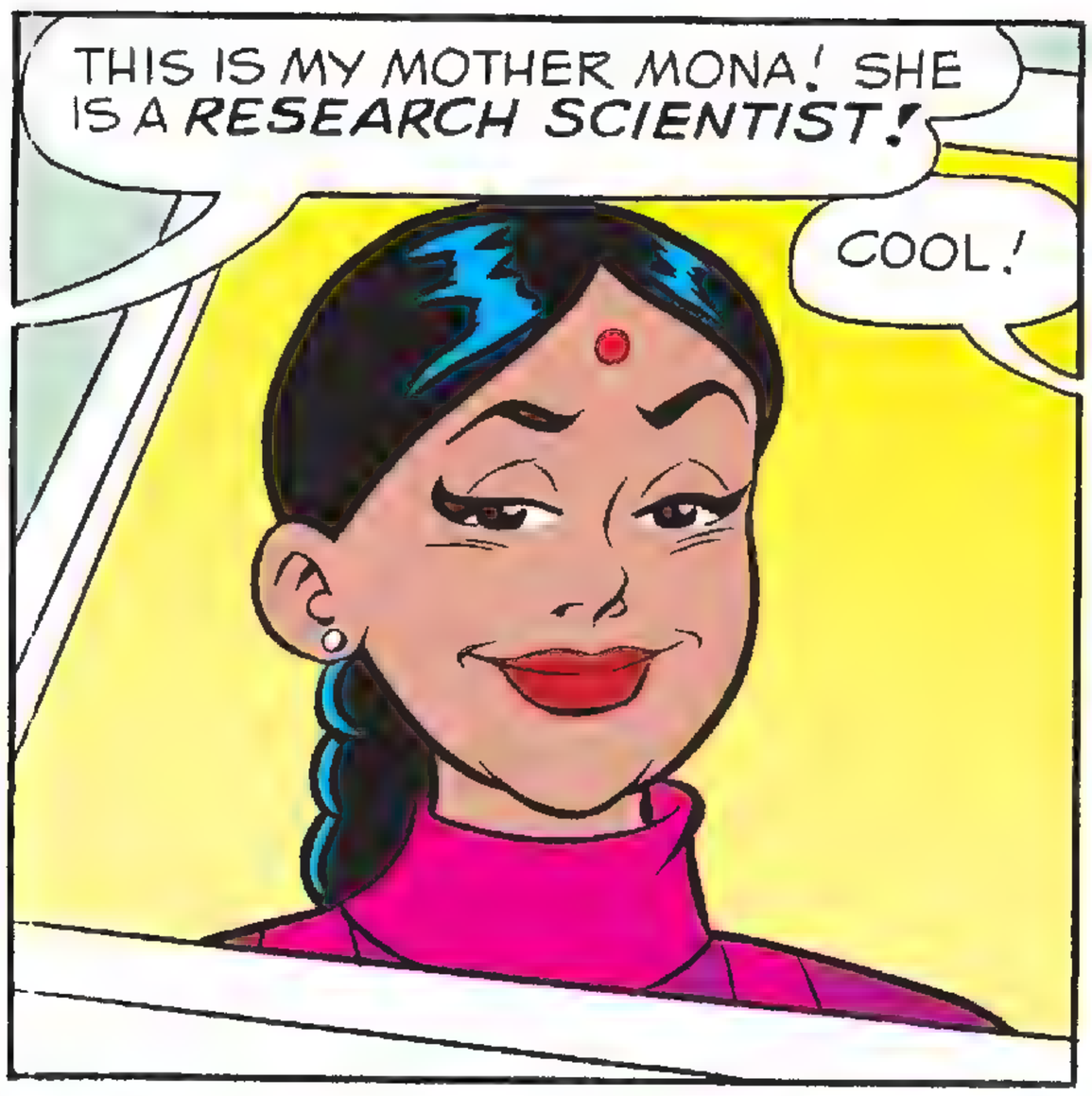


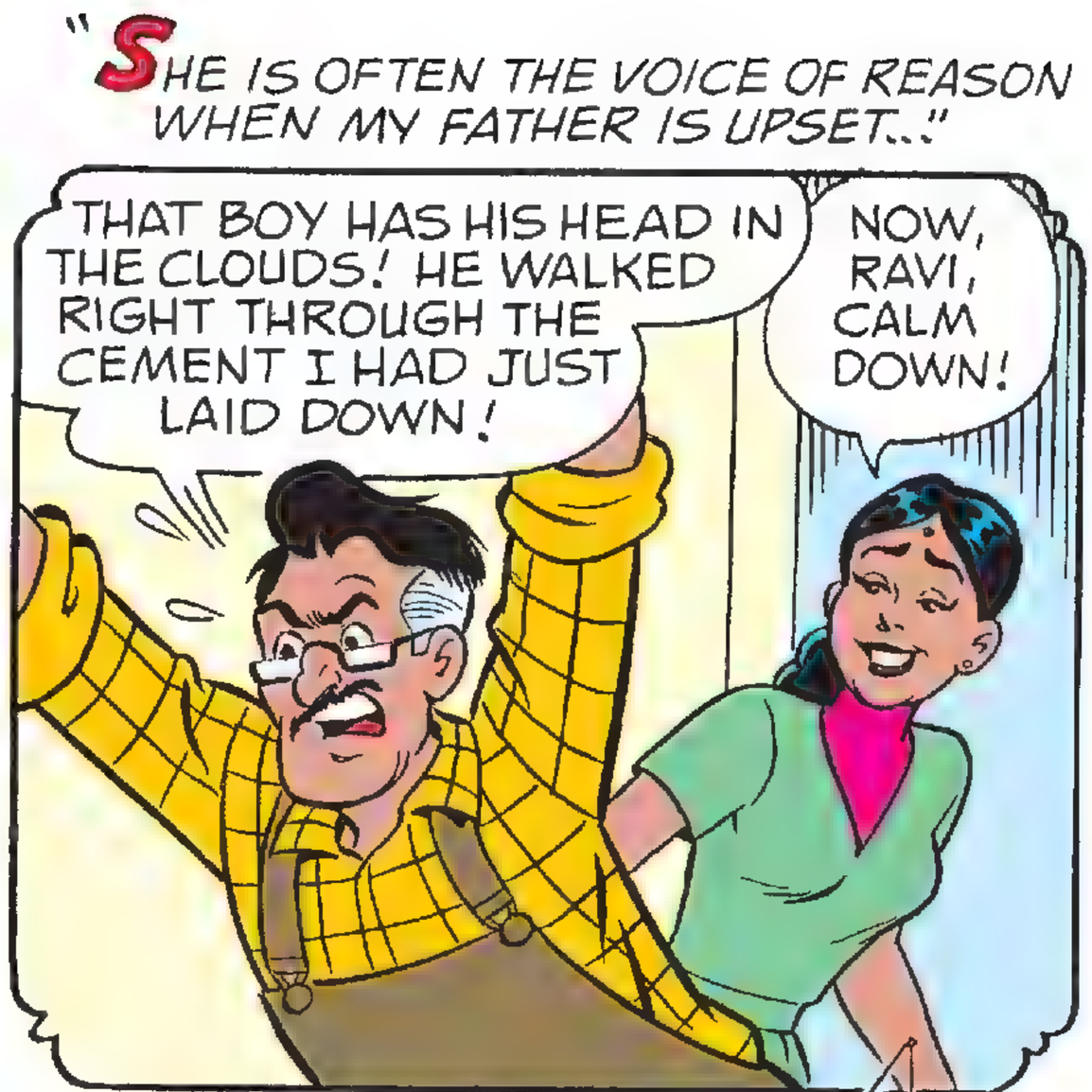
"MY FATHER IS A VERY SERIOUS MAN, A HARD WORKER! HERE HE'S SMOOTHING WET CEMENT OUTSIDE OUR HOUSE!"

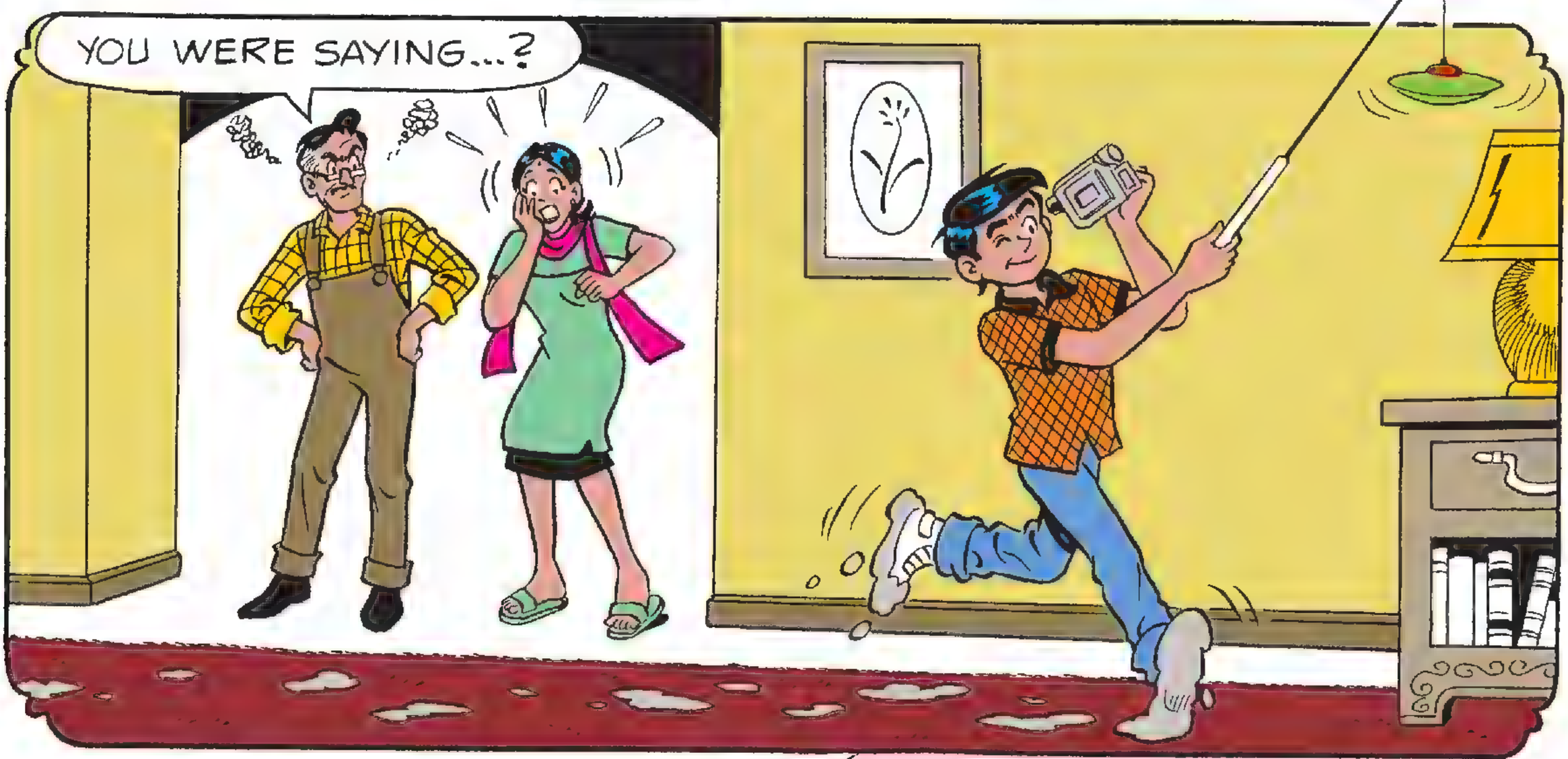
"HE WISHES THAT I HAD MORE SERIOUS INTERESTS! HE SEES MY FILM MAKING AS A FRIVOLOUS DISTRACTION!



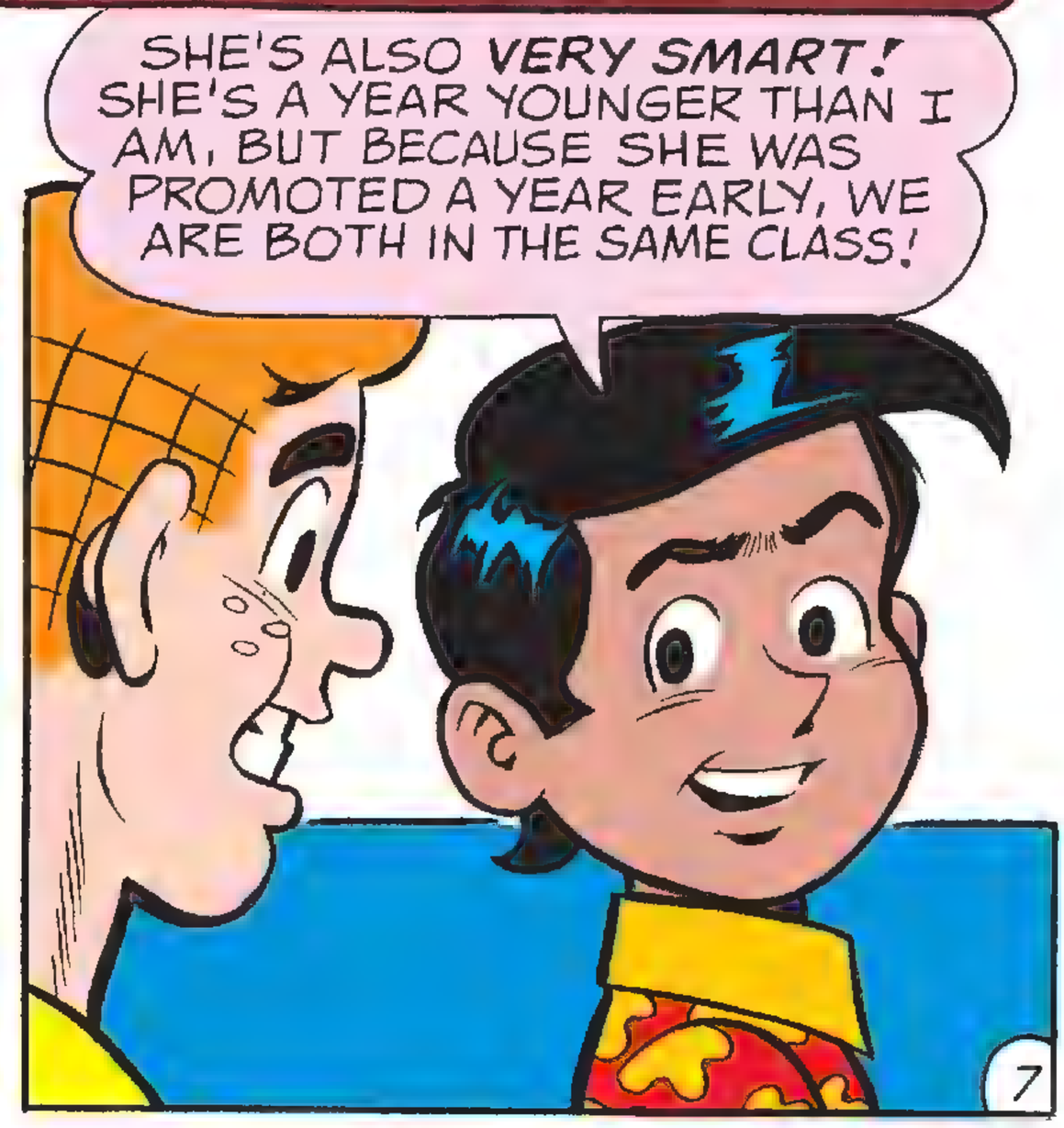


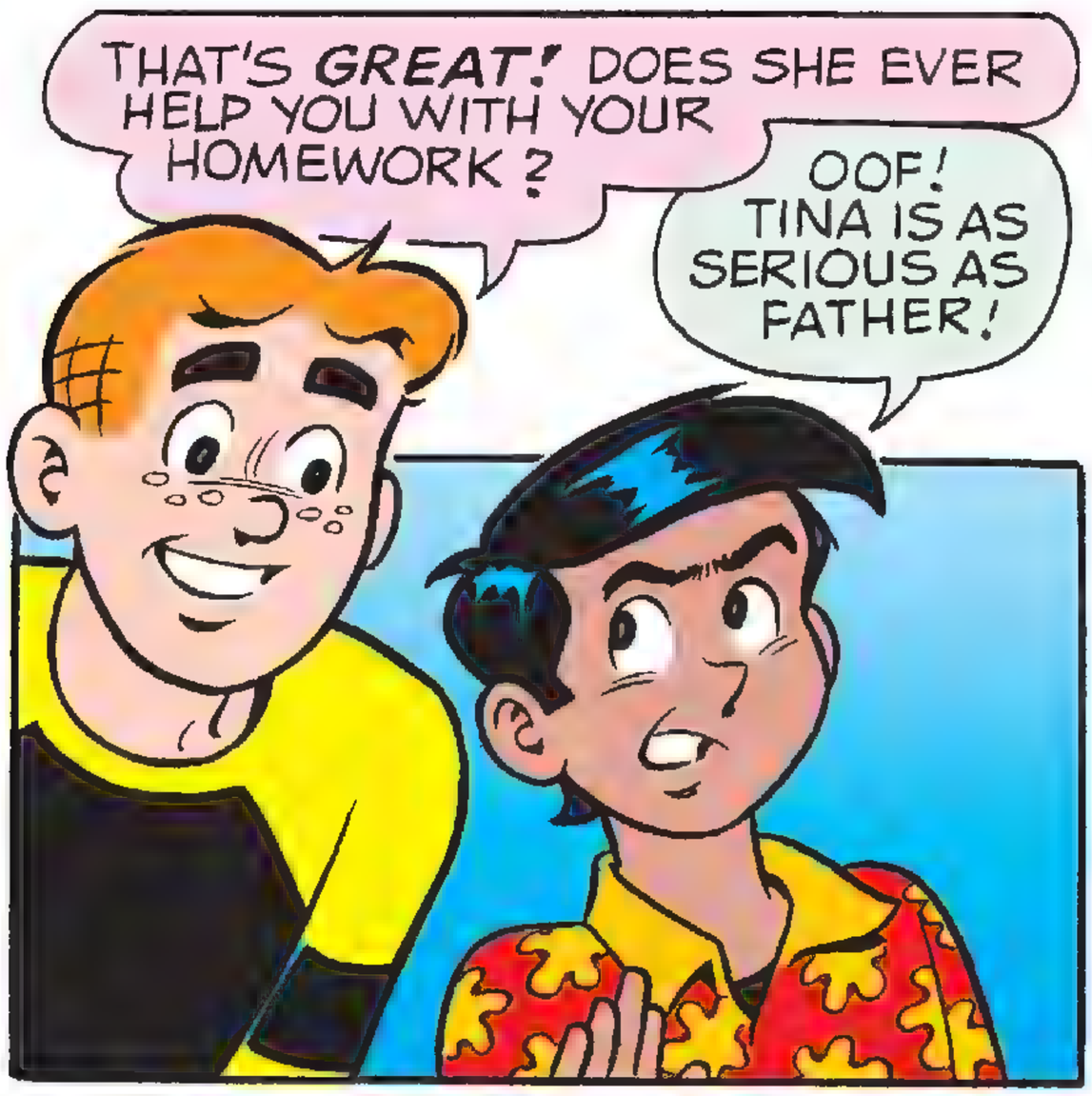

THIS IS MY MOTHER MONA! SHE IS A RESEARCH SCIENTIST!
COOL!

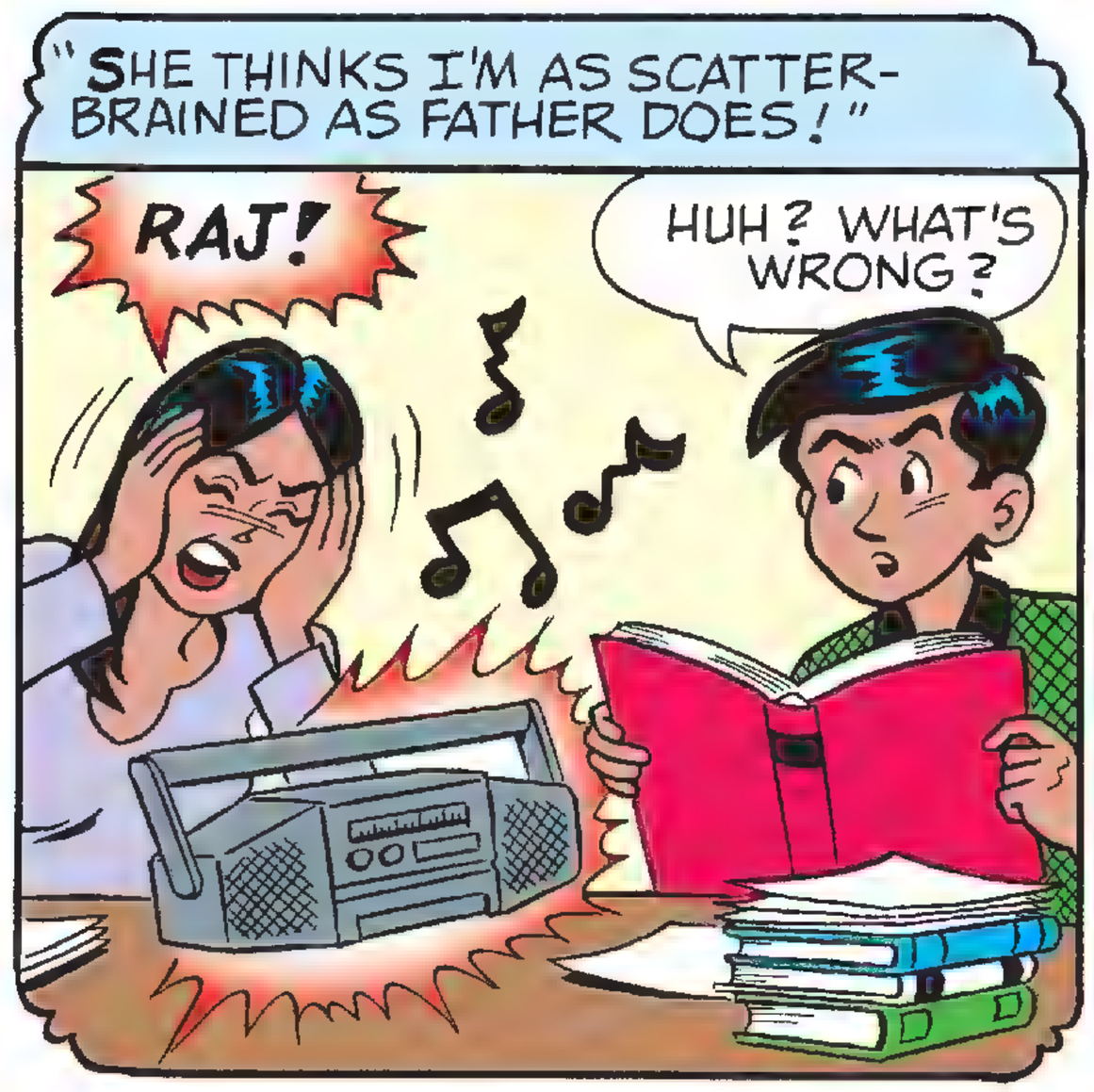

"SHE IS OFTEN THE VOICE OF REASON WHEN MY FATHER IS UPSET..."
THAT BOY HAS HIS HEAD IN THE CLOUDS! HE WALKED RIGHT THROUGH THE CEMENT I HAD JUST LAID DOWN!
NOW, RAVI, CALM DOWN!


YOU WERE SAYING...?

THIS IS MY SISTER TINA!
HEY, SHE'S CUTE!

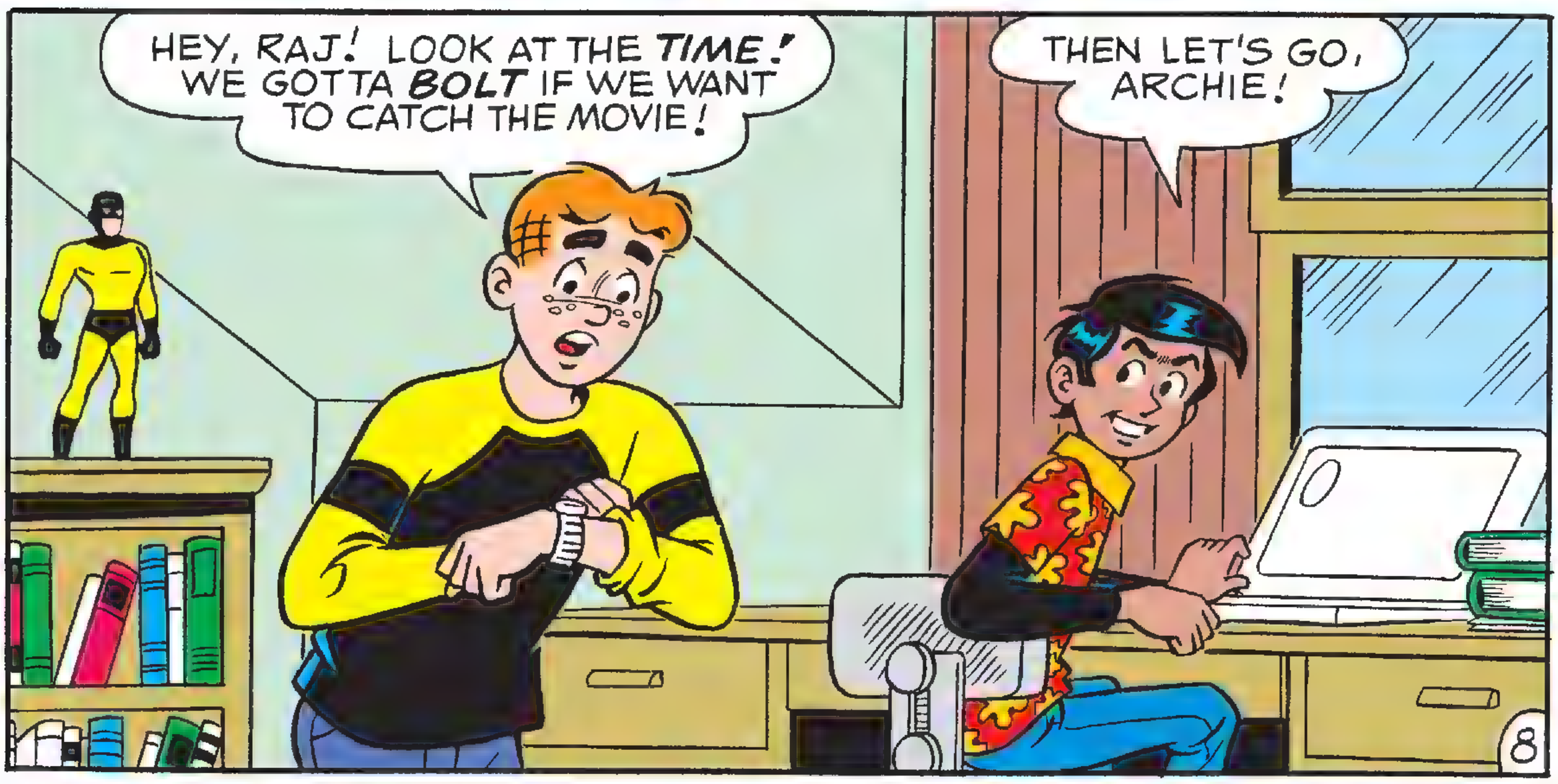

SHE'S ALSO VERY SMART! SHE'S A YEAR YOUNGER THAN I AM, BUT BECAUSE SHE WAS PROMOTED A YEAR EARLY, WE ARE BOTH IN THE SAME CLASS!

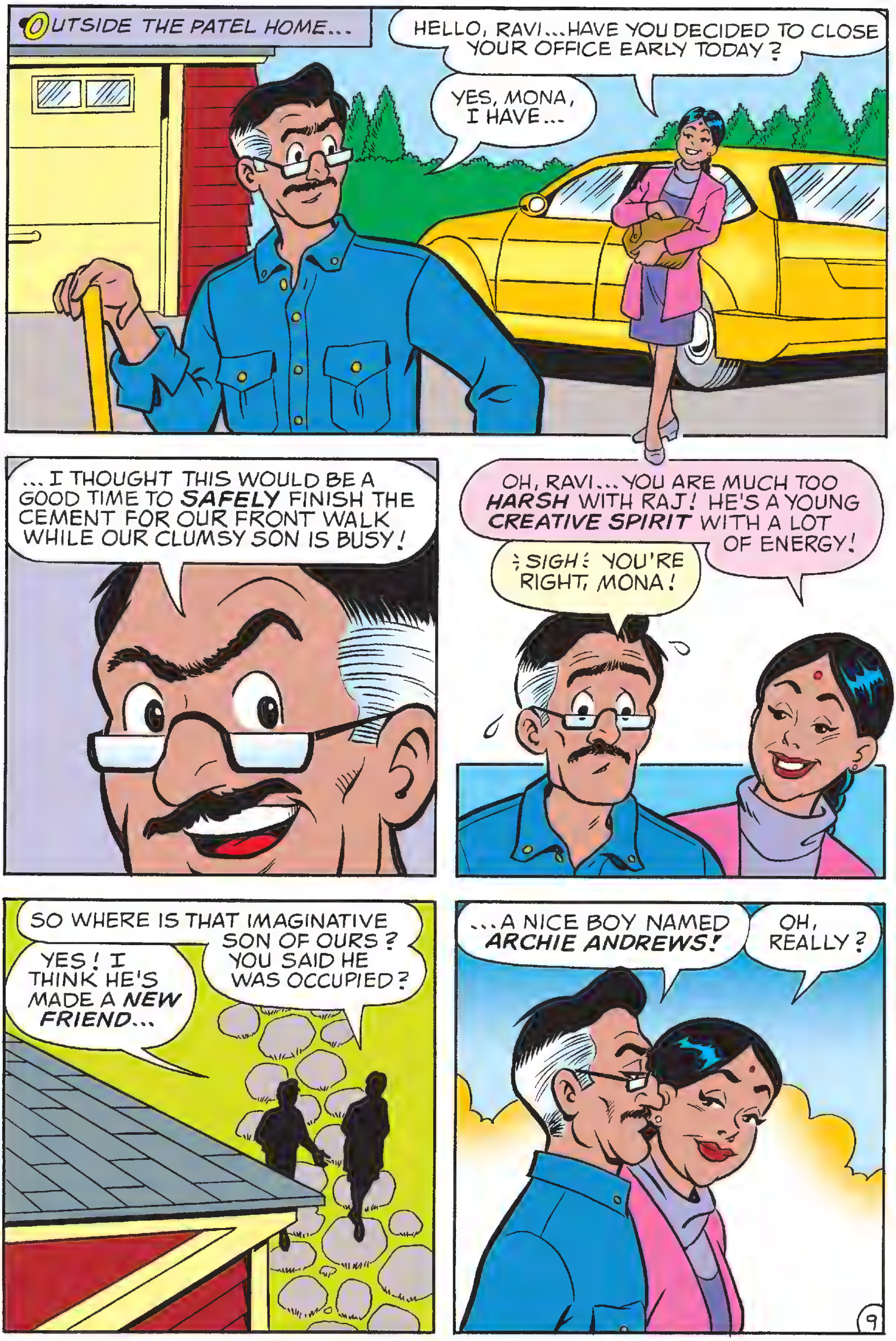

THAT'S GREAT! DOES SHE EVER HELP YOU WITH YOUR HOMEWORK?
OOF! TINA IS AS SERIOUS AS FATHER!


"SHE THINKS I'M AS SCATTER-BRAINED AS FATHER DOES!"
RAJ!
HUH? WHAT'S WRONG?

"SINCE OUR STUDY HABITS DIFFER, I TRIED WEARING MY HEADPHONES SO I WOULDN'T DISTURB HER...

...BUT STRANGELY ENOUGH, IT DIDN'T HELP!"
BAM! BAM! DO-DAH!
TAP!
TAP!
TAP!
TAP!


HEY, RAJ! LOOK AT THE TIME! WE GOTTA BOLT IF WE WANT TO CATCH THE MOVIE!
THEN LET'S GO, ARCHIE!


OUTSIDE THE PATEL HOME...
HELLO, RAVI...HAVE YOU DECIDED TO CLOSE YOUR OFFICE EARLY TODAY?
YES, MONA, I HAVE...
...I THOUGHT THIS WOULD BE A GOOD TIME TO SAFELY FINISH THE CEMENT FOR OUR FRONT WALK WHILE OUR CLUMSY SON IS BUSY!
OH, RAVI...YOU ARE MUCH TOO HARSH WITH RAJ! HE'S A YOUNG CREATIVE SPIRIT WITH A LOT OF ENERGY!
SIGH YOU'RE RIGHT, MONA!
SO WHERE IS THAT IMAGINATIVE SON OF OURS? YOU SAID HE WAS OCCUPIED?
YES! I THINK HE'S MADE A NEW FRIEND...
...A NICE BOY NAMED ARCHIE ANDREWS!
OH, REALLY?

ARCHIE SEEMS LIKE THE SORT OF LEVEL-HEADED MATURE YOUNG MAN WHO MIGHT BE A GOOD INFLUENCE ON RAJ!
ER... RAVI...
...ARE YOU SURE ABOUT THAT ?
ULP!
HURRY, RAJ, THE MOVIE BEGINS IN FIFTEEN MINUTES!
YEAH! LET'S MOVE FAST SO WE CAN GET GOOD SEATS!
END

Archie in SUMMERTIME DATE!

BYE, ALL! I'M OFF TO THE MOVIES!

ON A WARM SUMMER NIGHT LIKE THIS, IT'S PROBABLY THE DRIVE-IN, eh, SON?

DRIVE-IN?!

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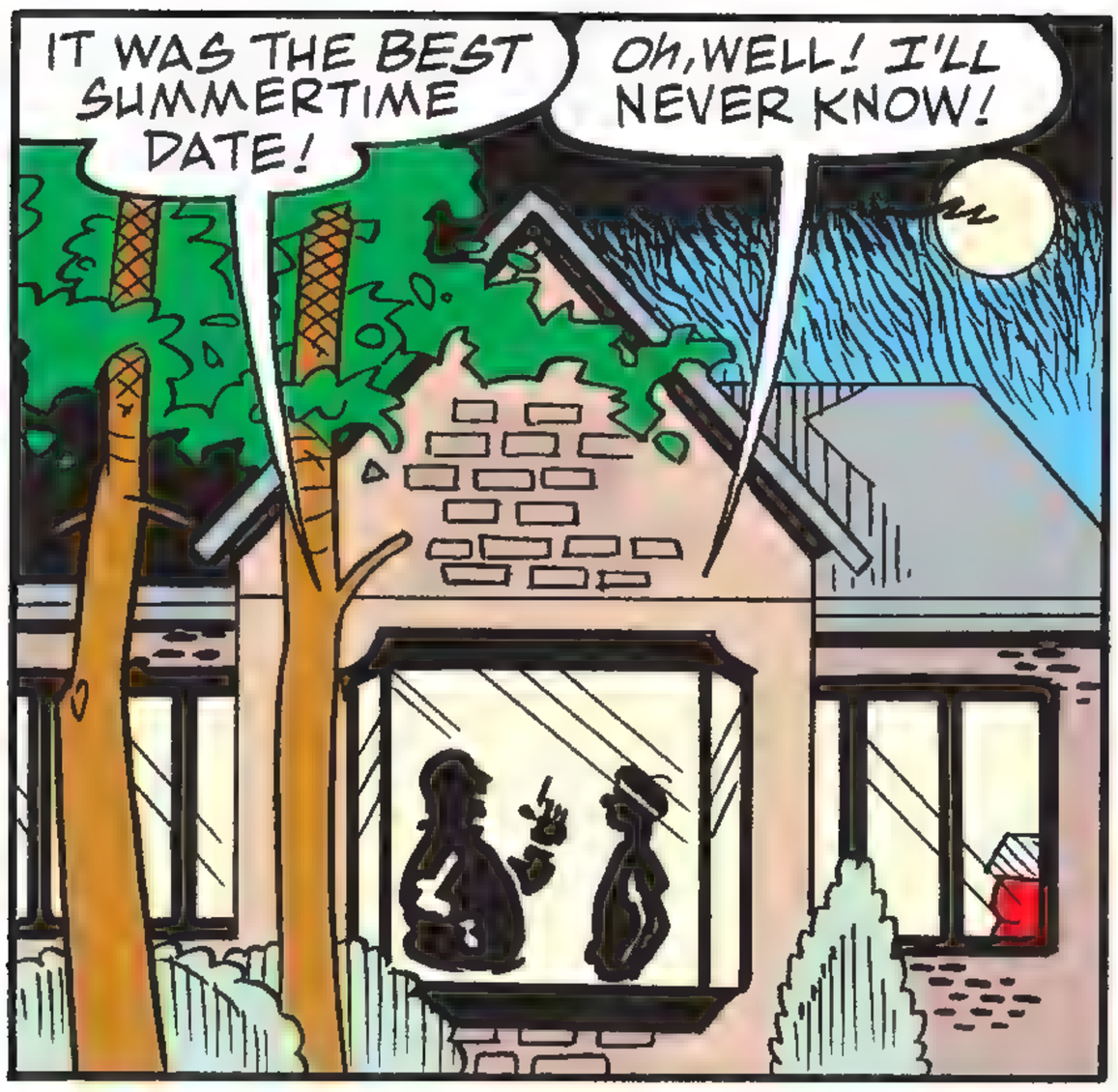
PENCILS: STAN GOLDBERG
INKS: BOB SMITH

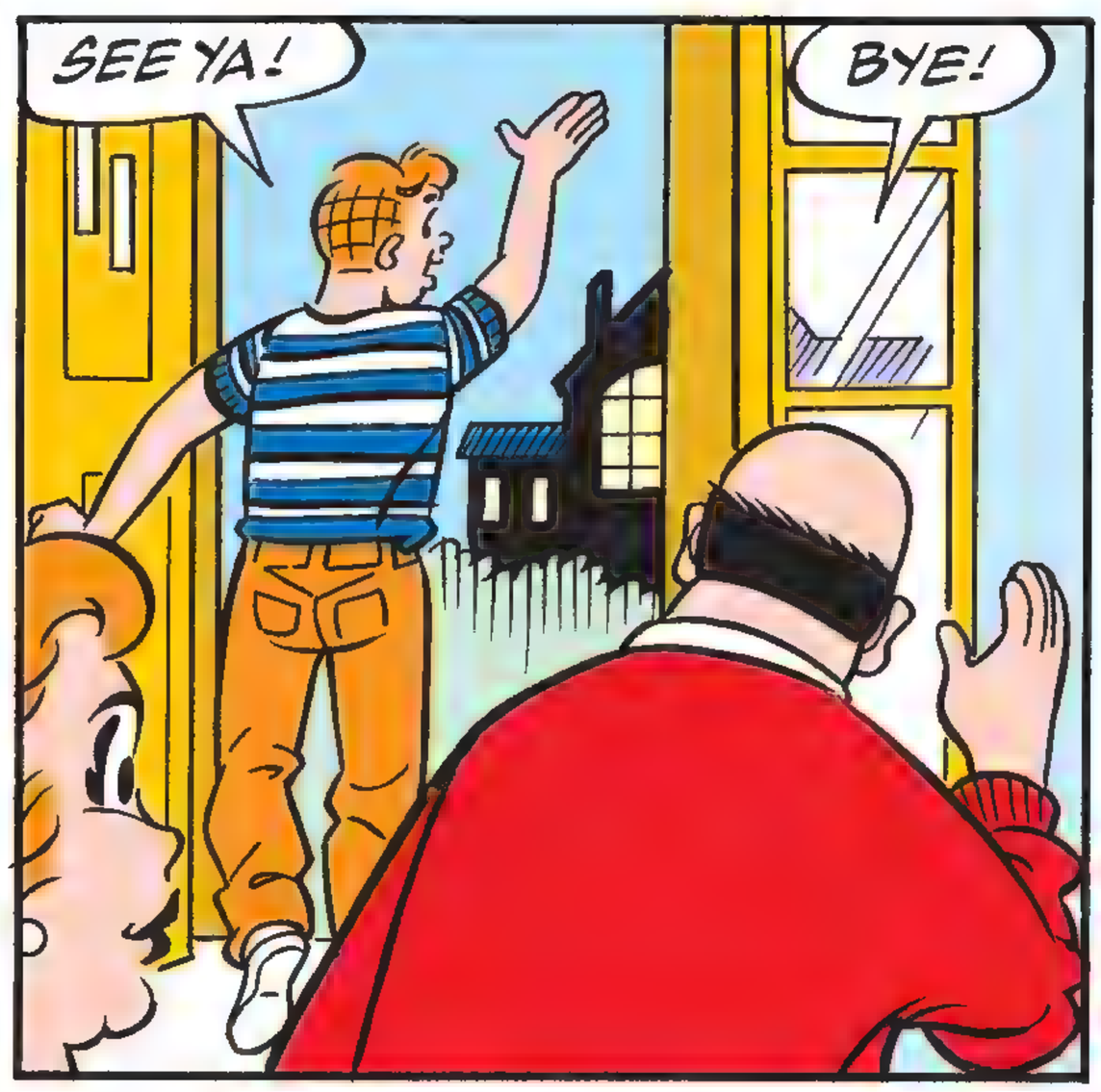
YOU'VE GOT TO BE KIDDING! THE LAST DRIVE-IN IN RIVERDALE CLOSED DOWN 12 YEARS AGO!

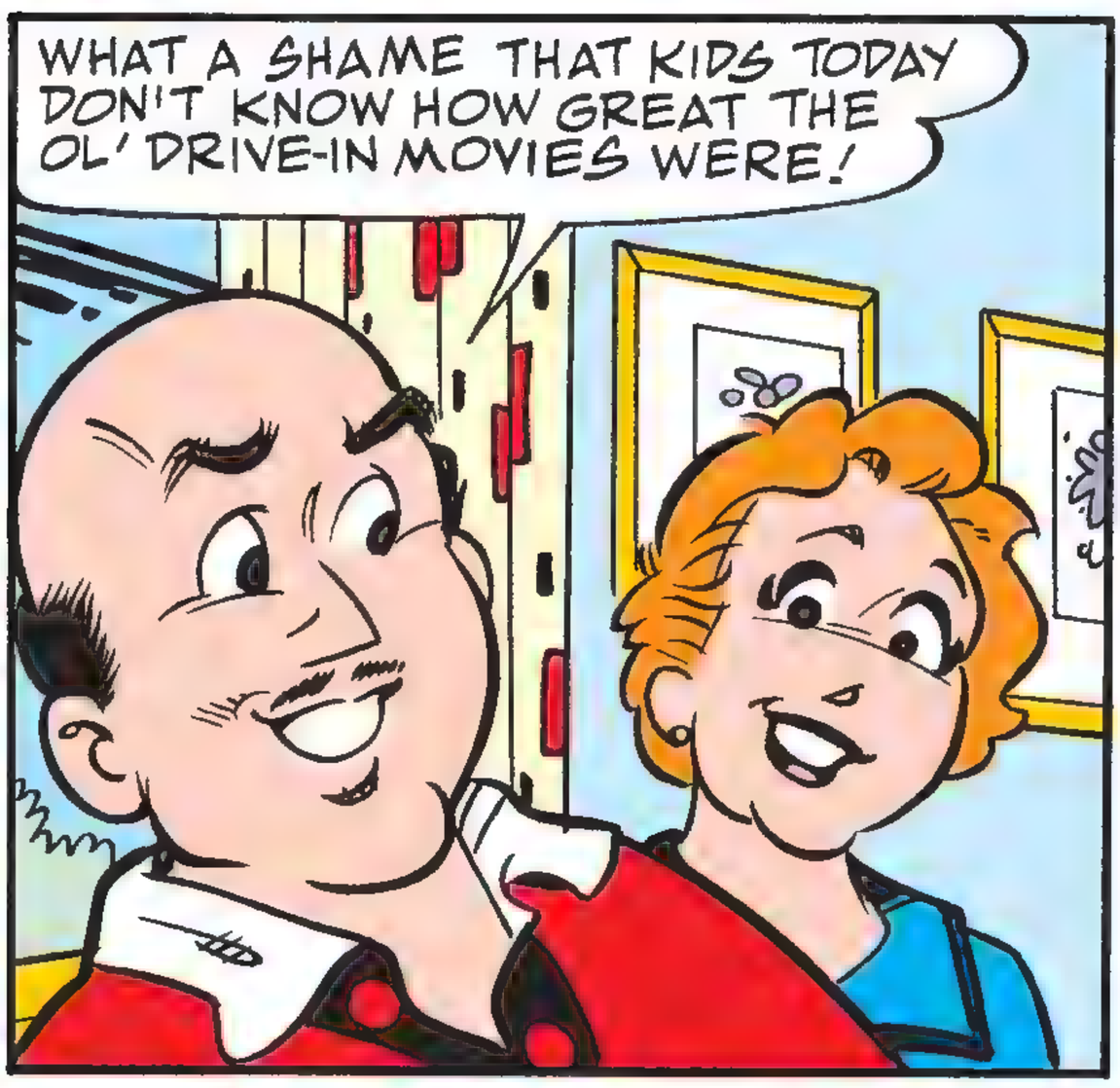
oh?

AND IT'S TOO BAD-- I'LL BET IT WAS FUN!

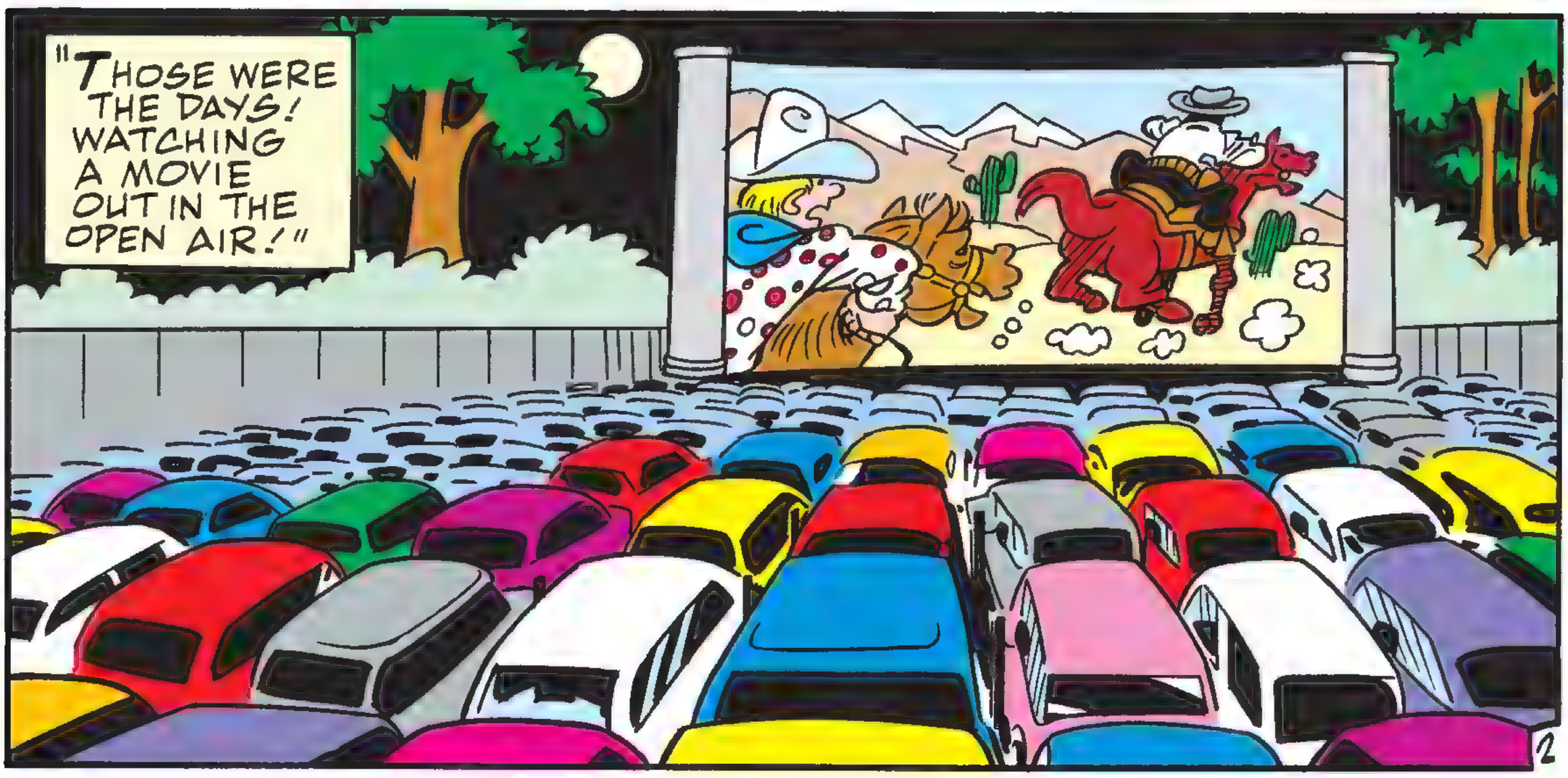
IT WAS!


IT WAS THE BEST SUMMERTIME DATE!
OH, WELL! I'LL NEVER KNOW!


SEE YA!
BYE!


WHAT A SHAME THAT KIDS TODAY DON'T KNOW HOW GREAT THE OL' DRIVE-IN MOVIES WERE!

REMEMBER OUR DRIVE-IN DATES!
OH, SURE!


"THOSE WERE THE DAYS! WATCHING A MOVIE OUT IN THE OPEN AIR!"

"AND REMEMBER HOW FUN IT WAS ATTACHING THE OUTDOOR SPEAKER TO THE CAR?"

I--I THINK I'VE GOT IT!!

OOPS! DROPPED IT!!

CRASH

Umh! GOT IT!!

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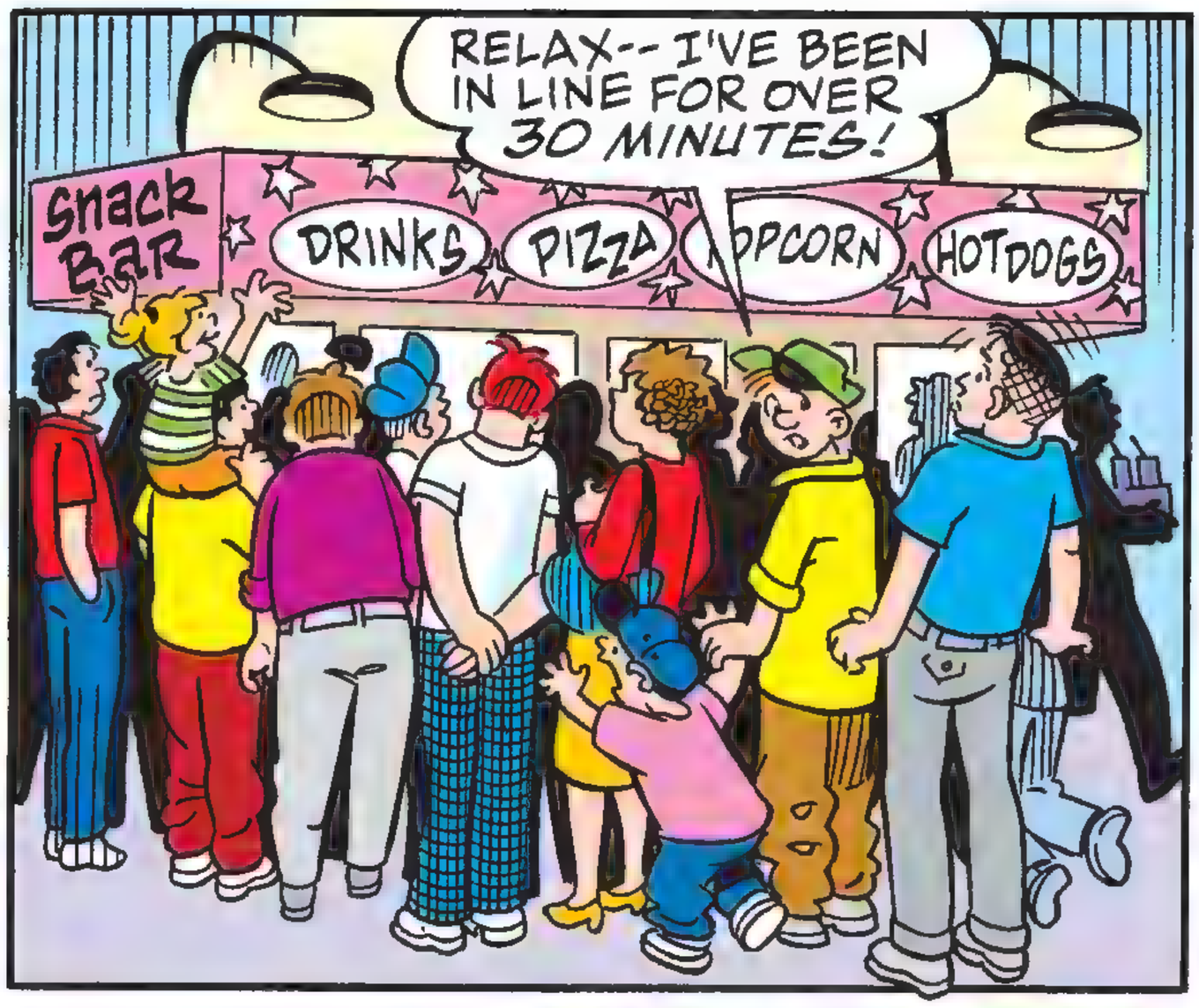
THERE WE ARE!

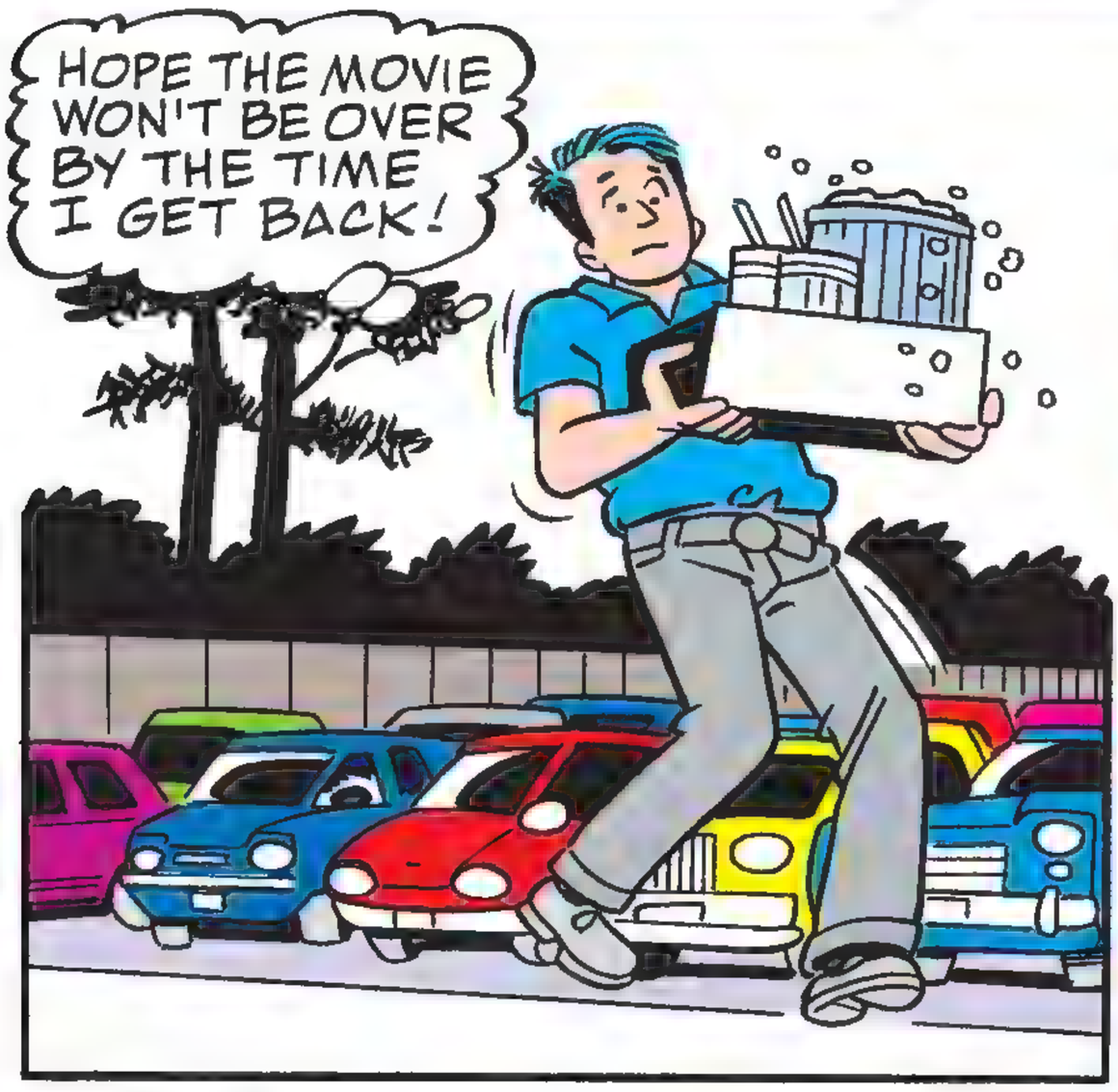
TURN UP THE VOLUME!

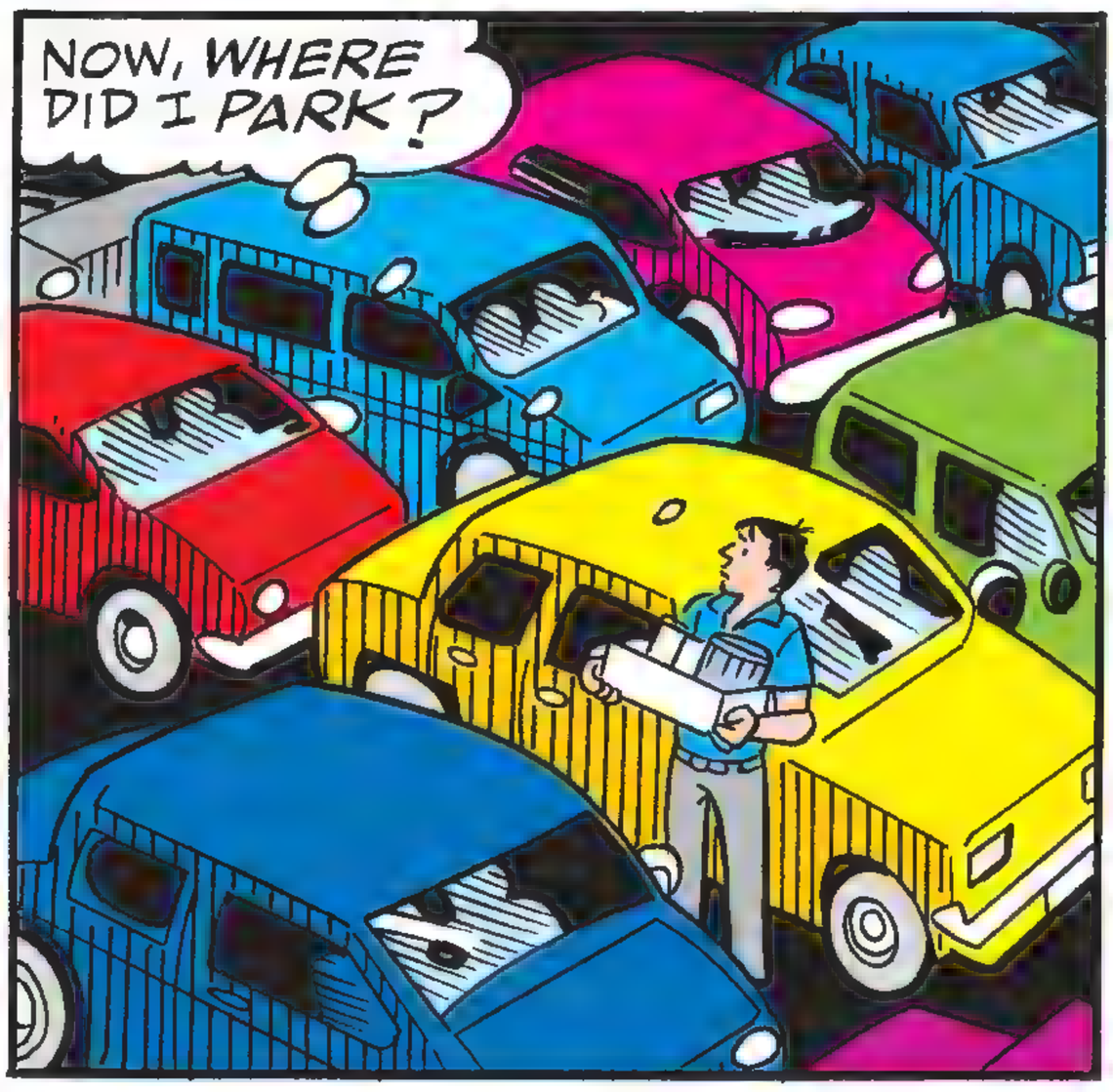
Uh... IT'S TURNED ALL THE WAY UP NOW!

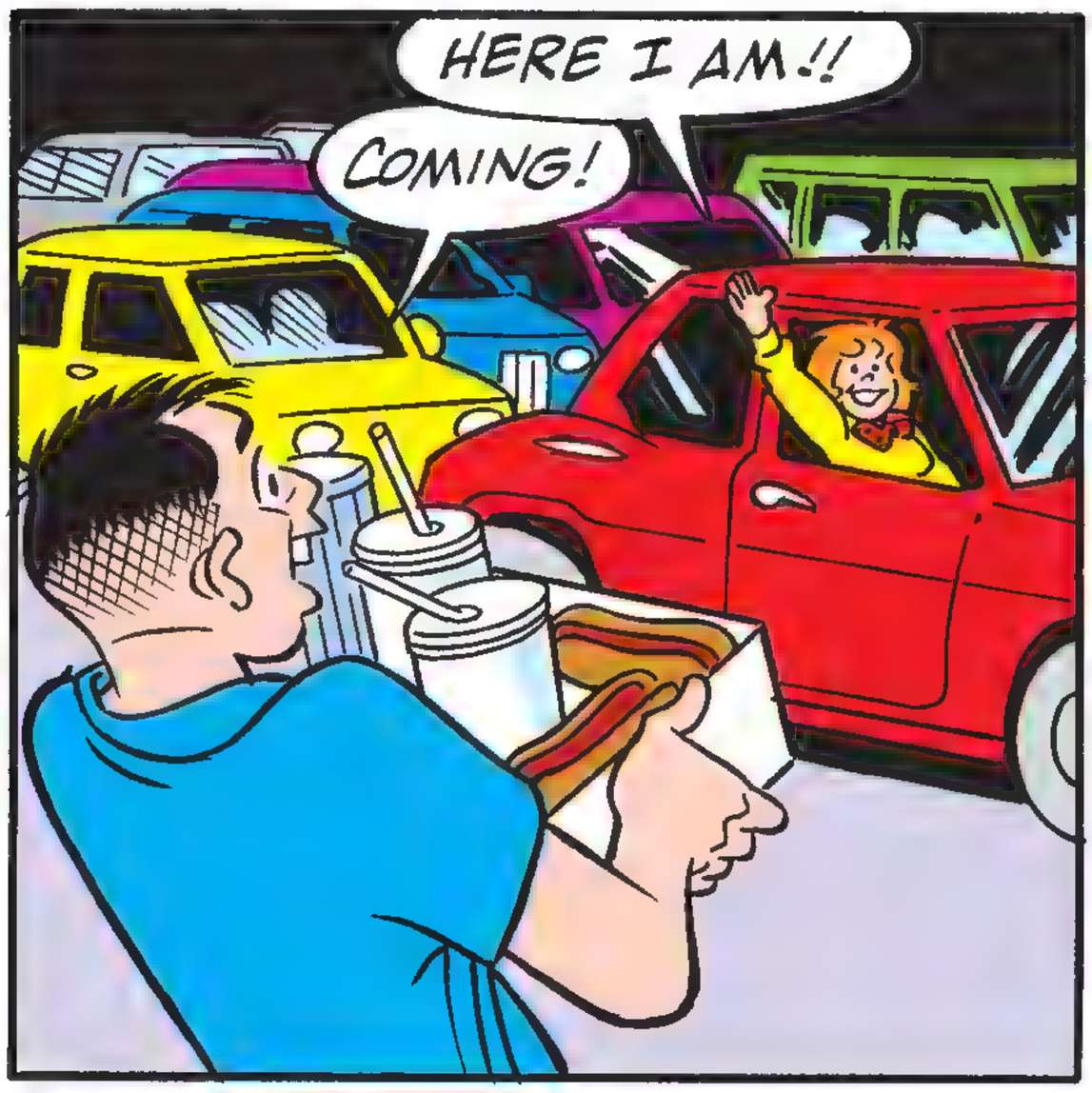
I CAN'T HEAR A THING!

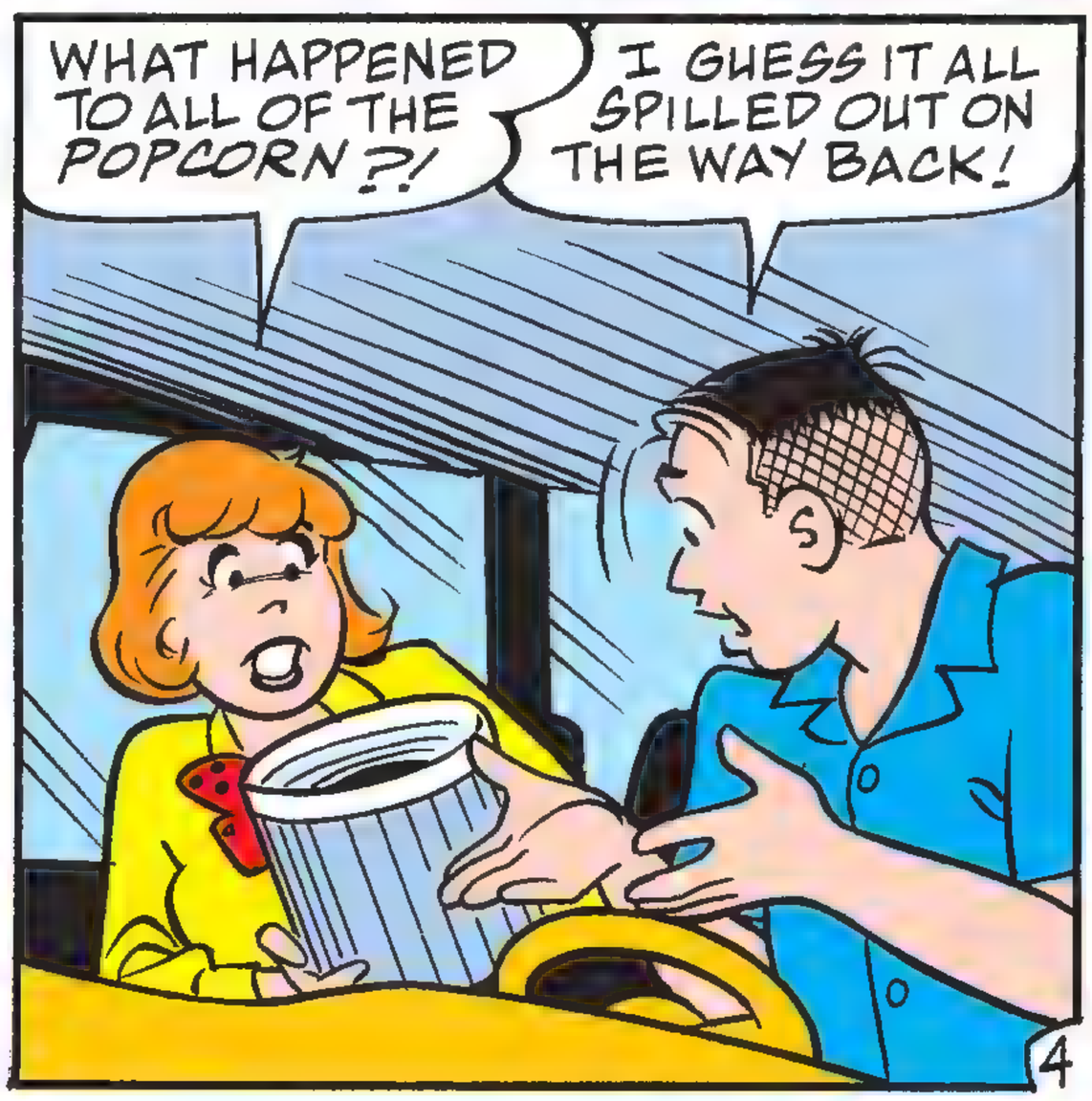
"IT WAS ALWAYS EXCITING TO GO TO THE SNACK BAR FOR MUNCHIES..."
Snack Bar

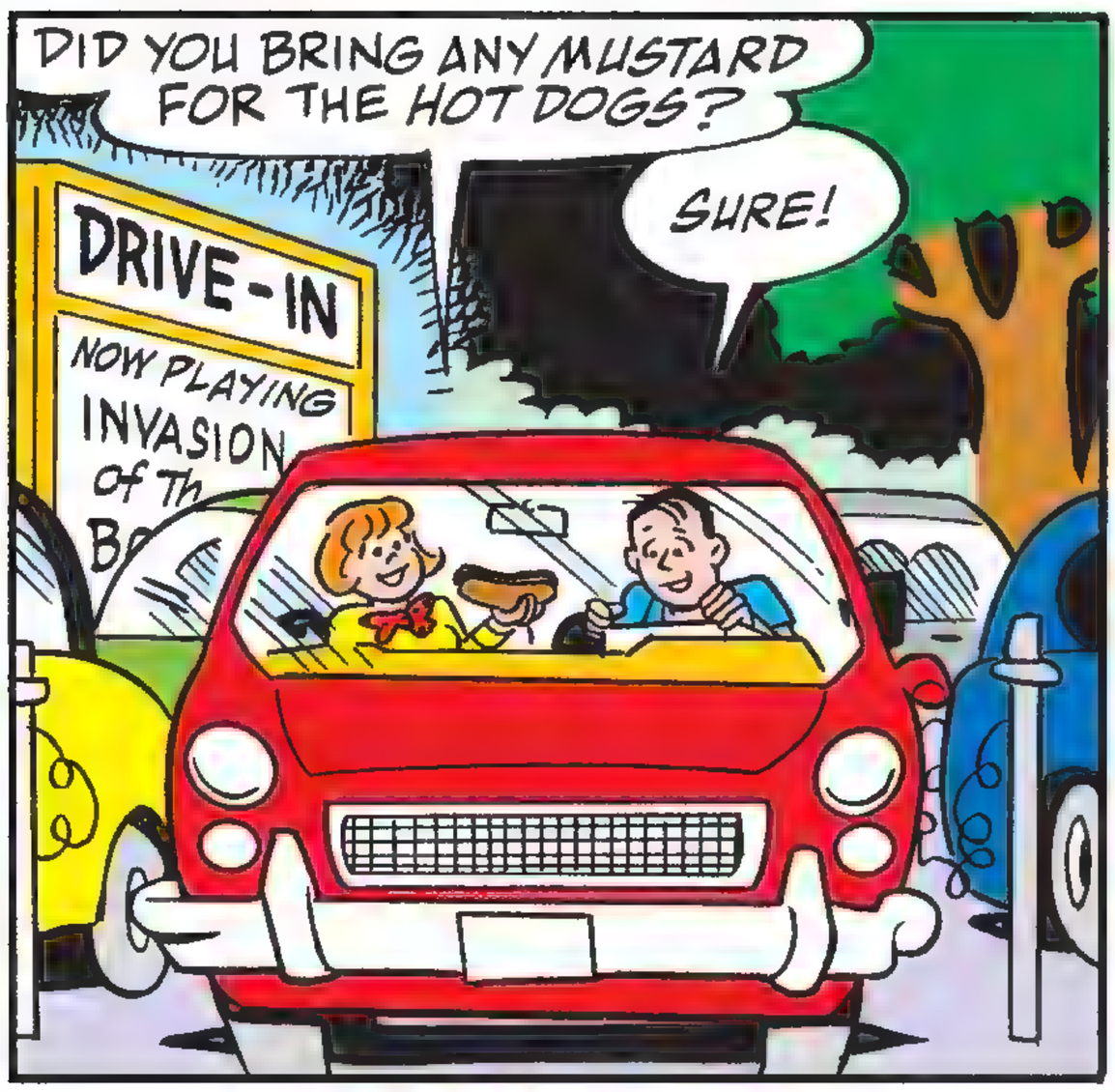

RELAX-- I'VE BEEN IN LINE FOR OVER 30 MINUTES!
Snack Bar
DRINKS
PIZZA
POPCORN
HOTDOGS


HOPE THE MOVIE WON'T BE OVER BY THE TIME I GET BACK!


NOW, WHERE DID I PARK?


HERE I AM!!
COMING!


WHAT HAPPENED TO ALL OF THE POPCORN?!
I GUESS IT ALL SPILLED OUT ON THE WAY BACK!


DID YOU BRING ANY MUSTARD FOR THE HOT DOGS?
SURE!
DRIVE-IN
NOW PLAYING
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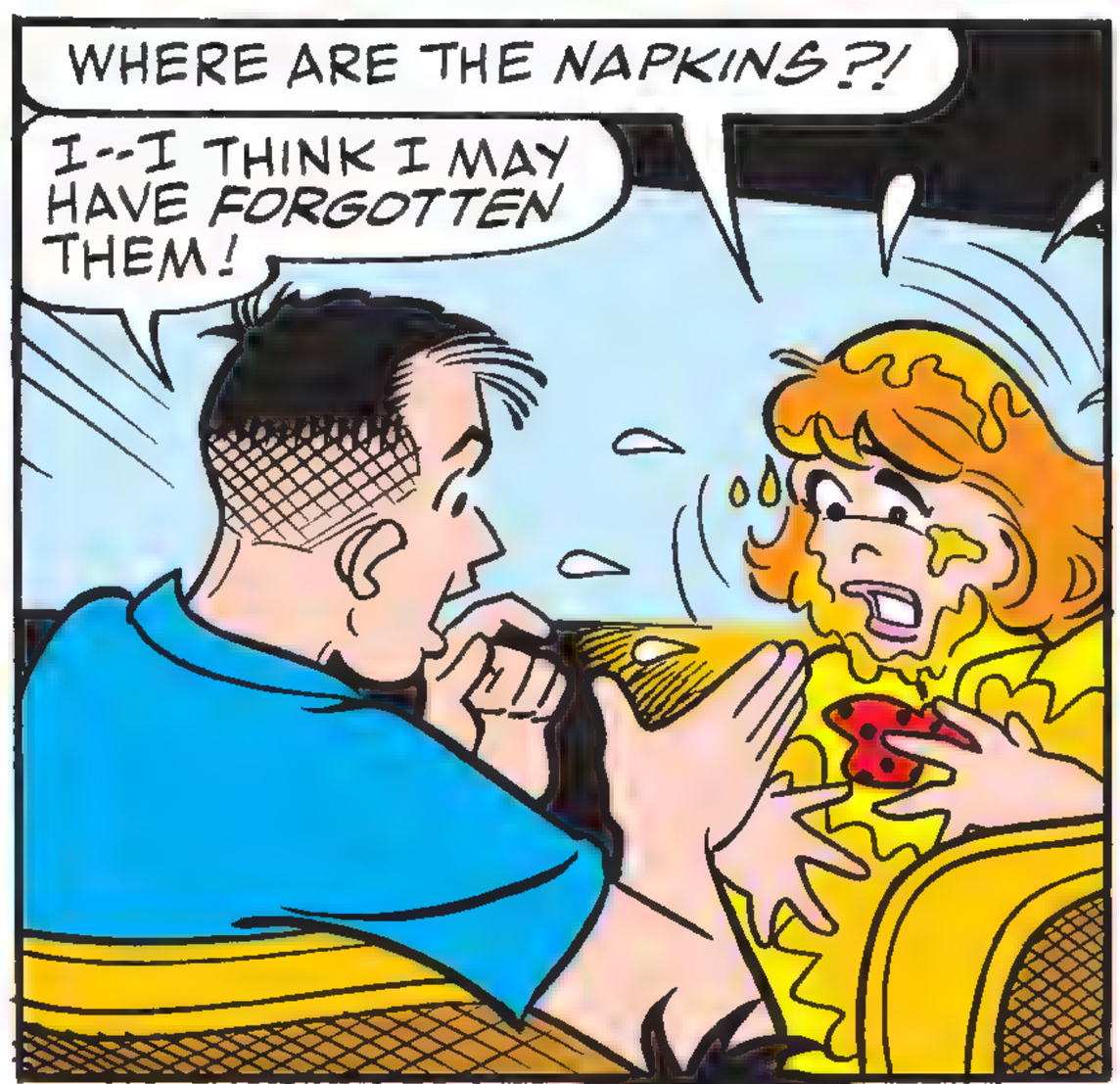
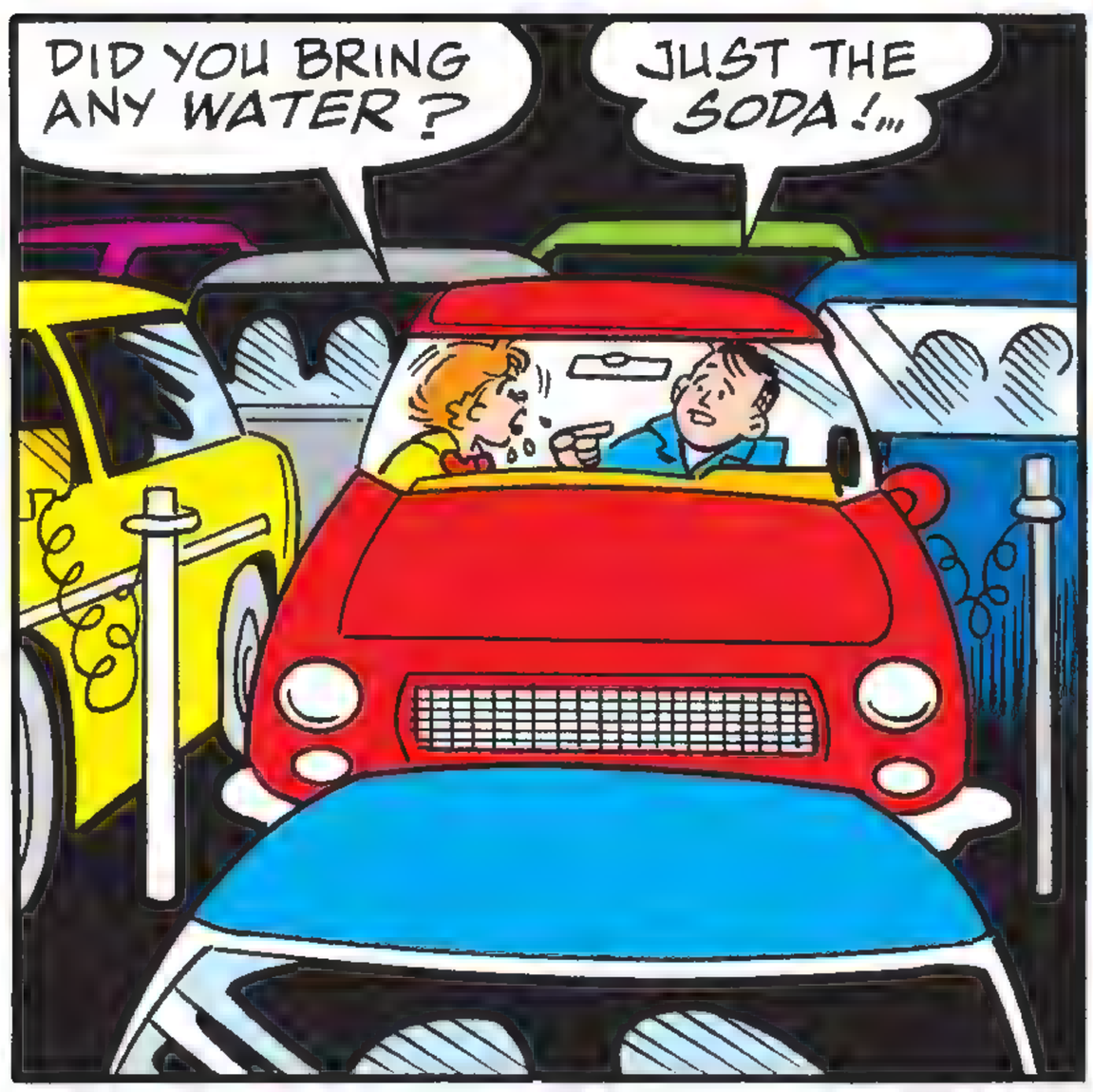
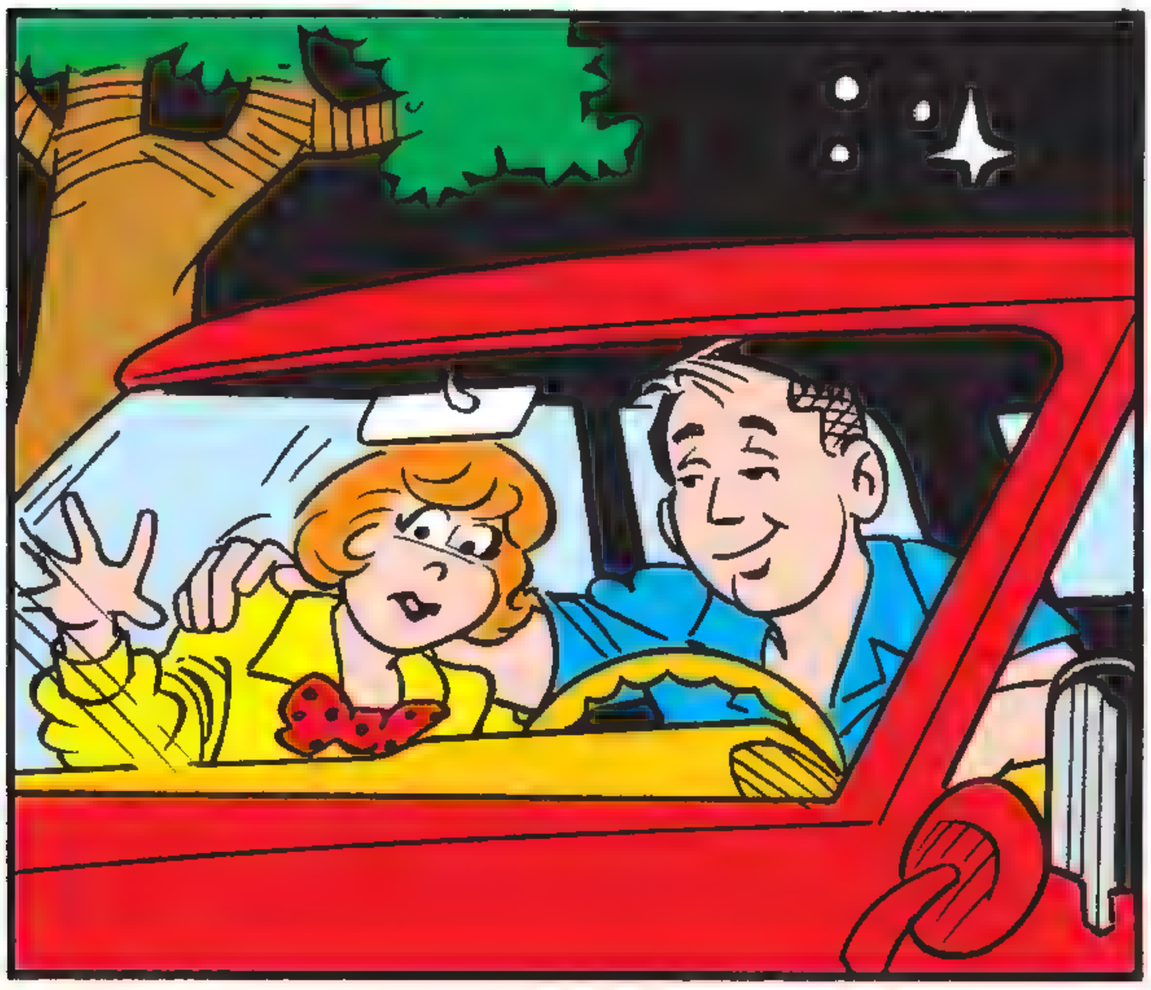
HERE, LET ME SQUEEZE SOME OUT FOR YOU!

YOW!
SPLOSHH
OOPS!
MUSTARD

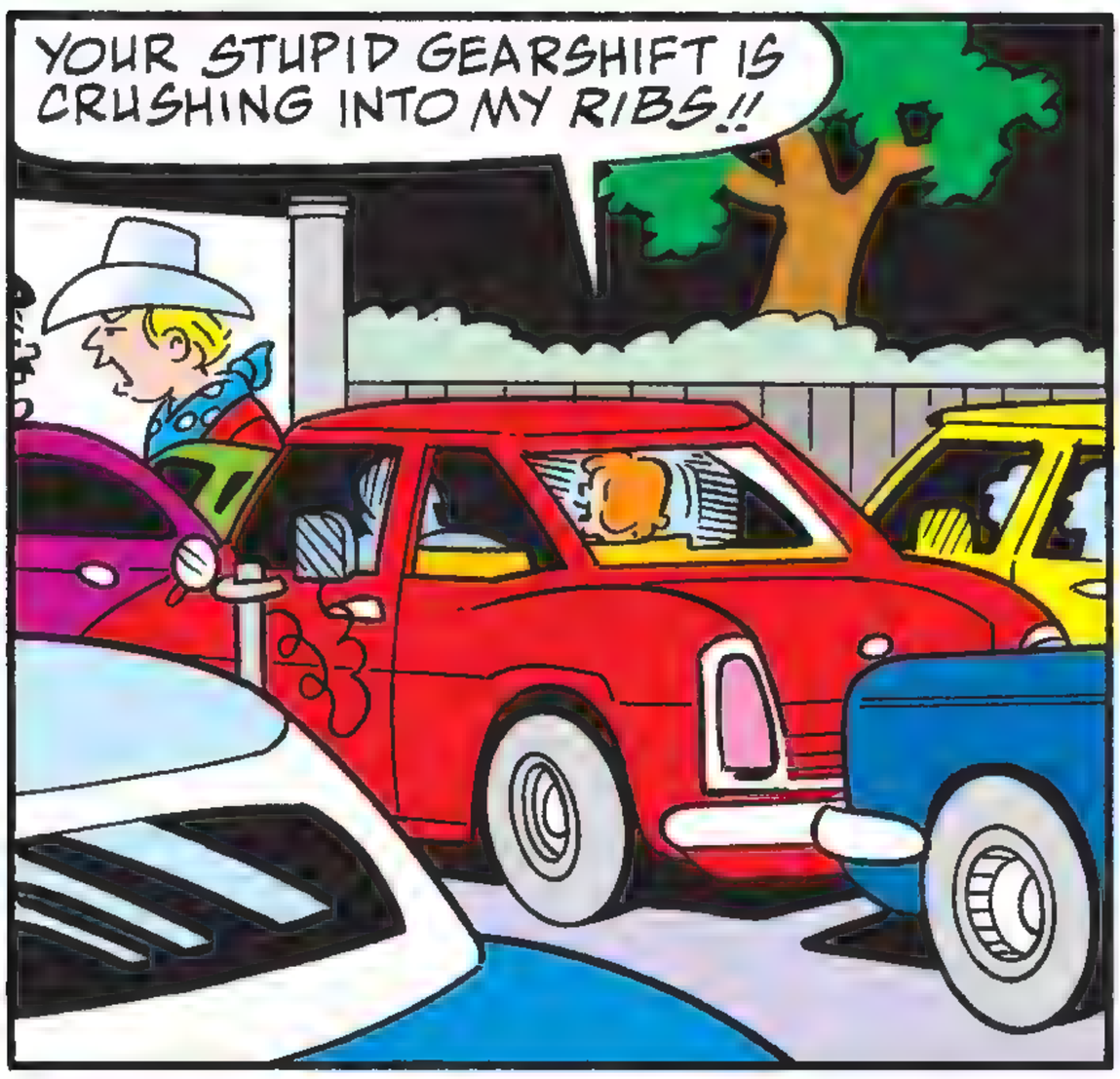

WHERE ARE THE NAPKINS?!
I--I THINK I MAY HAVE FORGOTTEN THEM!

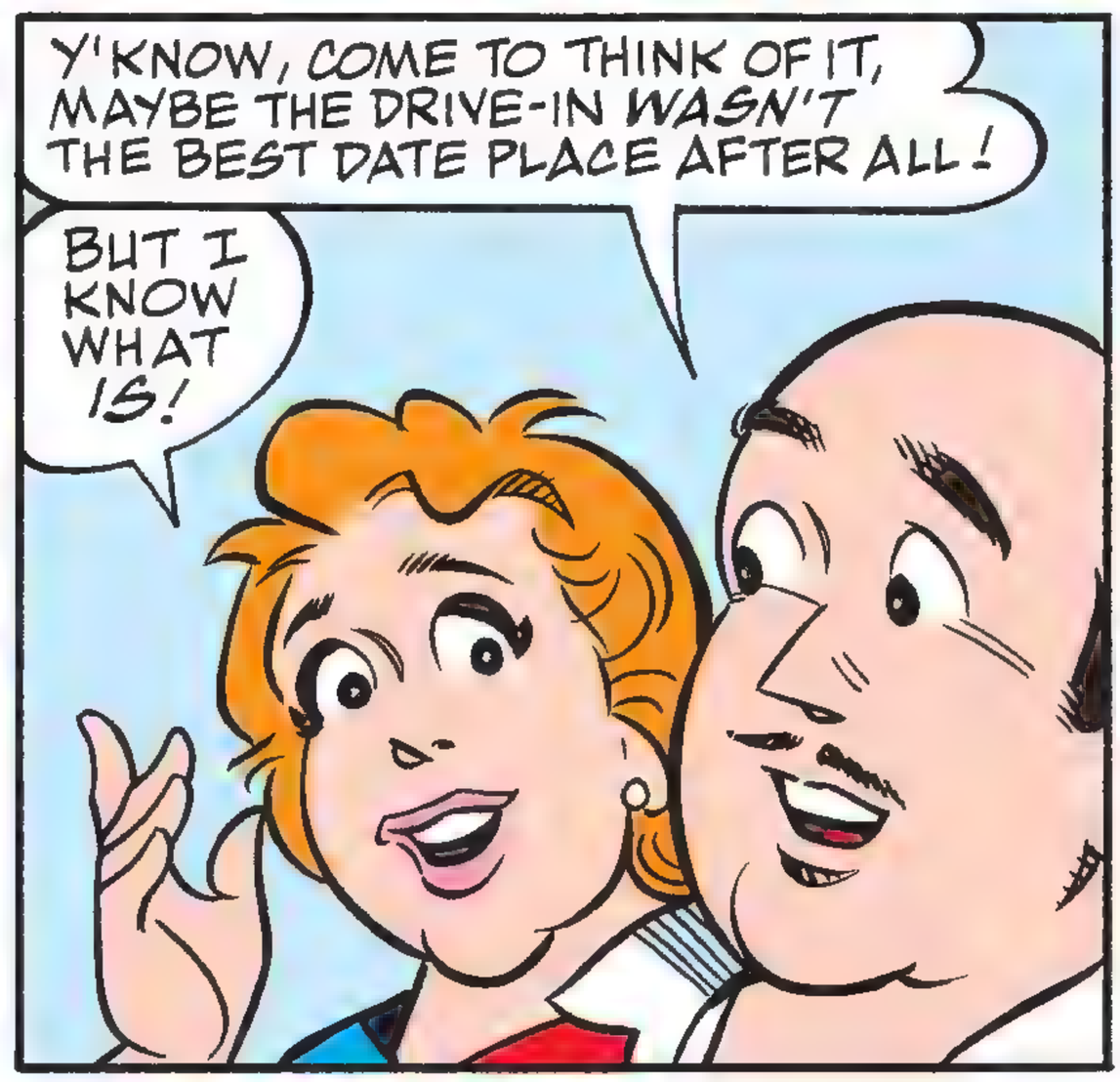

DID YOU BRING ANY WATER?
JUST THE SODA!...

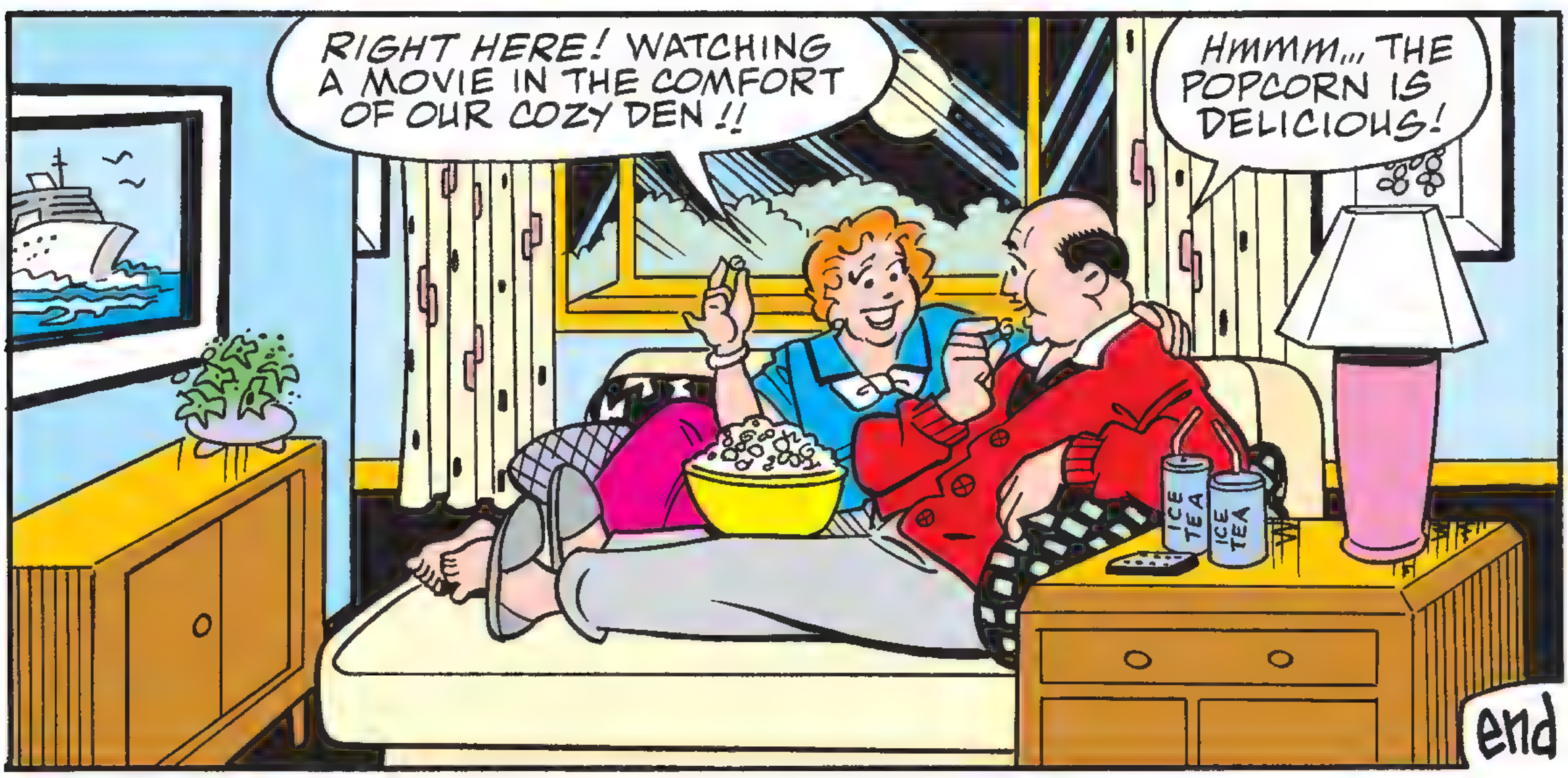
...THAT I THINK I'M SITTING ON!!


"DON'T FORGET HOW WE'D CUDDLE IN THE FRONT SEAT AS WE WATCHED THE MOVIE!"

COME CLOSER, DEAR!
I CAN'T!


YOUR STUPID GEARSHIFT IS CRUSHING INTO MY RIBS!!


Y'KNOW, COME TO THINK OF IT, MAYBE THE DRIVE-IN WASN'T THE BEST DATE PLACE AFTER ALL!
BUT I KNOW WHAT IS!


RIGHT HERE! WATCHING A MOVIE IN THE COMFORT OF OUR COZY DEN!!
HMMM... THE POPCORN IS DELICIOUS!
ICE TEA
ICE TEA
end

b&v in AN AXE TO GRIND

DID YOU GET IT? DID YOU GET IT?!

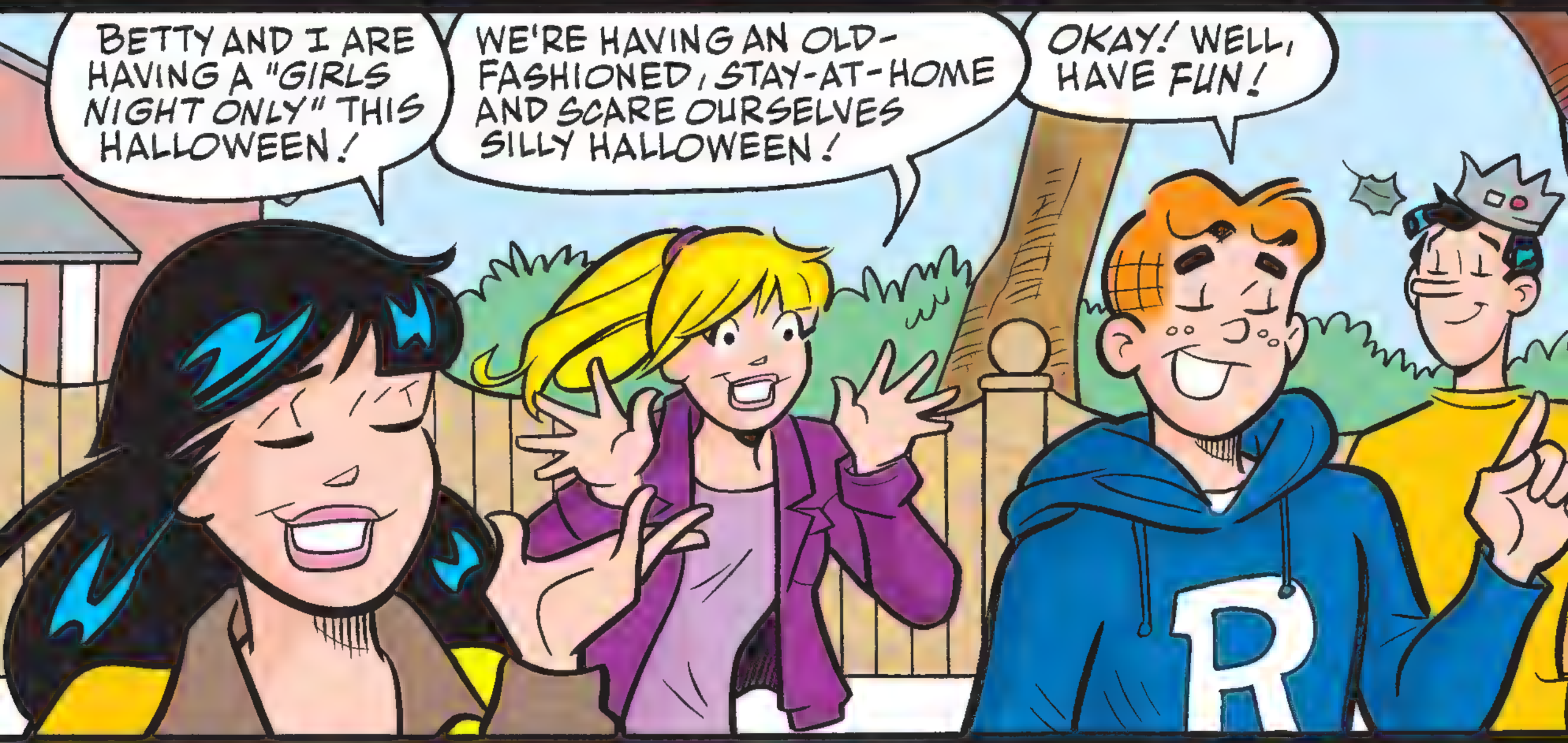
YES! HERE IT IS!

ZOMBIE BEACH PARTY MASSACRE!!

WE'RE GOING TO HAVE THE BEST HALLOWEEN EVER!

SCARY MOVIES AND JUNK FOOD! PERFECT FOR OUR HALLOWEEN EXTRAVAGANZA!

SOUNDS LIKE FUN!
WHAT TIME SHOULD WE SHOW UP?
OH, HOW ABOUT...
...HALF PAST NEVER!


BETTY AND I ARE HAVING A "GIRLS NIGHT ONLY" THIS HALLOWEEN!
WE'RE HAVING AN OLD-FASHIONED, STAY-AT-HOME AND SCARE OURSELVES SILLY HALLOWEEN!
OKAY! WELL, HAVE FUN!

AND WE DON'T NEED YOU GUYS CRASHING OUR SCAREFEST!
AND DON'T TRY ANY OF YOUR LAME TRICKS TO SCARE US!
OKAY, FINE!

DO YOU THINK THEY'LL LISTEN?

OF COURSE NOT!

HALLOWEEN NIGHT...

IT'S A MESS OUT THERE!

I'VE GOT ALL THE DVDs!

WE CAN MAKE SMORES OVER THE FIRE!

WOW! LOOK AT YOU TWO!

WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

TO A HALLOWEEN PARTY! WE'LL BE OUT LATE!

DON'T WAIT UP FOR US!

BE CAREFUL! IT'S STORMY OUT THERE!

WOW! WE'VE GOT THIS WHOLE SCARY MANSION ALL TO OURSELVES!

WELL, US AND THE SERVANTS!

IN A PLACE THIS SIZE, IT STILL FEELS EMPTY!

RING♪

THAT BETTER NOT BE THE BOYS!

HELLO?

HI, VERONICA! THIS IS YOUR AUNT GLADYS!

HI, AUNT GLADYS!

ISN'T THAT YOUR TRUCK DRIVING AUNT?

WE FIRST MET GLADYS IN VERONICA #110!

YES!

VERONICA! I'M IN THE AREA AND I NEED A PLACE TO STAY BECAUSE OF THE STORM!

OF COURSE! WE'LL GET A ROOM READY FOR YOU!

AUNT GLADYS WILL PROBABLY GO RIGHT TO BED! IT SHOULDN'T INTERFERE WITH OUR NIGHT OF CHILLS!

SHOMP

UH-OH! WH-WHAT HAPPENED!?

THE POWER'S OUT! I THINK I CAN FIND US A LANTERN!
GOOD THING THE FIRE'S GOING!
SO... WHAT CAN WE DO TO SCARE THE GIRLS?
WE'LL THINK OF SOME-THING!
TURN UP THE RADIO!
...AND THE NOTORIOUS AXE BANDIT HAS STRUCK AGAIN!
I HEARD ABOUT HIM!
...AND IT LOOKS LIKE THIS FIEND IS A WOMAN ACCORDING TO EYE-WITNESSES!
SHE WAS LAST SEEN IN GLENBROOK!
TH-THAT'S ONLY A FEW MILES FROM HERE!
AWW, IS WITTLE REGGIE SCARED!?
PUT A SOCK IN IT!!
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SOON...
AUNT GLADYS! YOU MADE IT!
BARELY! I ALMOST MISSED YOUR HOUSE-- THE POWER'S OUT!
I WAS TRANSPORTING STUFF FROM THE BIG HAUNTED HOUSE ATTRACTION AT THREE FLAGS AMUSEMENT PARK!
REALLY? LIKE WHAT?
LIKE THIS!!
EEEEE!
HAHA! SORRY! I COULDN'T RESIST!
GOOD ONE, AUNTIE! COME SIT BY THE FIRE!
YOU NEED MORE WOOD!
THERE'S MORE BY THE LEFT WING OF THE MANSION!
LET ME GET IT! THE RAIN'S STOPPING! I COULD USE THE EXERCISE!
THANKS, AUNTIE!
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IT LOOKS LIKE THE POWER IS OUT!
THIS'LL MAKE OUR PRANK EASIER! AND SCARIER TO THE GIRLS!
WHAT'S THAT OUTSIDE THE MANSION?
IT LOOKS LIKE A WOMAN!
THIS WOOD NEEDS TO BE CHOPPED!
I'LL JUST CUT UP A FEW LOGS!
SHE'S HOLDING AN AXE!
OMIGOSH!
COULD IT BE HER?! THE AXE BANDIT?!
THRASH
EEEEEE!
WOW! YOU SCREAM LIKE A GIRL!!

CALL THE GIRLS AND WARN THEM!

I HOPE VERONICA HAS HER CELL PHONE ON!

IT HASN'T BEEN OFF SINCE SHE BOUGHT IT!

VERONICA! VERONICA! IT'S ARCHIE! I HAVE TO WARN YOU!!

THERE'S AN AXE WIELDING MANIAC IN YOUR YARD!

VERY FUNNY!

WHAT DID I TELL YOU ABOUT BOTHERING US!?

I'M NOT KIDDING!!

JUST LOOK OUT YOUR WINDOW!

THIS OUGHTTA BE GOOD!

DO YOU SEE HER?

giggle! BETTY! THIS IS TOO FUNNY!!

THE BOYS THINK AUNT GLADYS IS THE AXE BANDIT!
THAT'S A GOOD ONE!
LET'S PLAY ALONG!
EEEK!! ARCHIE! YOU'RE RIGHT! I'M SCARED!!
I'LL CALL THE POLICE!
UH--NO! DON'T! BETTY'S DOING THAT!
COME PROTECT US!!
WHAT?!
YOU WANT ME TO ENDANGER MYSELF, TOO?!
THANKS, COWARD!
SHE'S GOING IN THE HOUSE!
I'M GOING TO SAVE THEM!

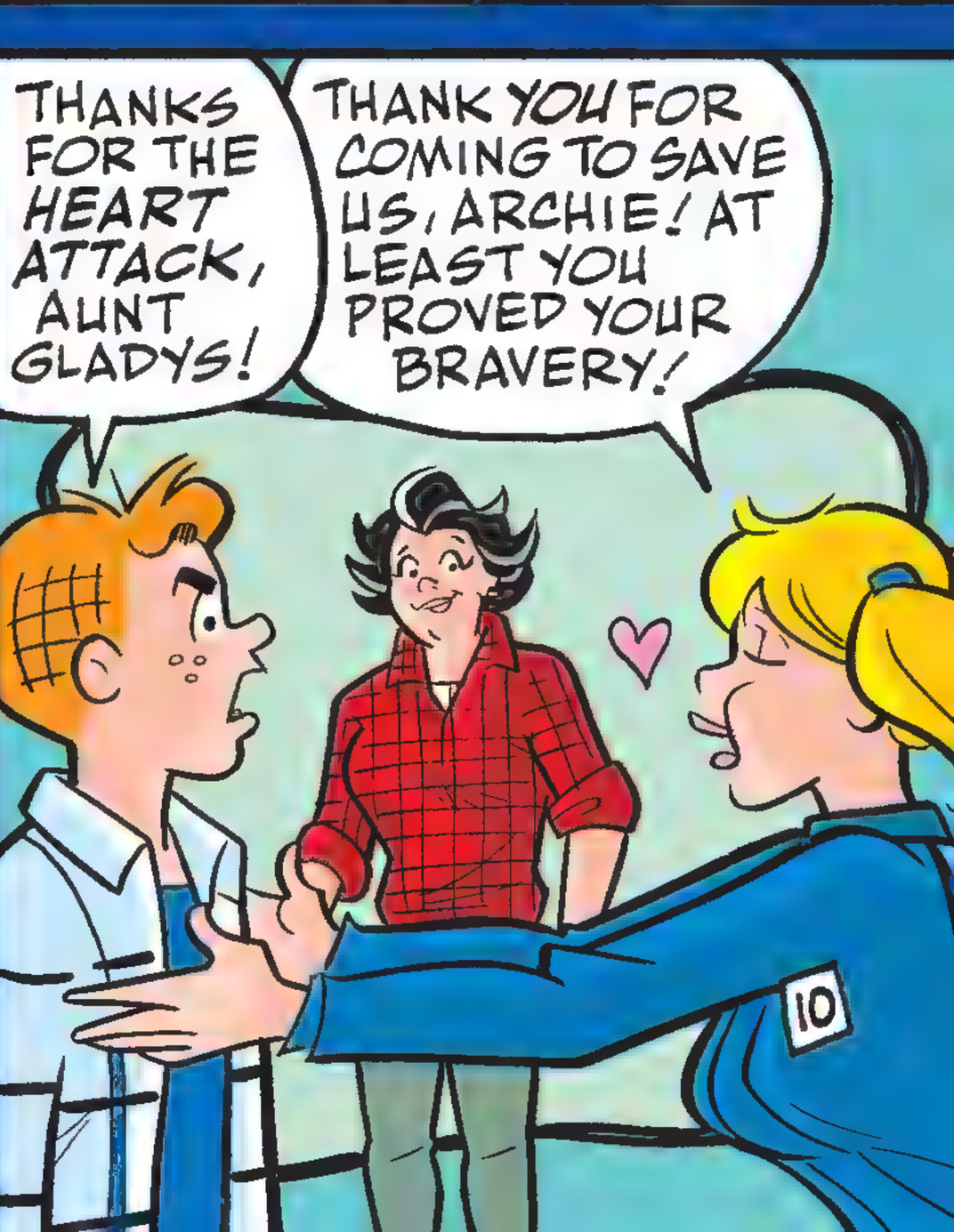
ARE YOU COMING?
IN A WORD, NO!
I AGREE WITH NEEDLENOSE FOR ONCE!

SO...
ARCHIE! THANK GOODNESS!!
C'MON! LET'S MAKE A BREAK FOR IT!!

I'M AFRAID IT'S TOO LATE!!
AHHH!!

HAHA HAHA HA!
IS THIS A JOKE?!
HA HA HA HA HA!

IT DIDN'T START OUT THAT WAY, BUT YOU MADE IT SO EASY! THANKS FOR PLAYING ALONG, AUNT GLADYS!


THANKS FOR THE HEART ATTACK, AUNT GLADYS!
THANK YOU FOR COMING TO SAVE US, ARCHIE! AT LEAST YOU PROVED YOUR BRAVERY!

UNLIKE THOSE TWO BOZOS!
HEY! LET'S PUT A LITTLE SCARE INTO THEM!
AUNT GLADYS! GET AS MANY SCARY COSTUMES AS YOU CAN FROM YOUR TRUCK!
I'M GOING TO GATHER SOME OF THE SERVANTS!
SO...
IT'S REALLY QUIET UP THERE! I'M WORRIED!
FINALLY! SOMEONE'S COMING!
CAN YOU MAKE OUT WHO IT IS, JUG?
YIKES!
IT LOOKS LIKE THE WALKING DEAD!!
IT'S THE AXE BANDIT'S VICTIMS! THEY'VE COME BACK TO LIFE!!
GET IN THE CAR!!

ARCHIE HAS THE KEYS!
OR RATHER, HAD THE KEYS!
ONLY ONE THING TO DO--
RUN!

SO... THAT PARTY WAS FUN! TOO BAD THE POWER WENT OUT!
I WONDER WHAT THE GIRLS ARE UP TO!

THERE'S JUGHEAD AND REGGIE!
BEING CHASED BY ZOMBIES!!

THERE'S THE GIRLS! AND ARCHIE!!
HI, MOM! HI, DAD!
I'M NOT SURE WHAT'S WORSE--SEEING YOUR DAUGHTER AND HER FRIENDS IN A SCENE LIKE THAT...
...OR NOT BEING PHASED BY IT AT ALL?

END

Reggie in "COUNTRY STYLE"

WHO'S THE GIRL WITH REGGIE?

SHE'S A LITTLE YOUNG TO BE HIS DATE!

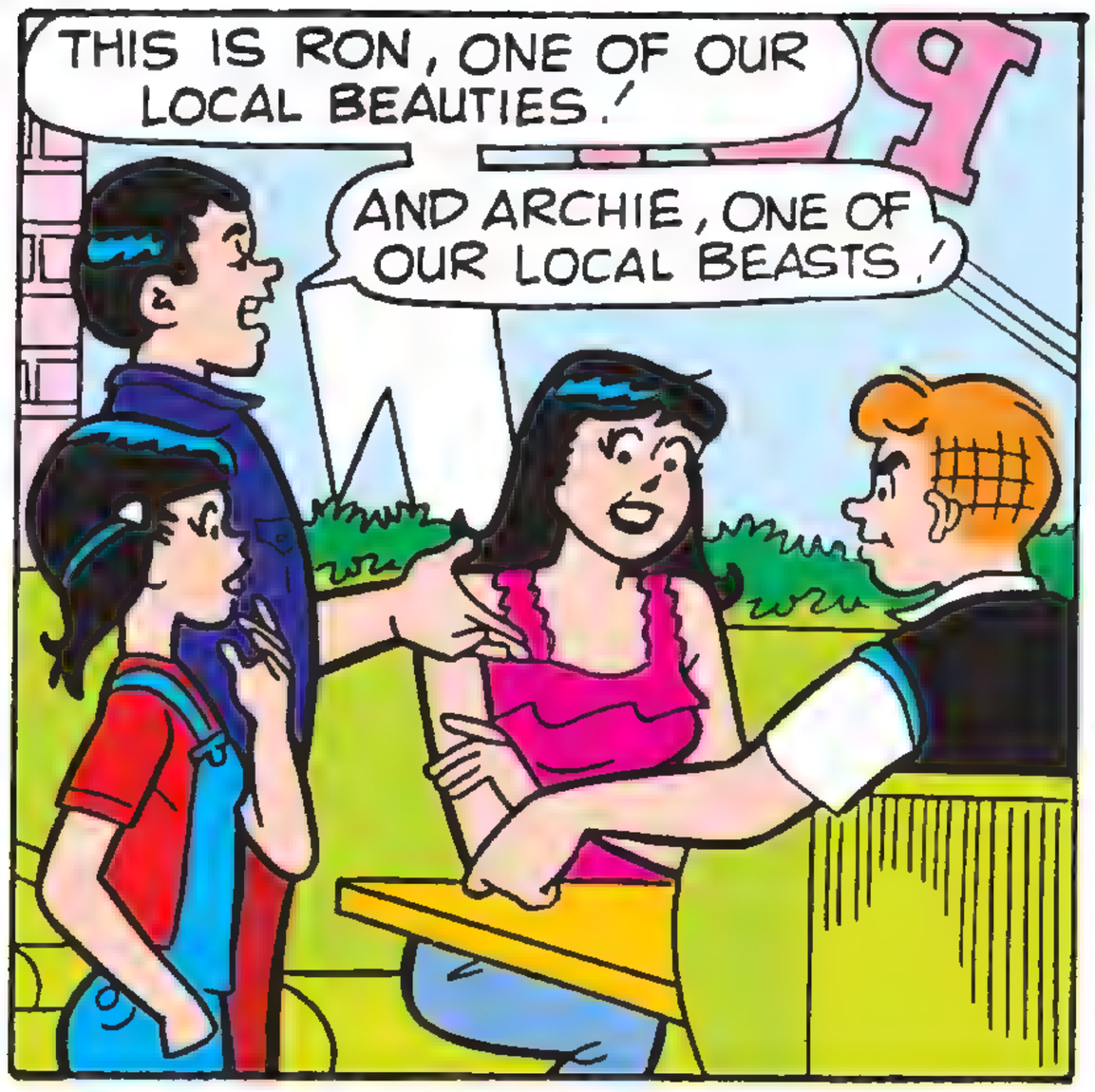
MAYBE HE LIKES YOUNGER WOMEN!

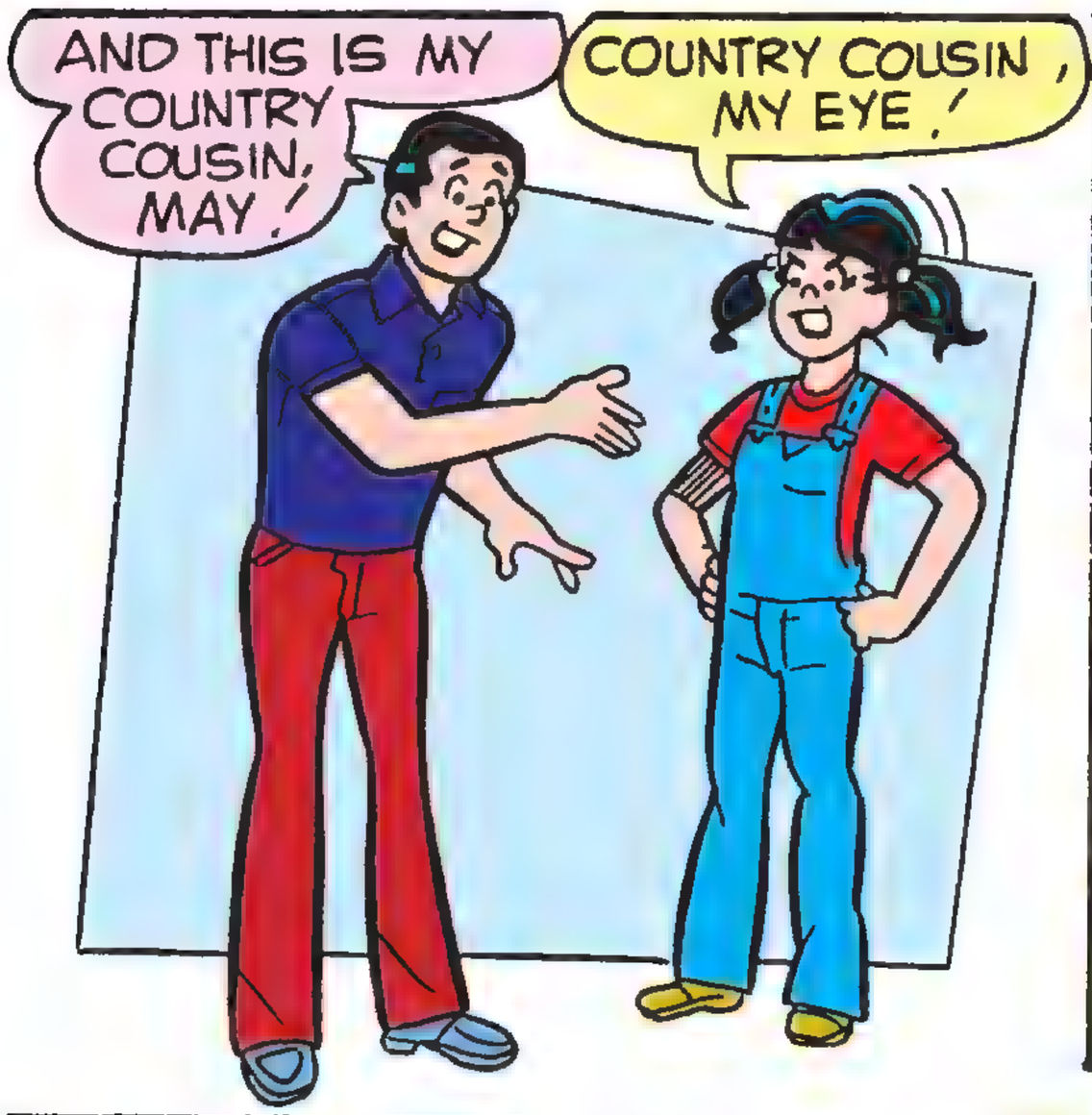
THE GIRLS HIS OWN AGE WON'T HAVE HIM!

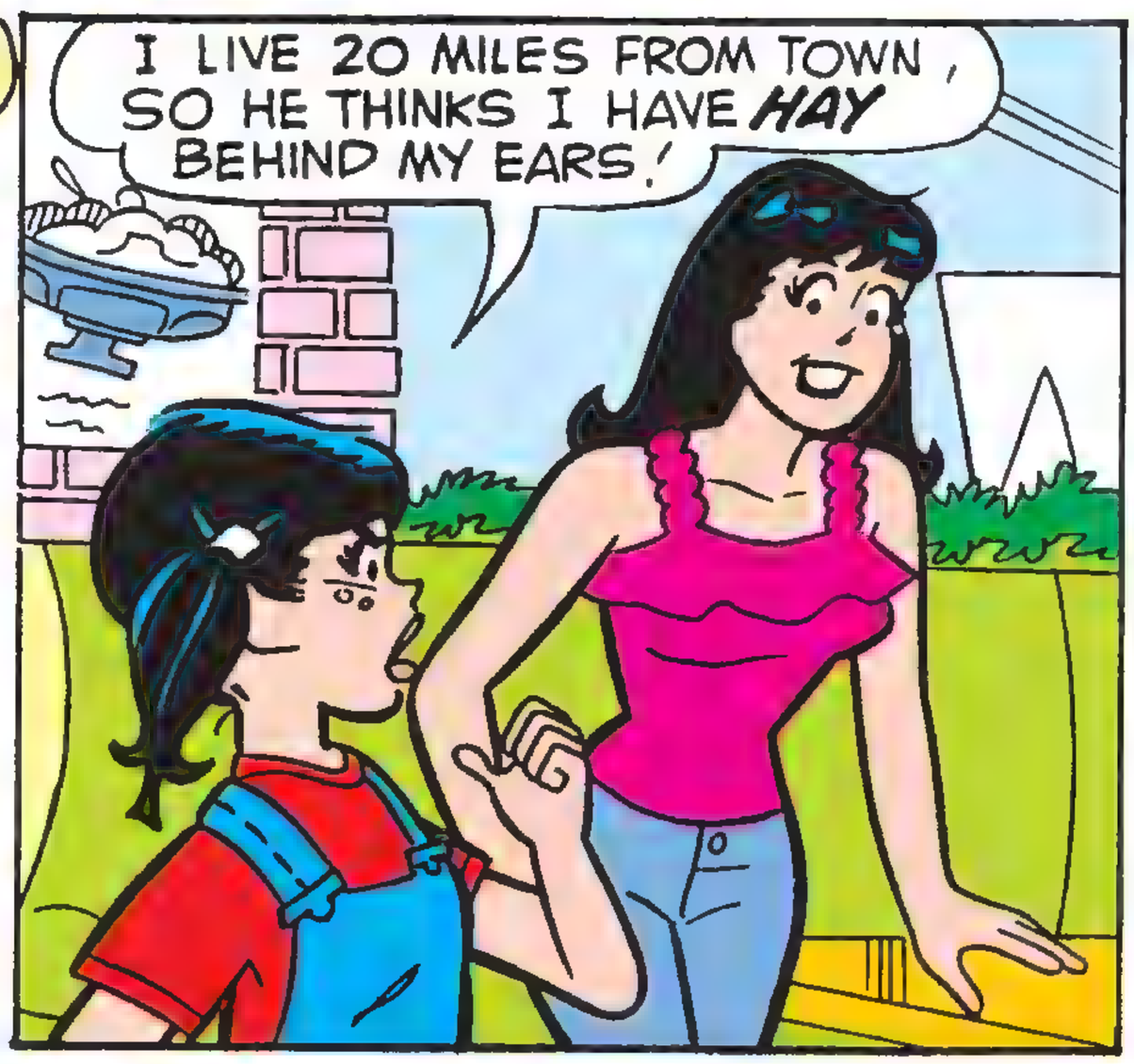
A COUPLE OF WISE GUYS!

MUST BE FRIENDS OF YOURS!

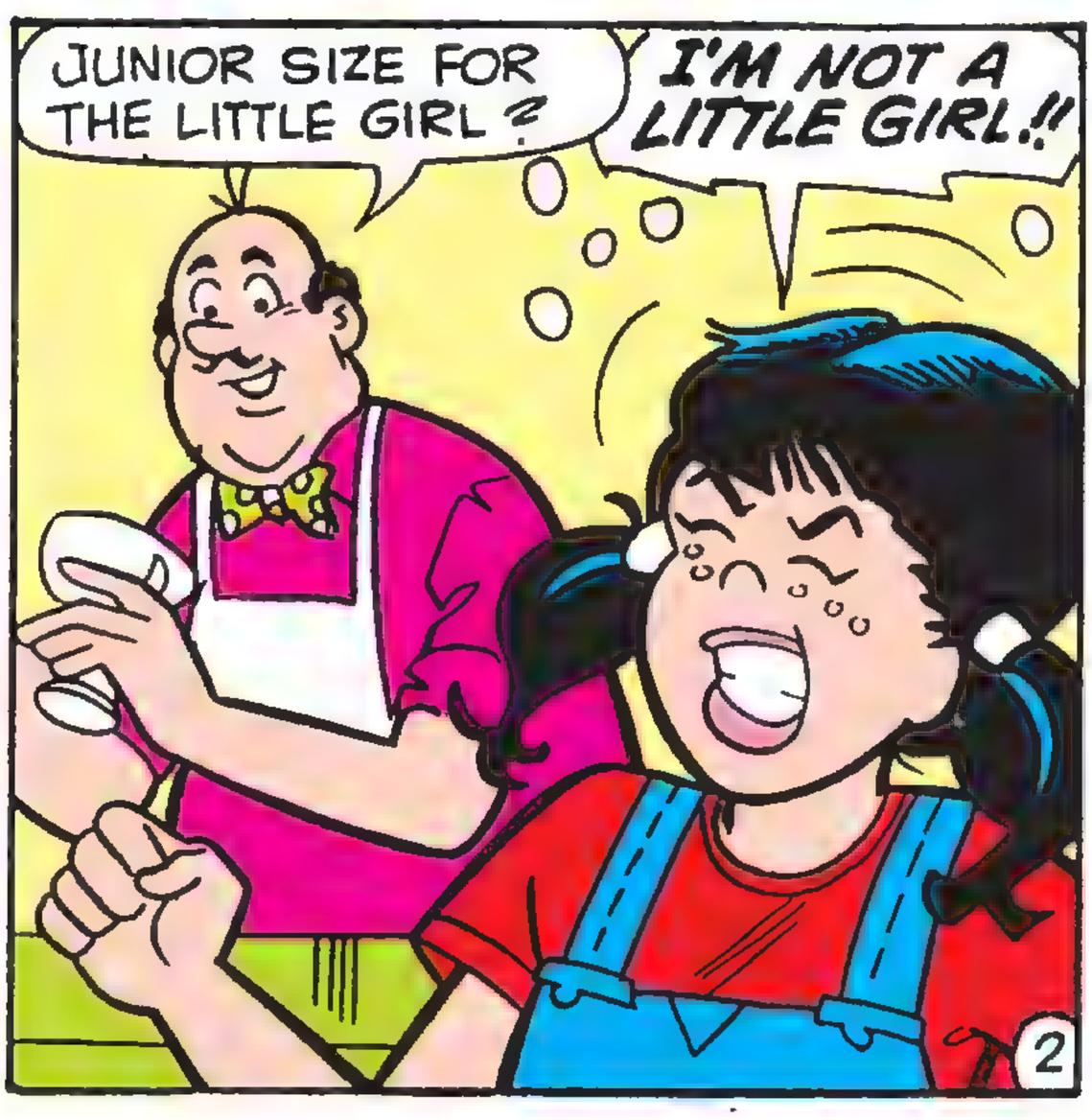
THEY SOMETIMES HAVE THAT HONOR!
GENEROUS SOUL, ISN'T HE?


THIS IS RON, ONE OF OUR LOCAL BEAUTIES!
AND ARCHIE, ONE OF OUR LOCAL BEASTS!


AND THIS IS MY COUNTRY COUSIN, MAY!
COUNTRY COUSIN, MY EYE!


I LIVE 20 MILES FROM TOWN, SO HE THINKS I HAVE HAY BEHIND MY EARS!

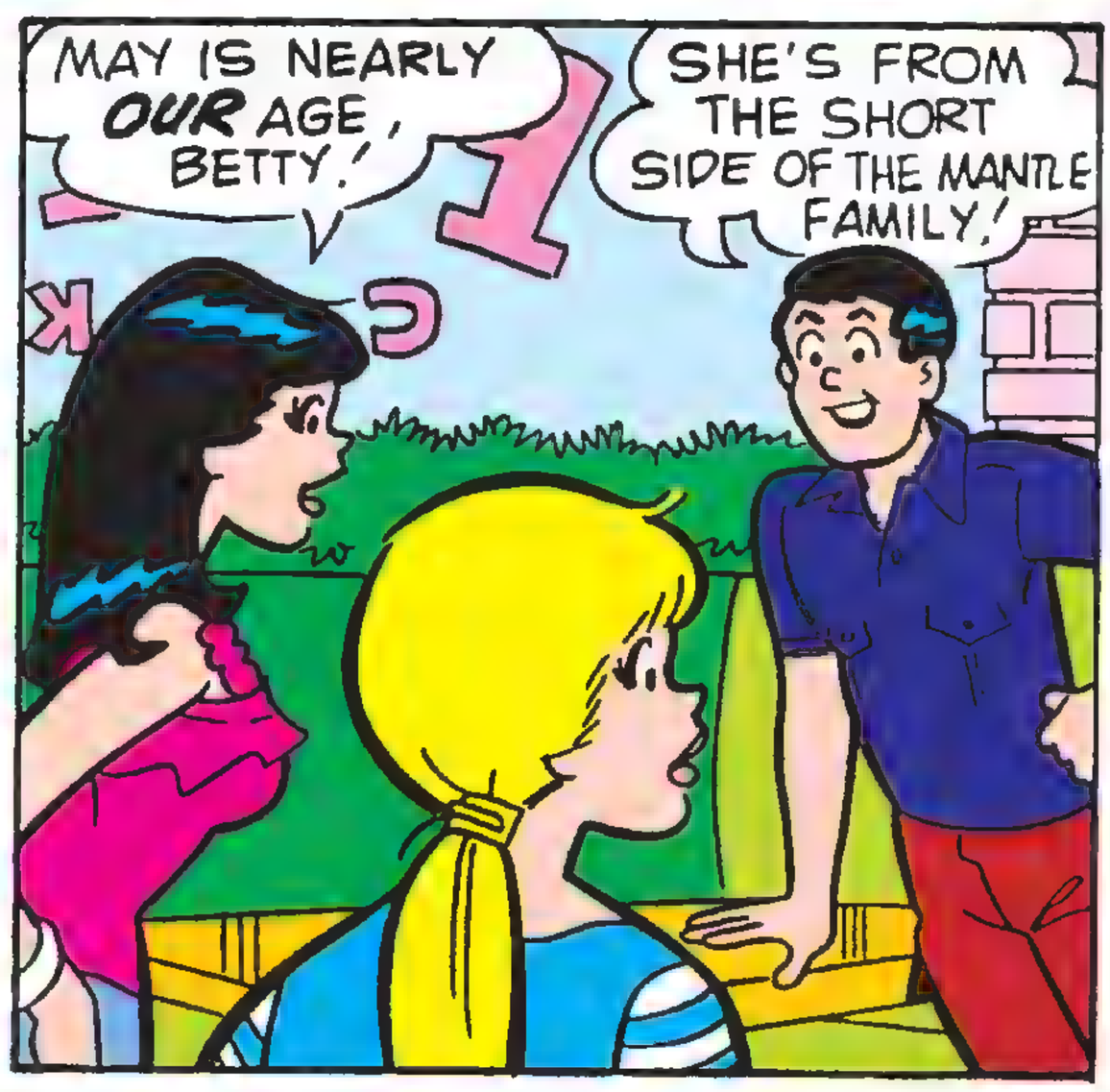
WHAT'LL IT BE, KIDS?
SUNDAES ALL AROUND, POPS!

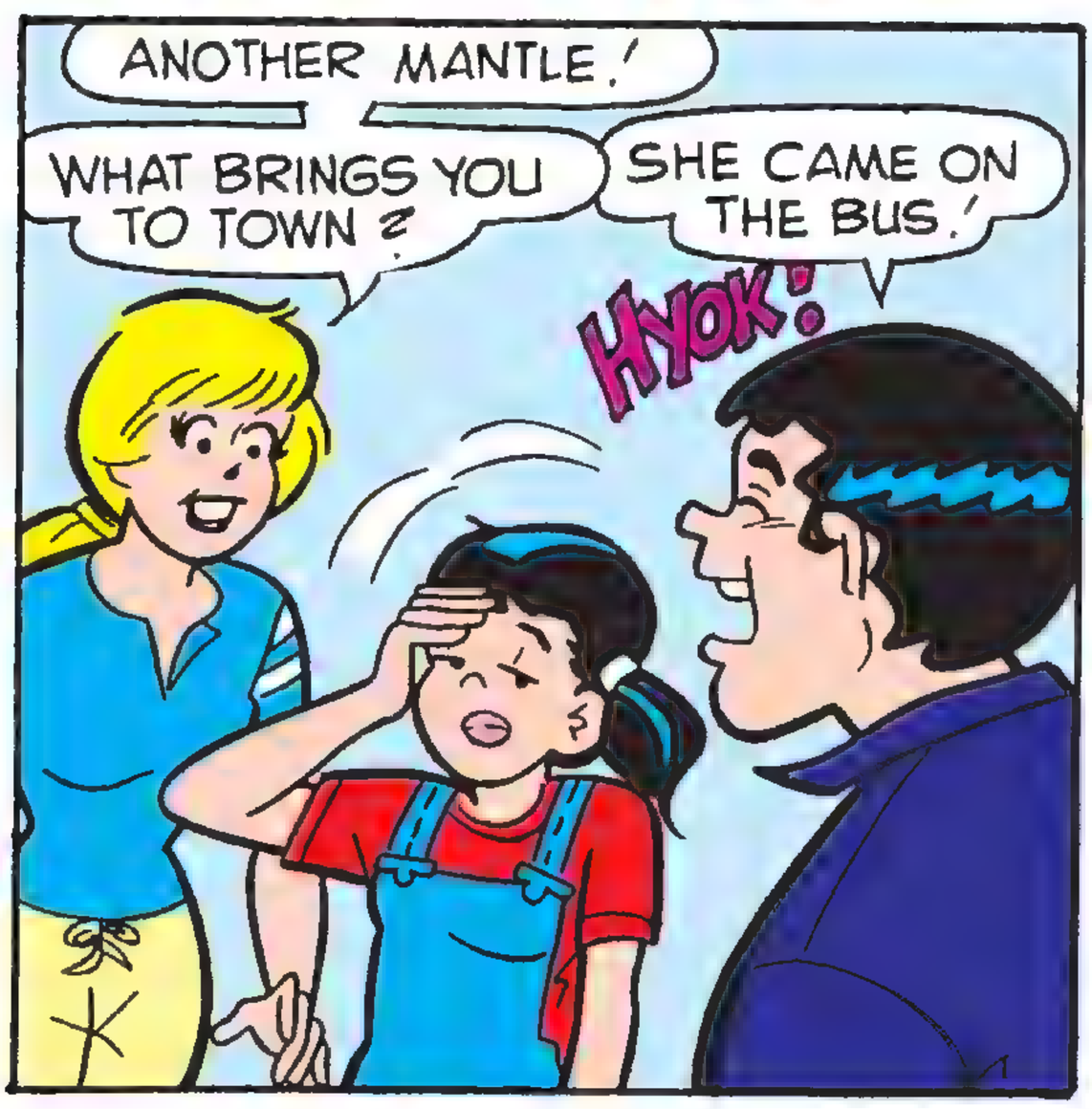

JUNIOR SIZE FOR THE LITTLE GIRL?
I'M NOT A LITTLE GIRL!!

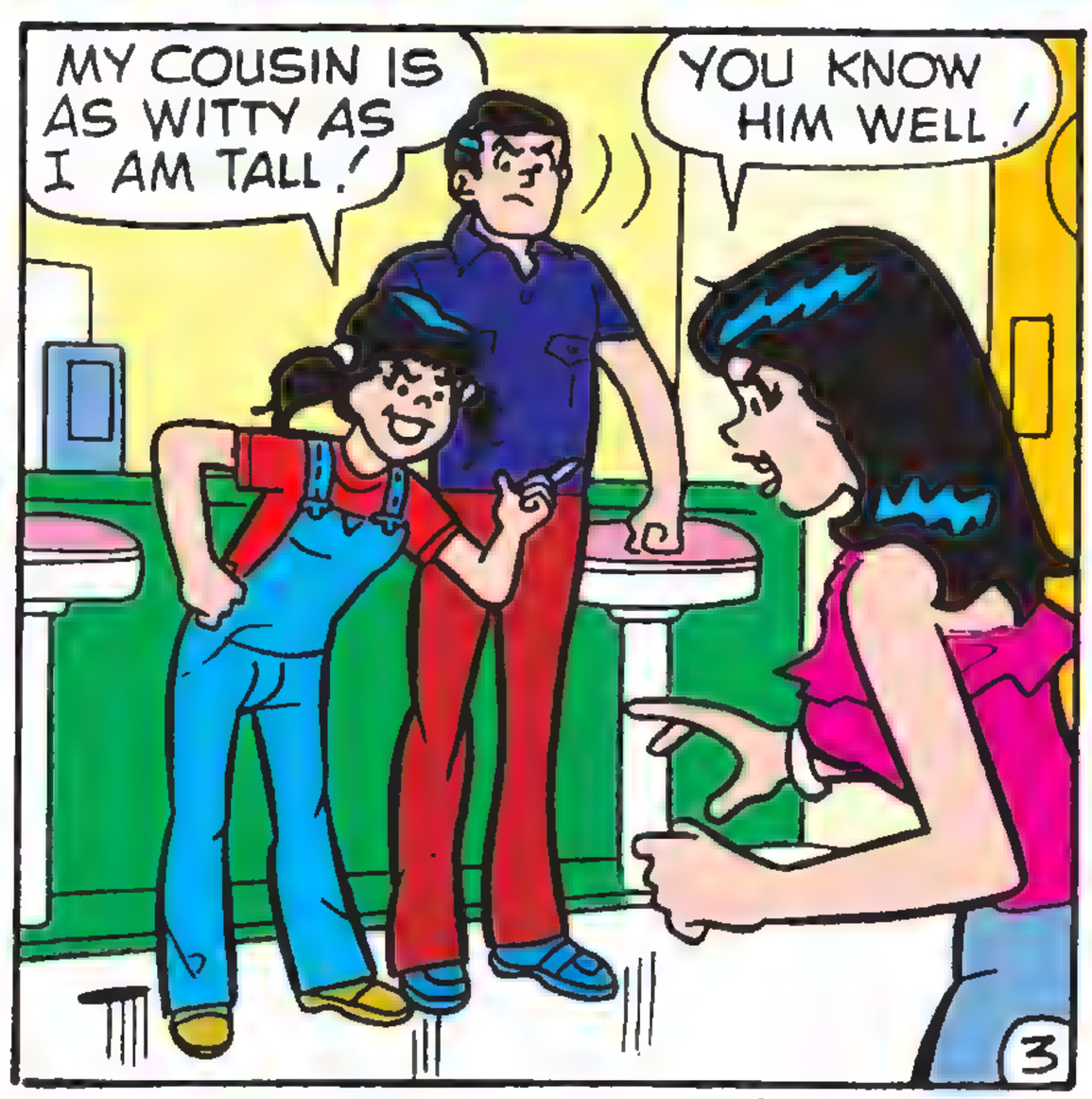
I'M SIXTEEN YEARS OLD! A GENUINE, FULL-FLEDGED TEENAGER!

BUT YOU LOOK SO YOUNG!
IT'S AWFUL! PEOPLE TREAT ME LIKE A KID!

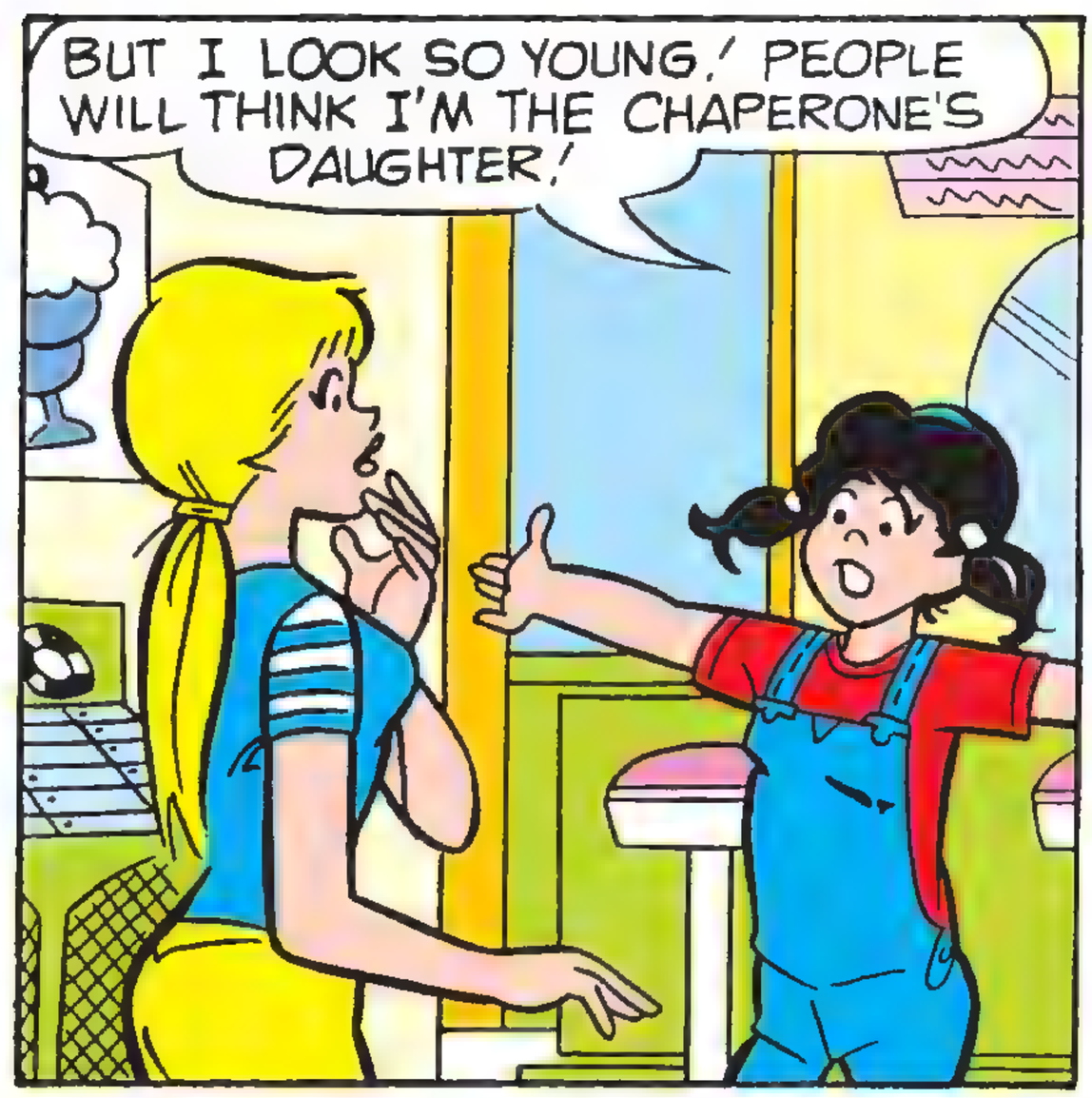
HI, GANG!
REG! YOU'VE TAKEN UP BABY-SITTING?
NOT AGAIN!!


MAY IS NEARLY OUR AGE, BETTY!
SHE'S FROM THE SHORT SIDE OF THE MANTLE FAMILY!


ANOTHER MANTLE!
WHAT BRINGS YOU TO TOWN?
SHE CAME ON THE BUS!
HYOK!

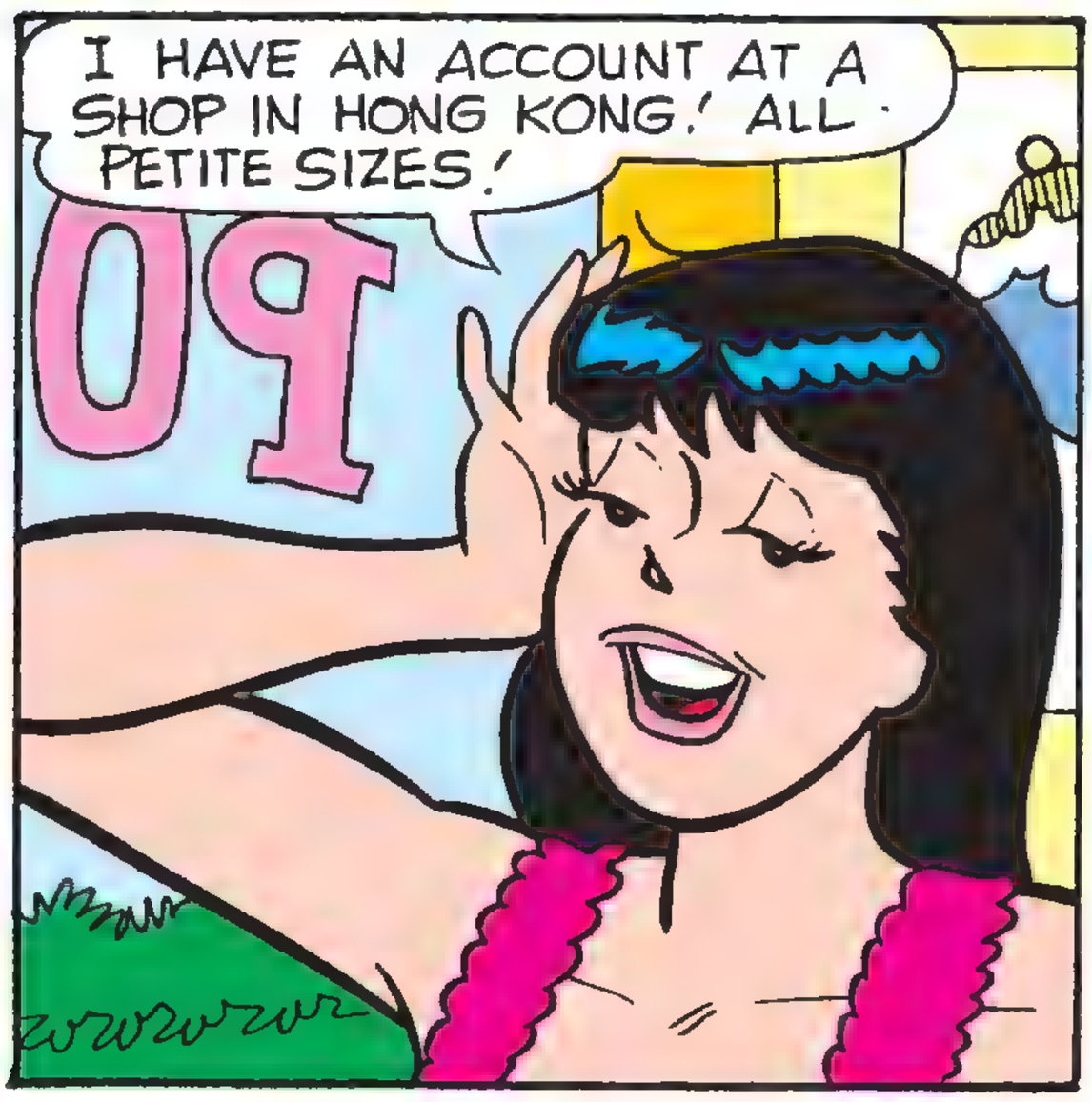

MY COUSIN IS AS WITTY AS I AM TALL!
YOU KNOW HIM WELL!

MY SCHOOL IS DULL! NO DANCES OR PARTIES!
REGGIE SAID HE'D BRING ME TO YOUR DANCE ON FRIDAY!

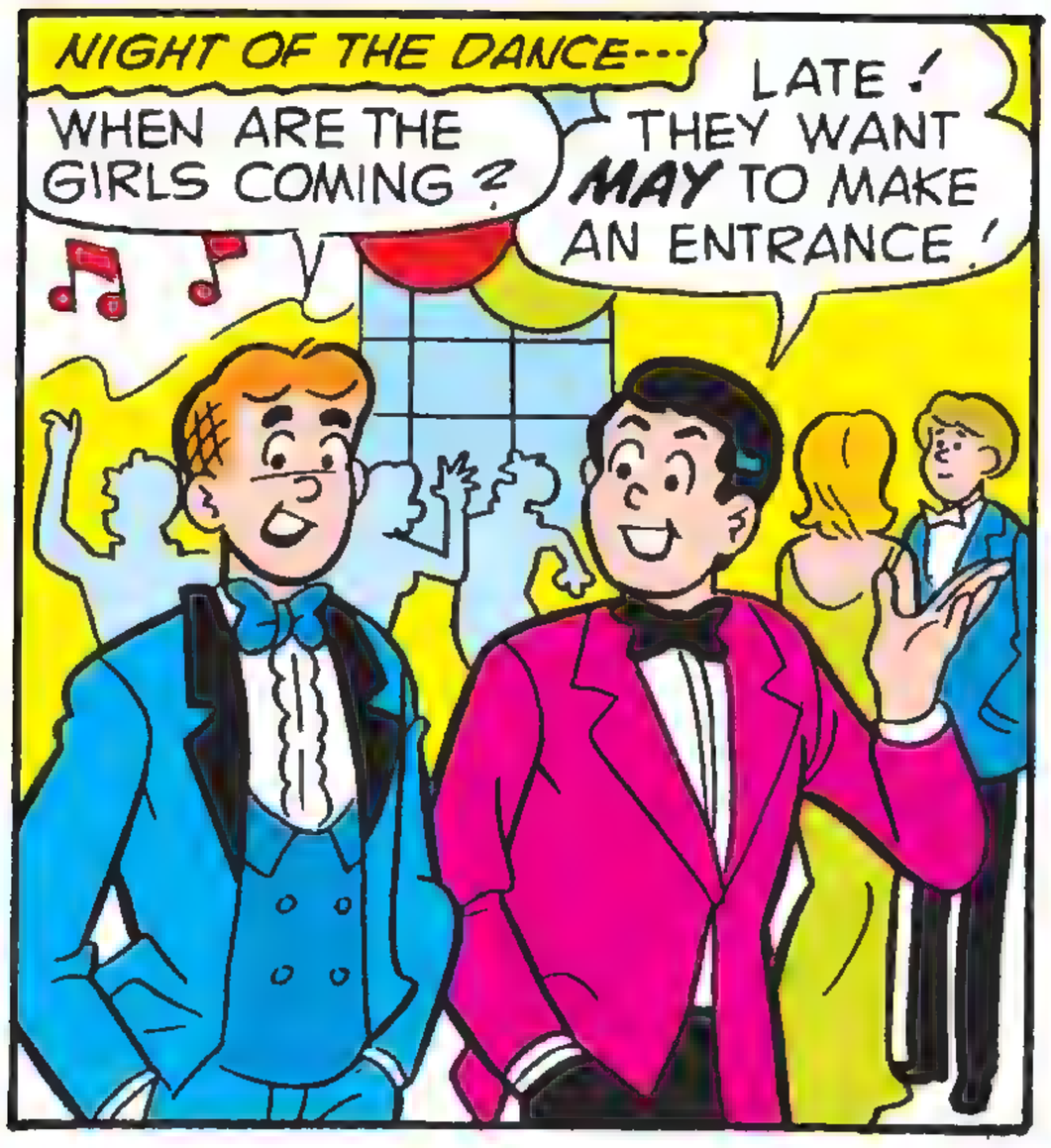

BUT I LOOK SO YOUNG! PEOPLE WILL THINK I'M THE CHAPERONE'S DAUGHTER!

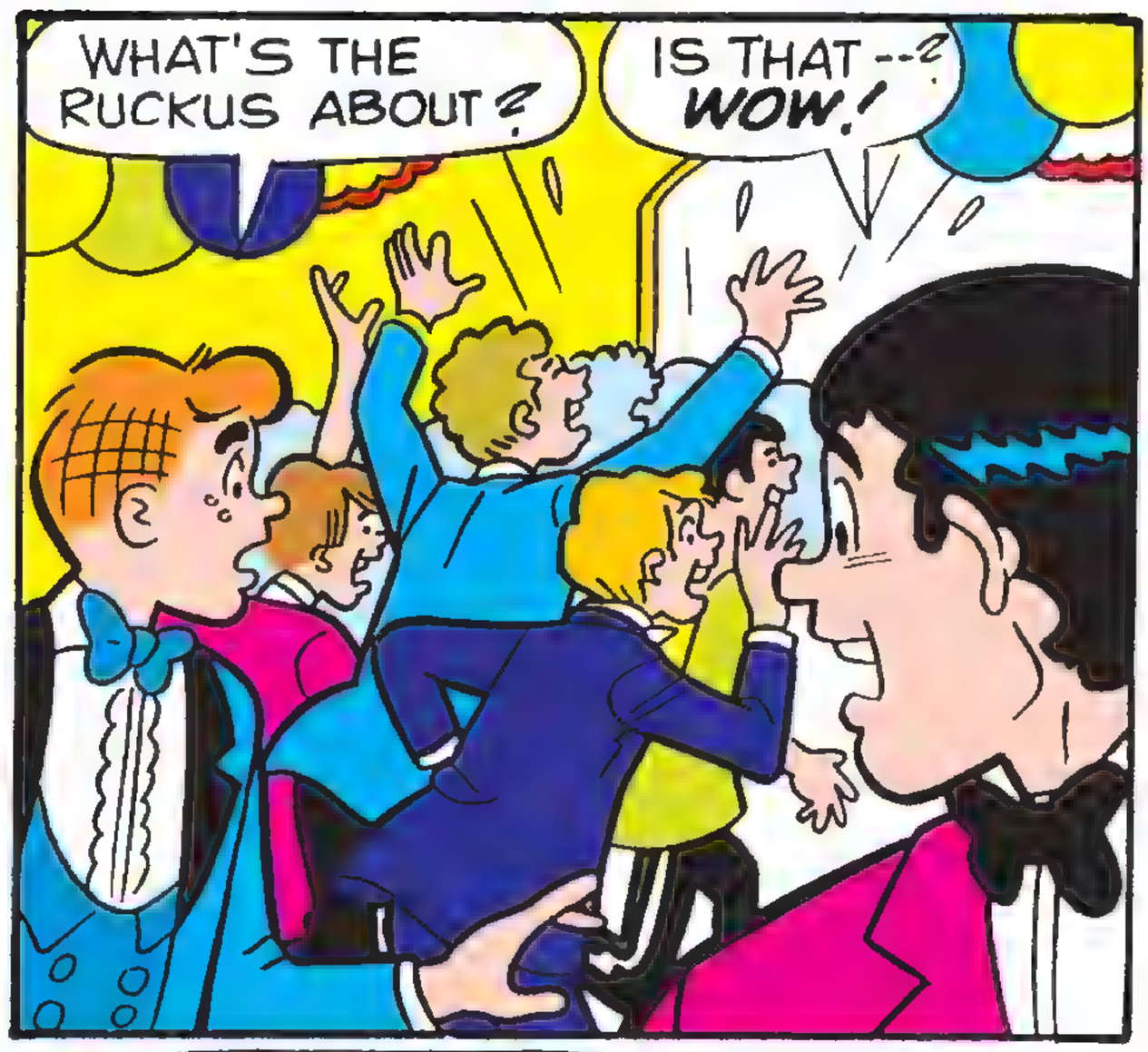
WITH THE RIGHT CLOTHES, MAKEUP, A NEW HAIRDO AND SOME HIGH HEELS---

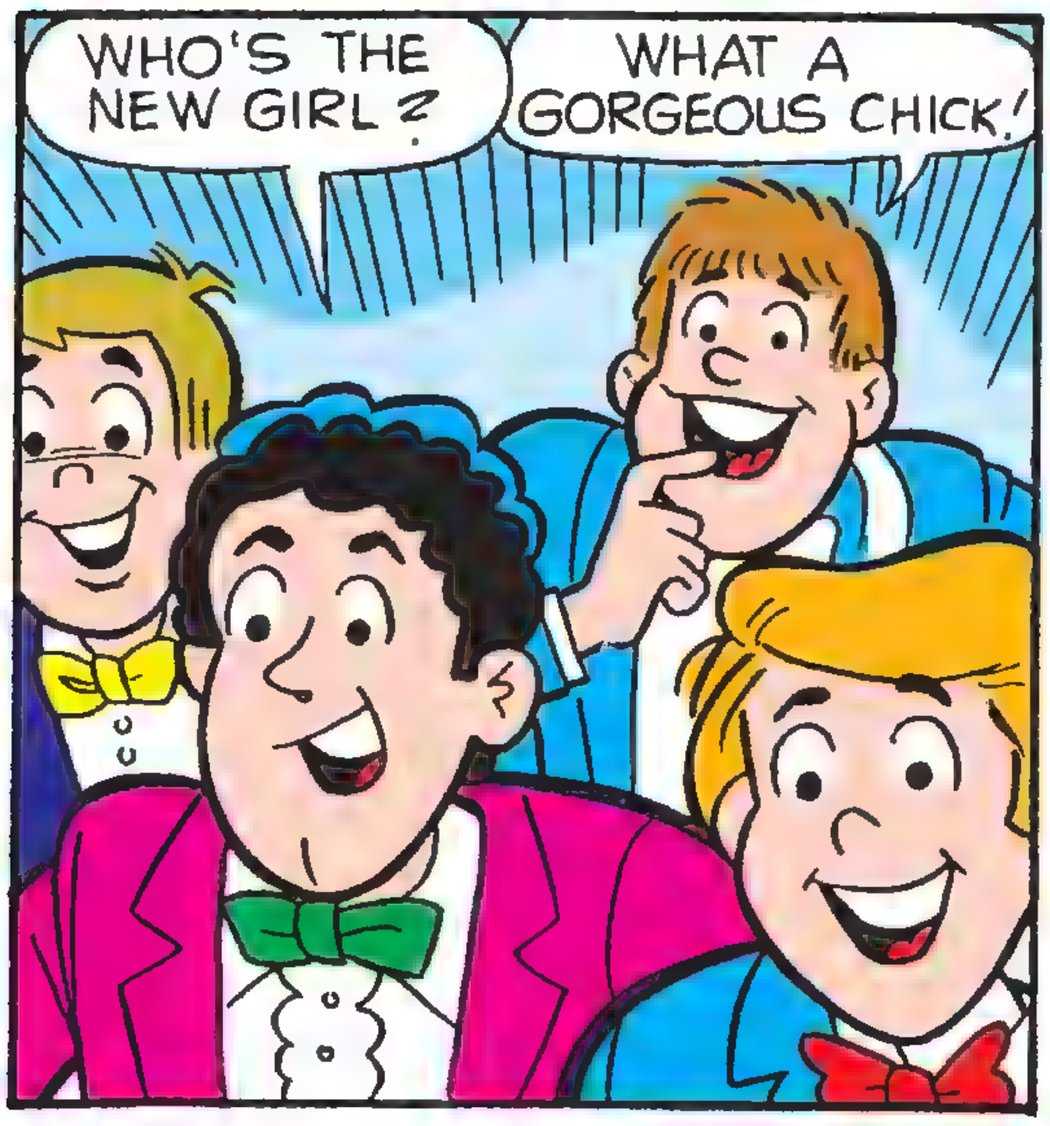
BUT ALL MY CLOTHES ARE FROM THE CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT!
NO PROBLEM!


I HAVE AN ACCOUNT AT A SHOP IN HONG KONG! ALL PETITE SIZES!

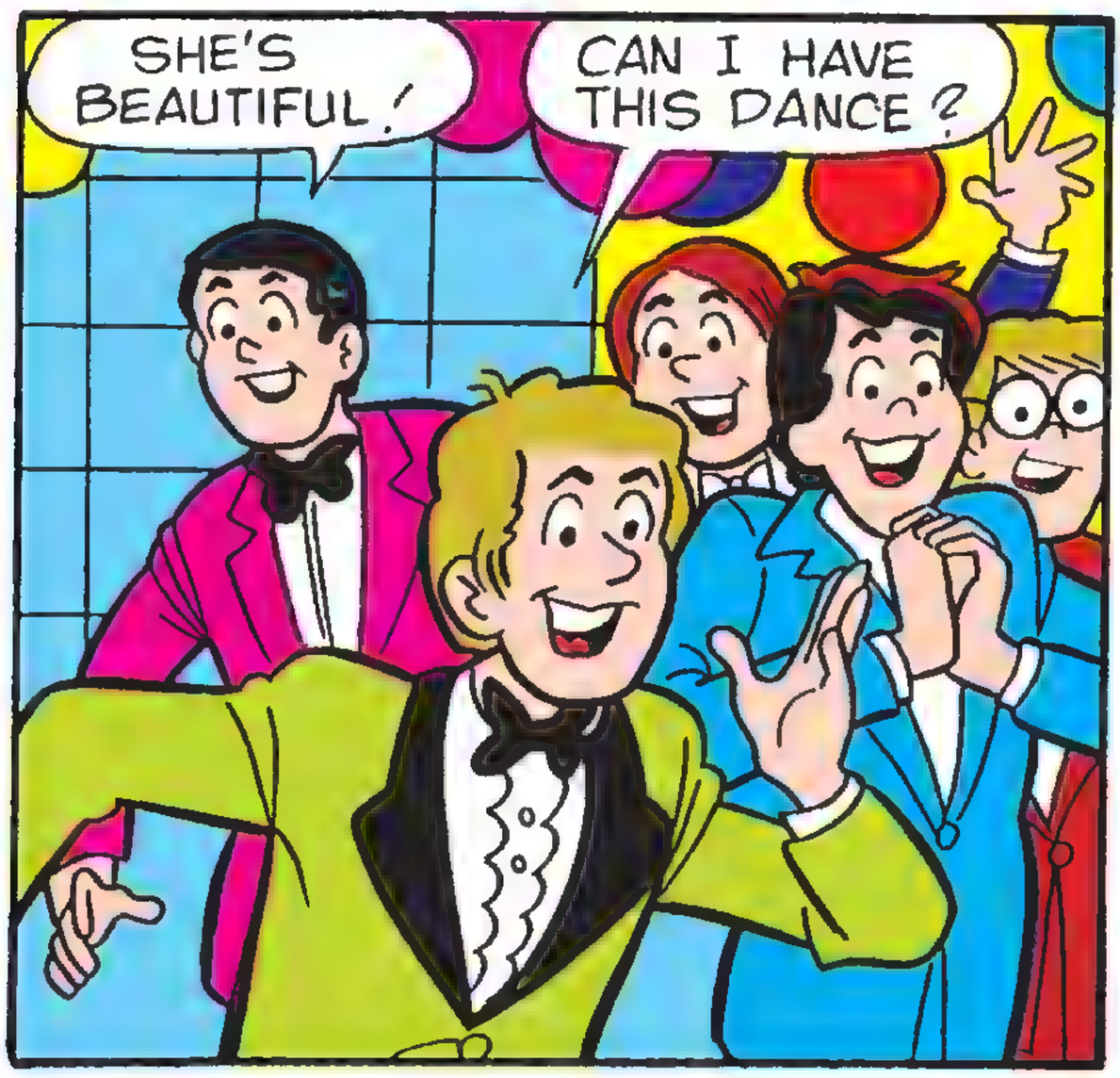
AND WITH MY HOME-PERM KIT AND RON'S MAKEUP---
I KNEW I COULD COUNT ON YOU GIRLS!
POP'S


NIGHT OF THE DANCE---
WHEN ARE THE GIRLS COMING?
LATE! THEY WANT MAY TO MAKE AN ENTRANCE!

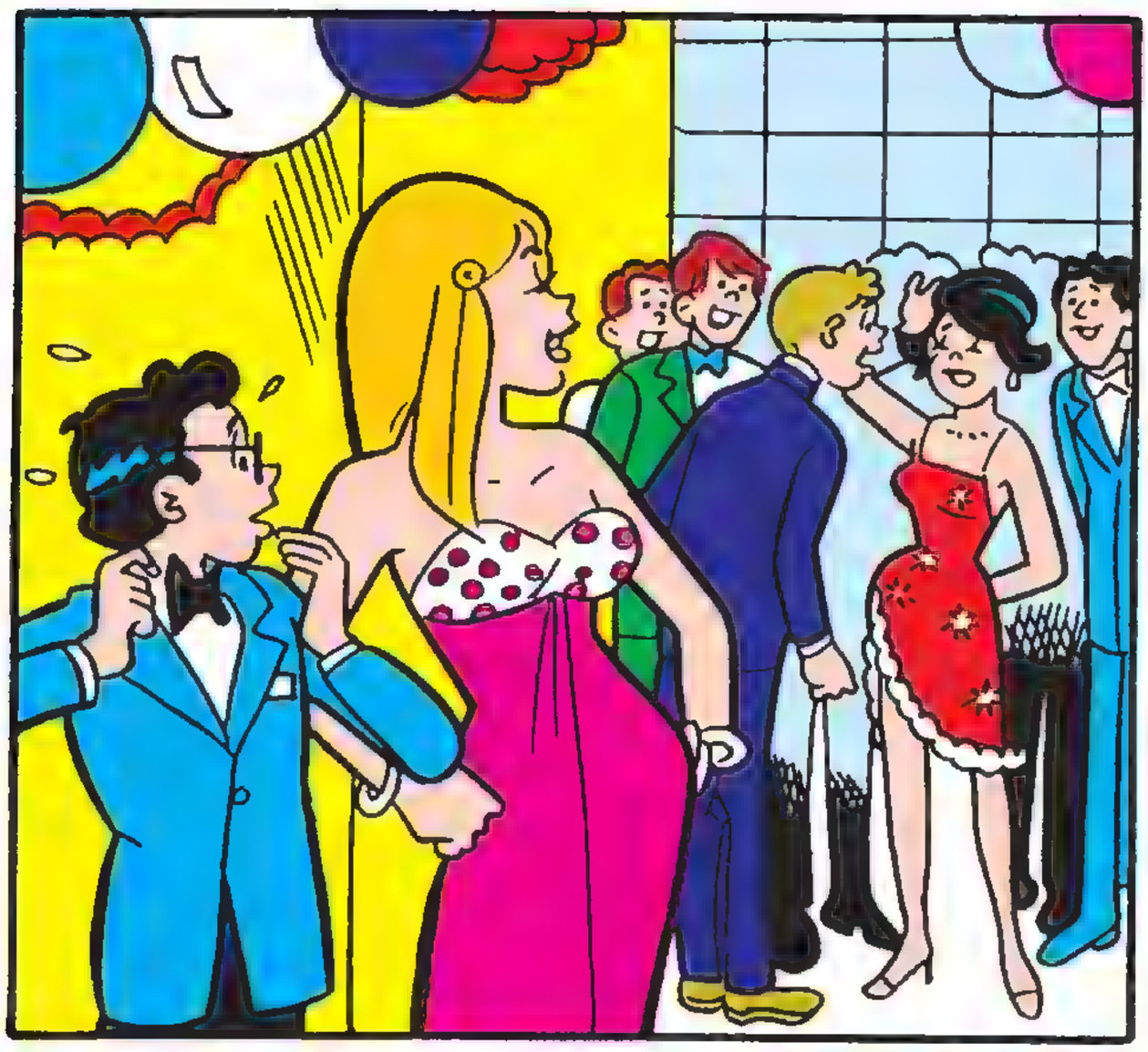

WHAT'S THE RUCKUS ABOUT?
IS THAT --? WOW!


WHO'S THE NEW GIRL?
WHAT A GORGEOUS CHICK!

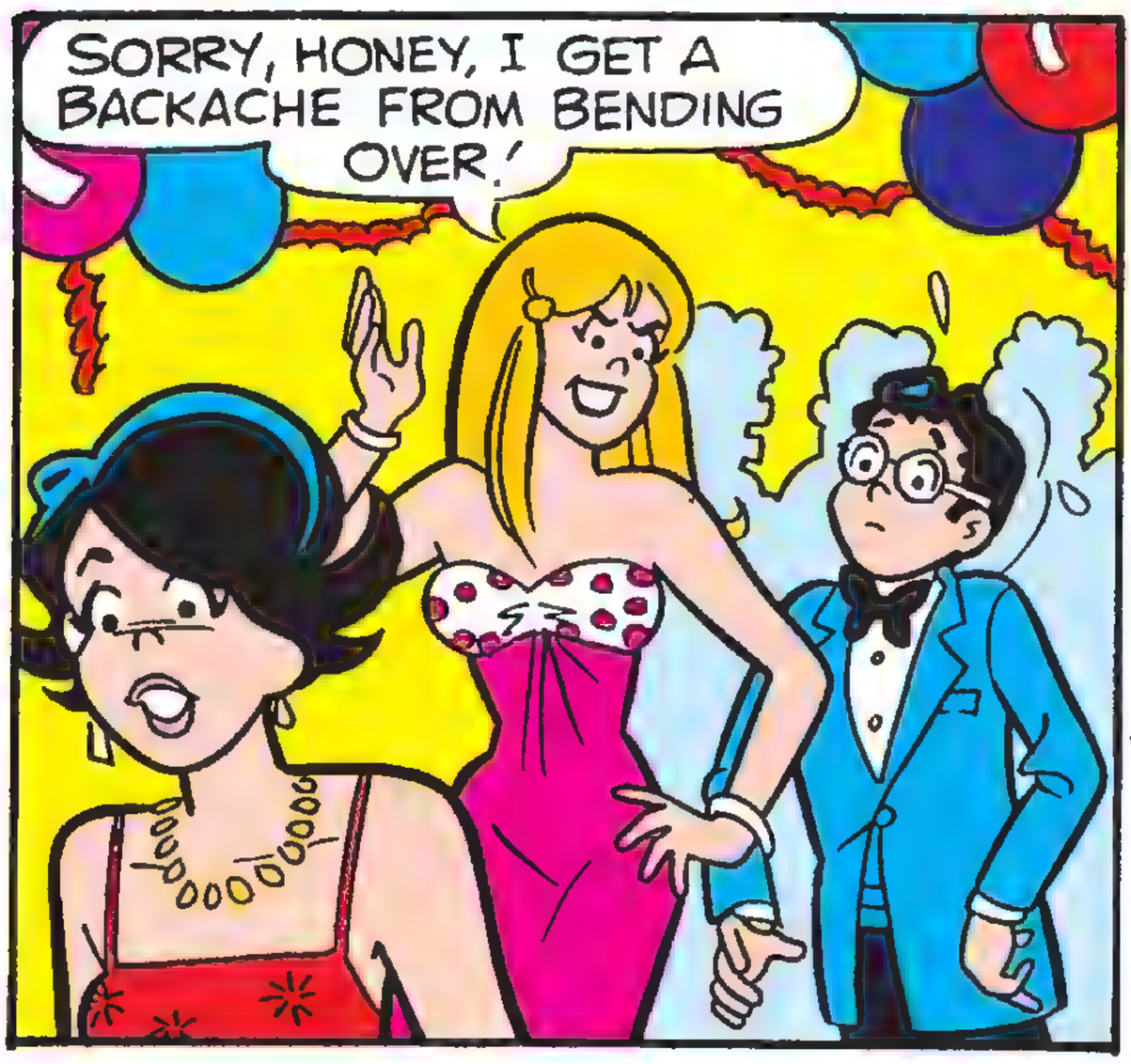
REGGIE! WILL YOU LOOK AT THIS?
HOW DO YOU LIKE OUR WORK?


SHE'S BEAUTIFUL!
CAN I HAVE THIS DANCE?

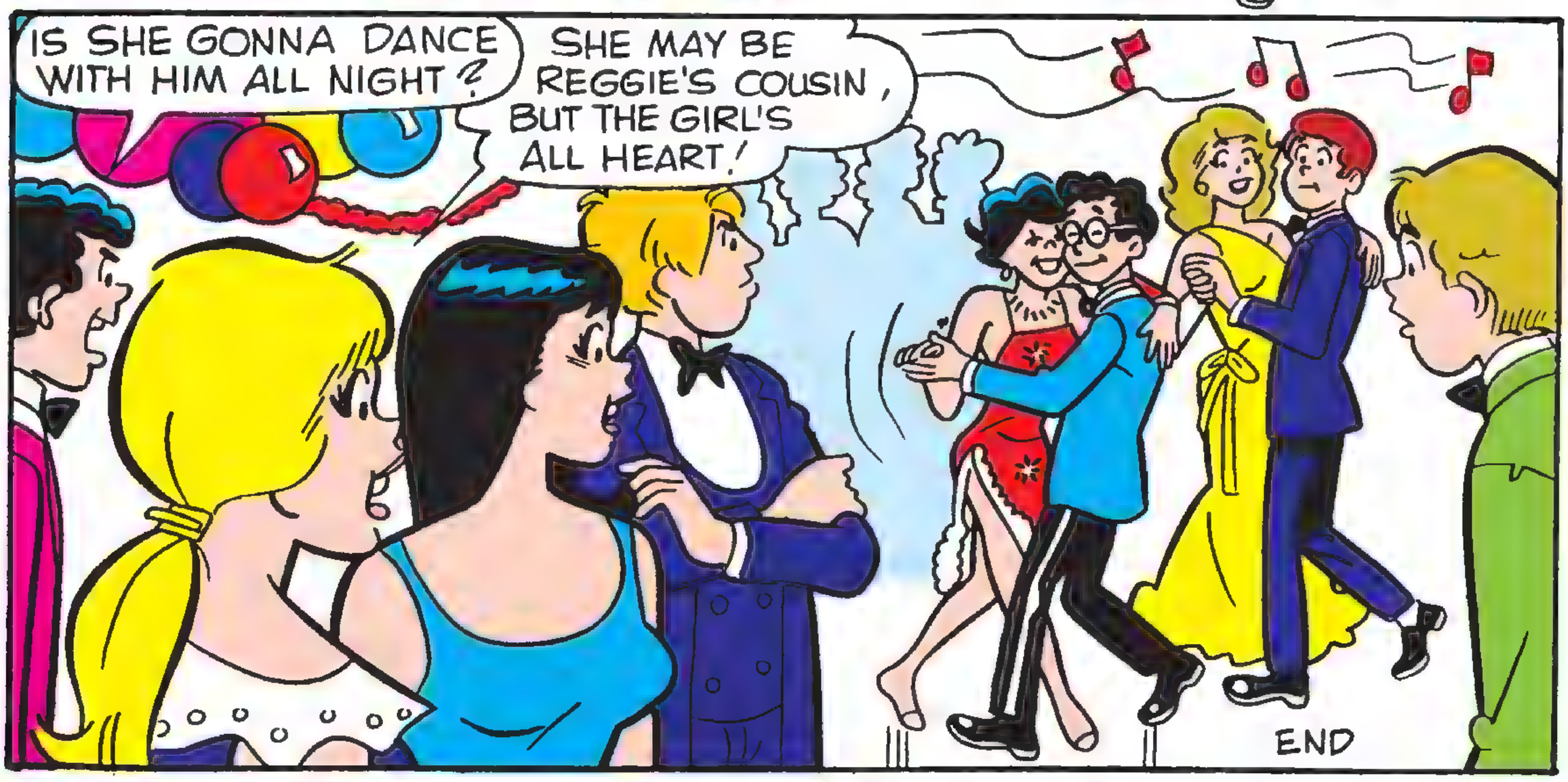
OF COURSE I'M NOT SURPRISED! WE MANTLES ARE ALL BEAUTIFUL!



WOULD YOU CARE TO DANCE, MISS?
WITH YOU?


SORRY, HONEY, I GET A BACKACHE FROM BENDING OVER!

EXCUSE ME --- I'D LOVE TO DANCE WITH YOU!
FLIP!


IS SHE GONNA DANCE WITH HIM ALL NIGHT?
SHE MAY BE REGGIE'S COUSIN, BUT THE GIRL'S ALL HEART!
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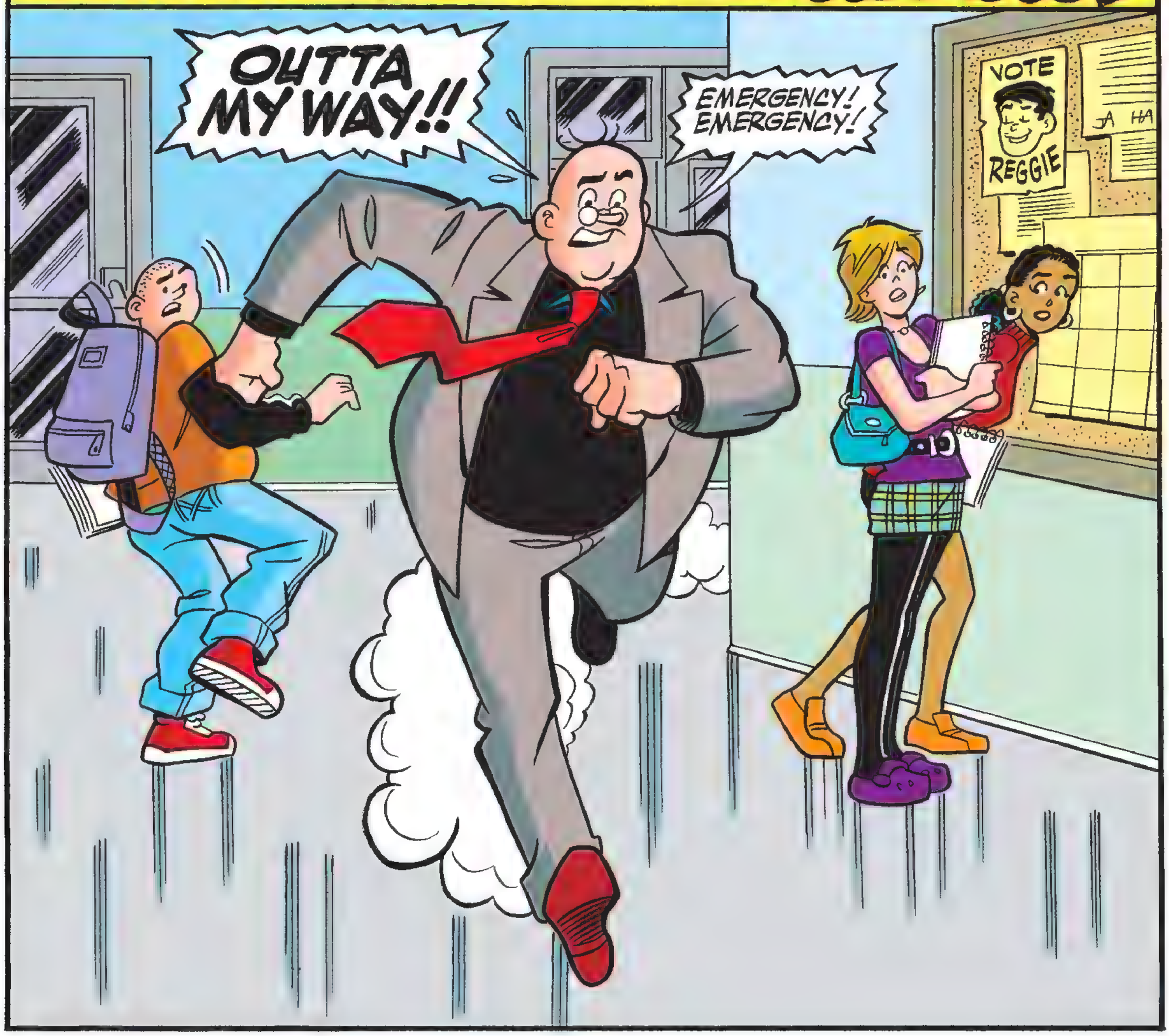
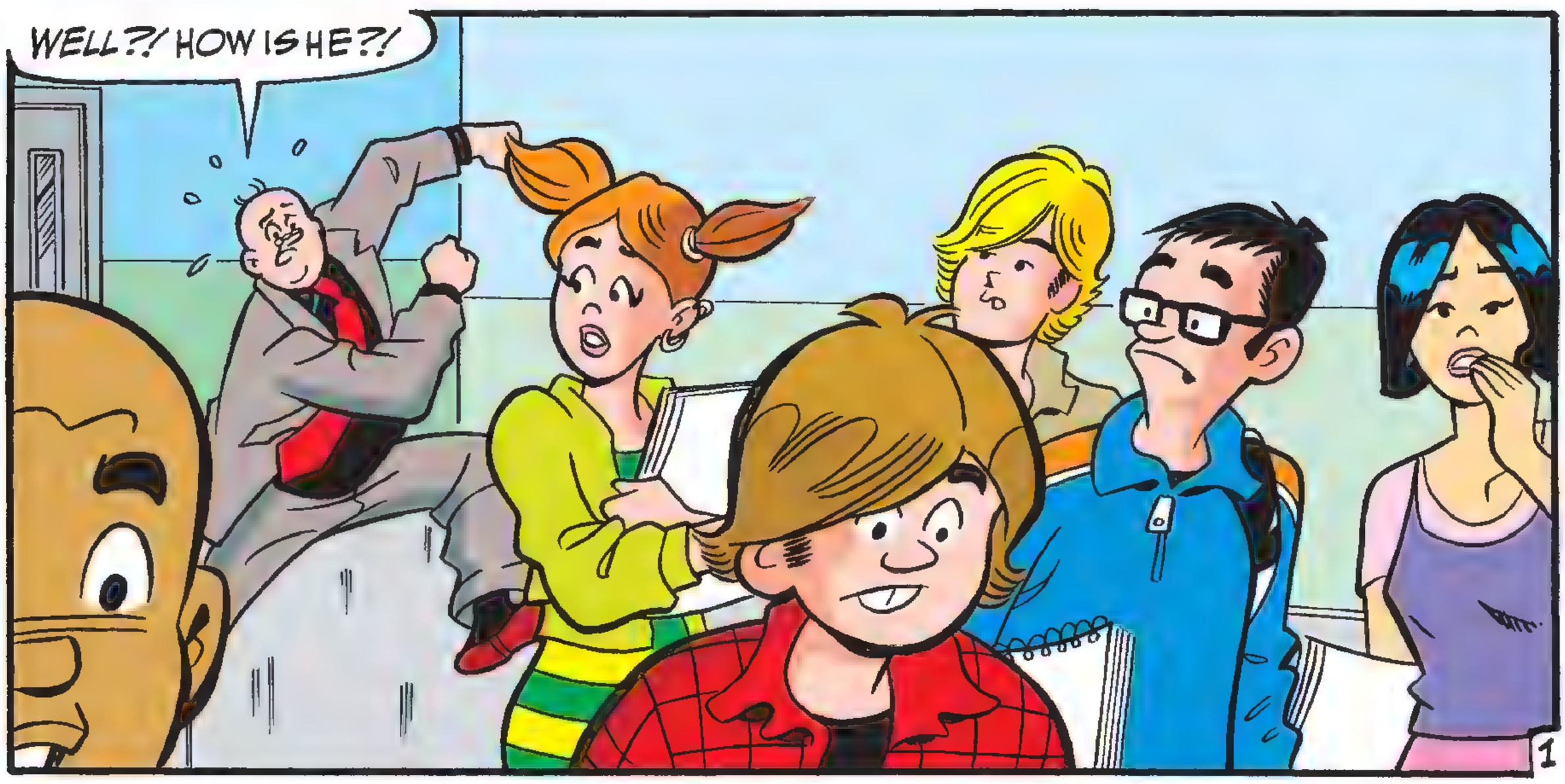
Archie & Friends IN THE WAY TO THE HEART!





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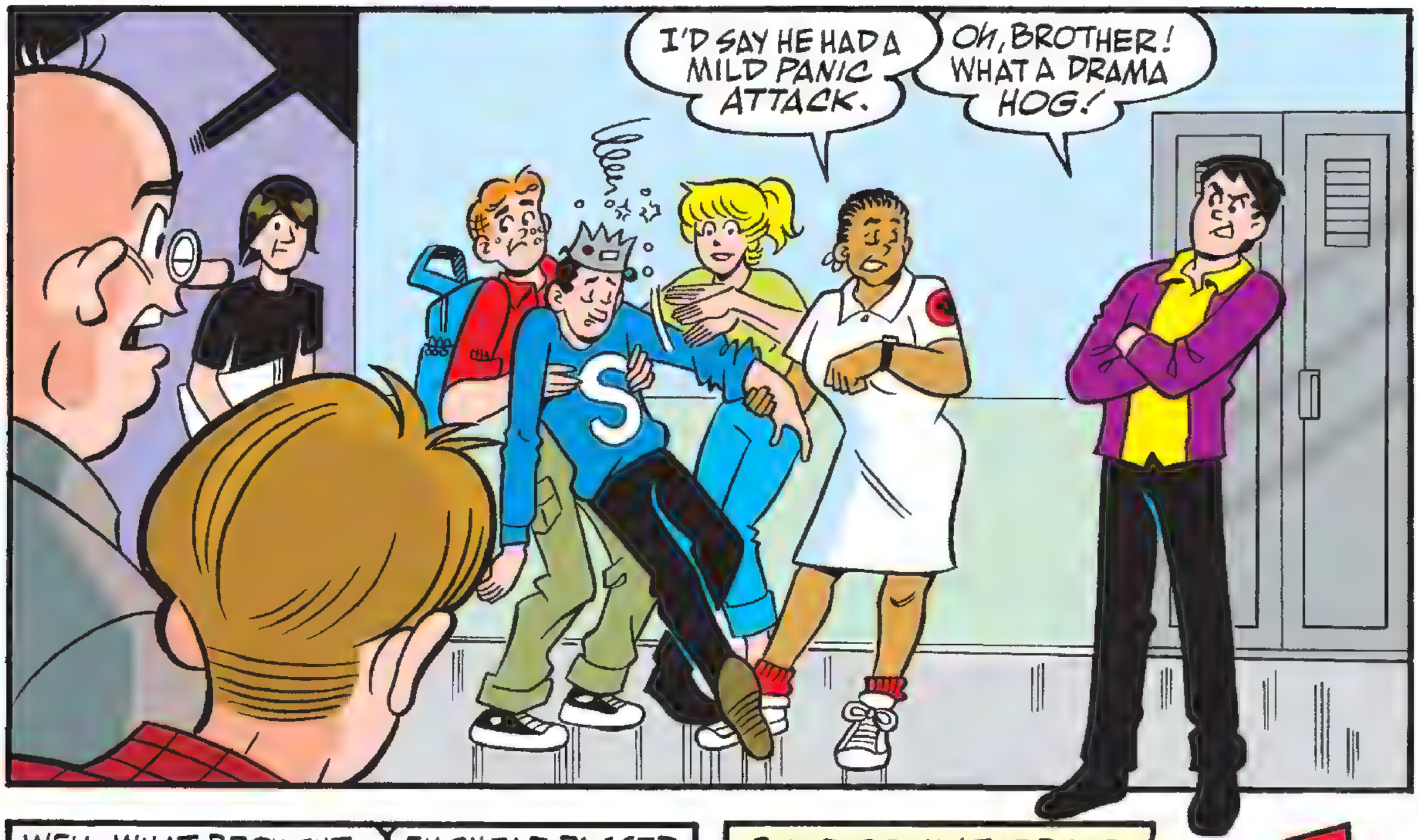
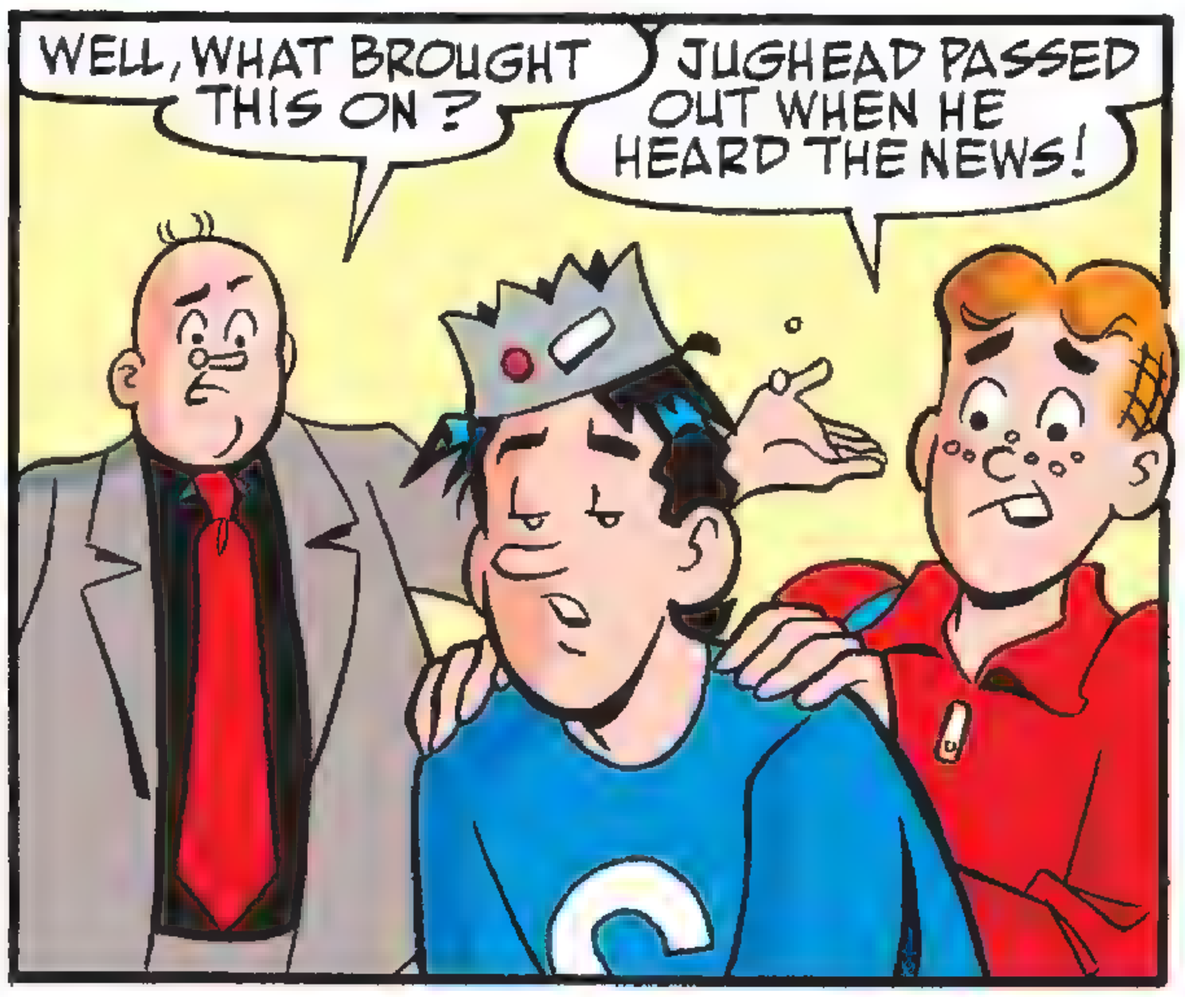
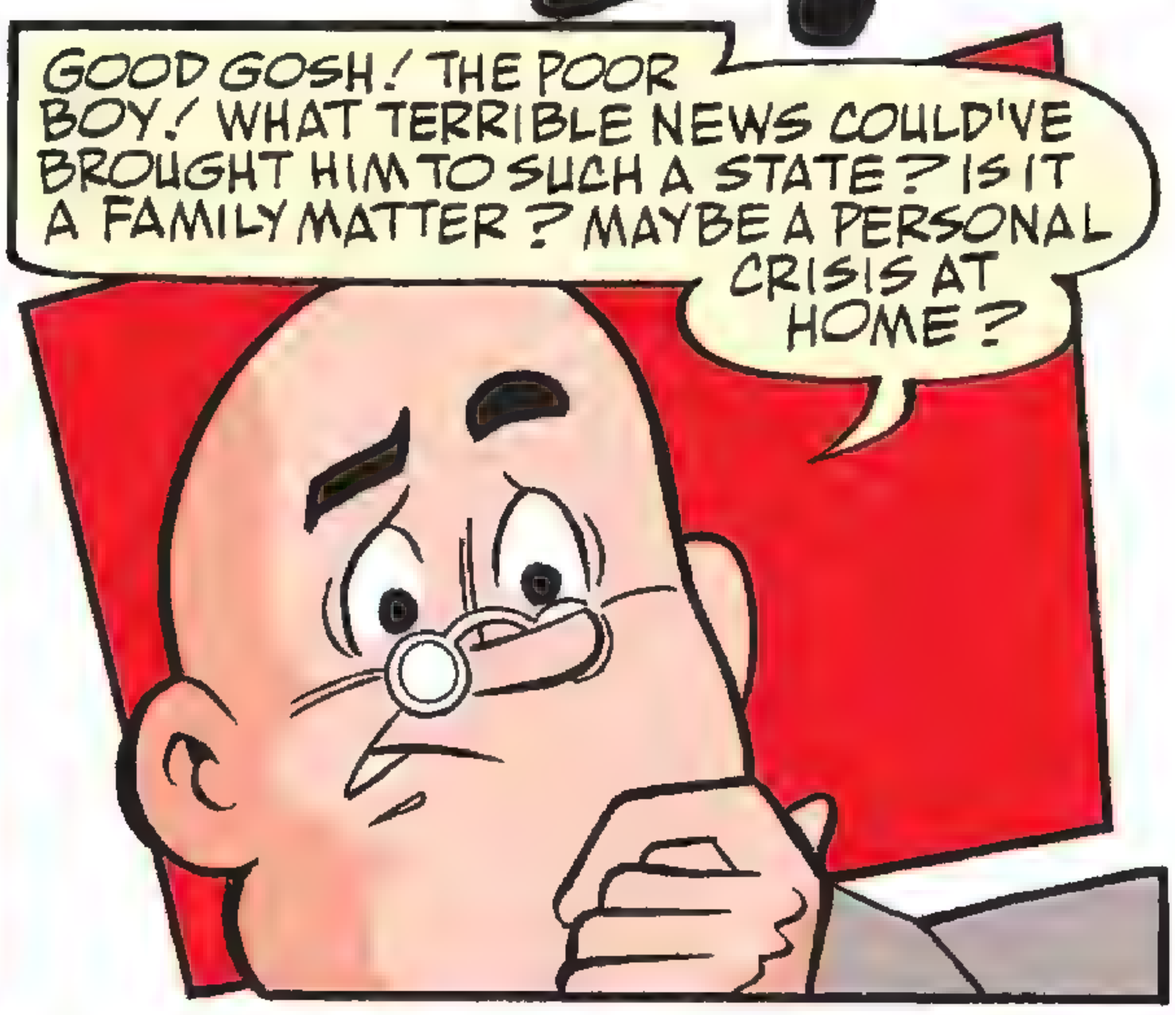
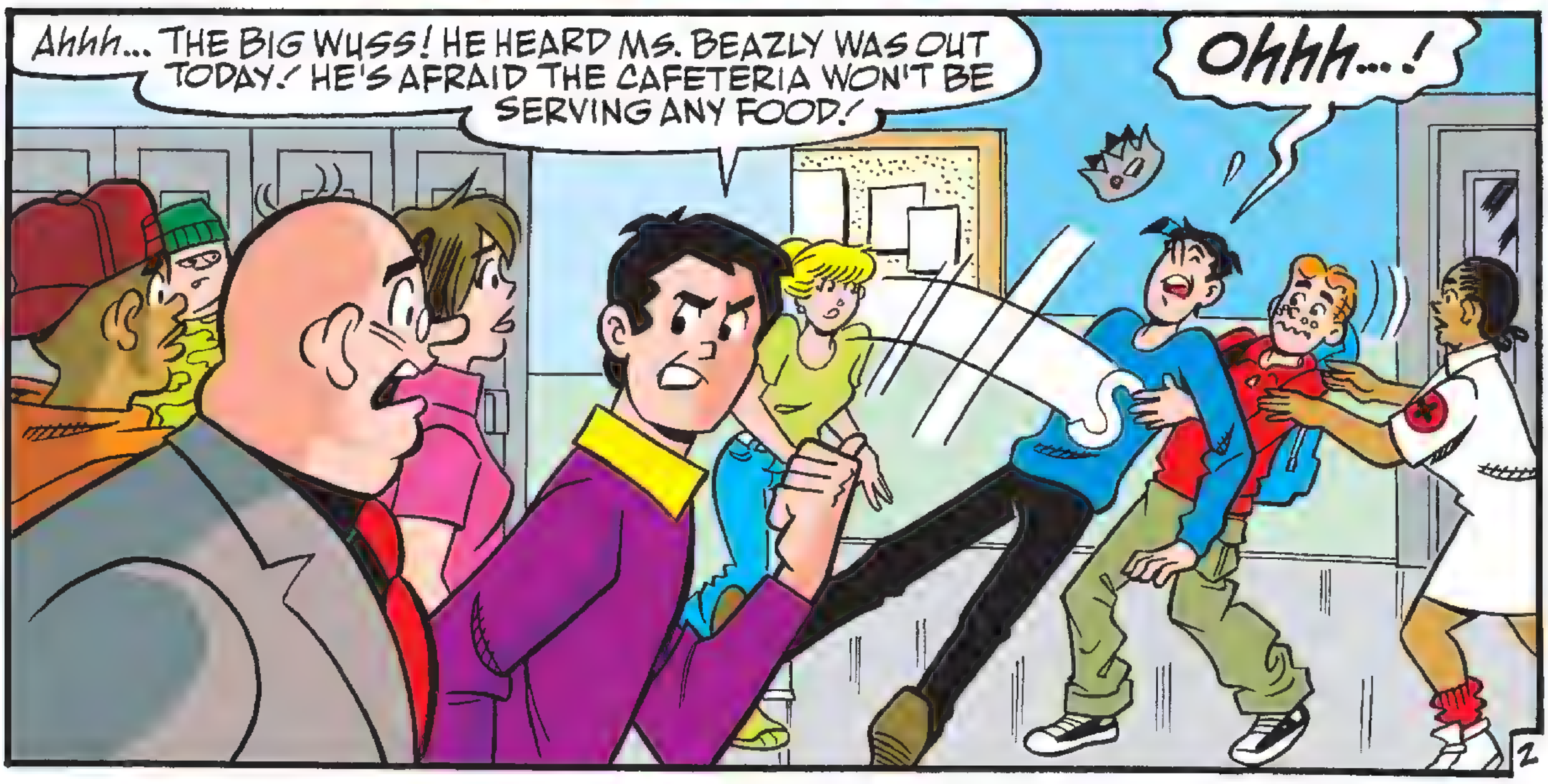
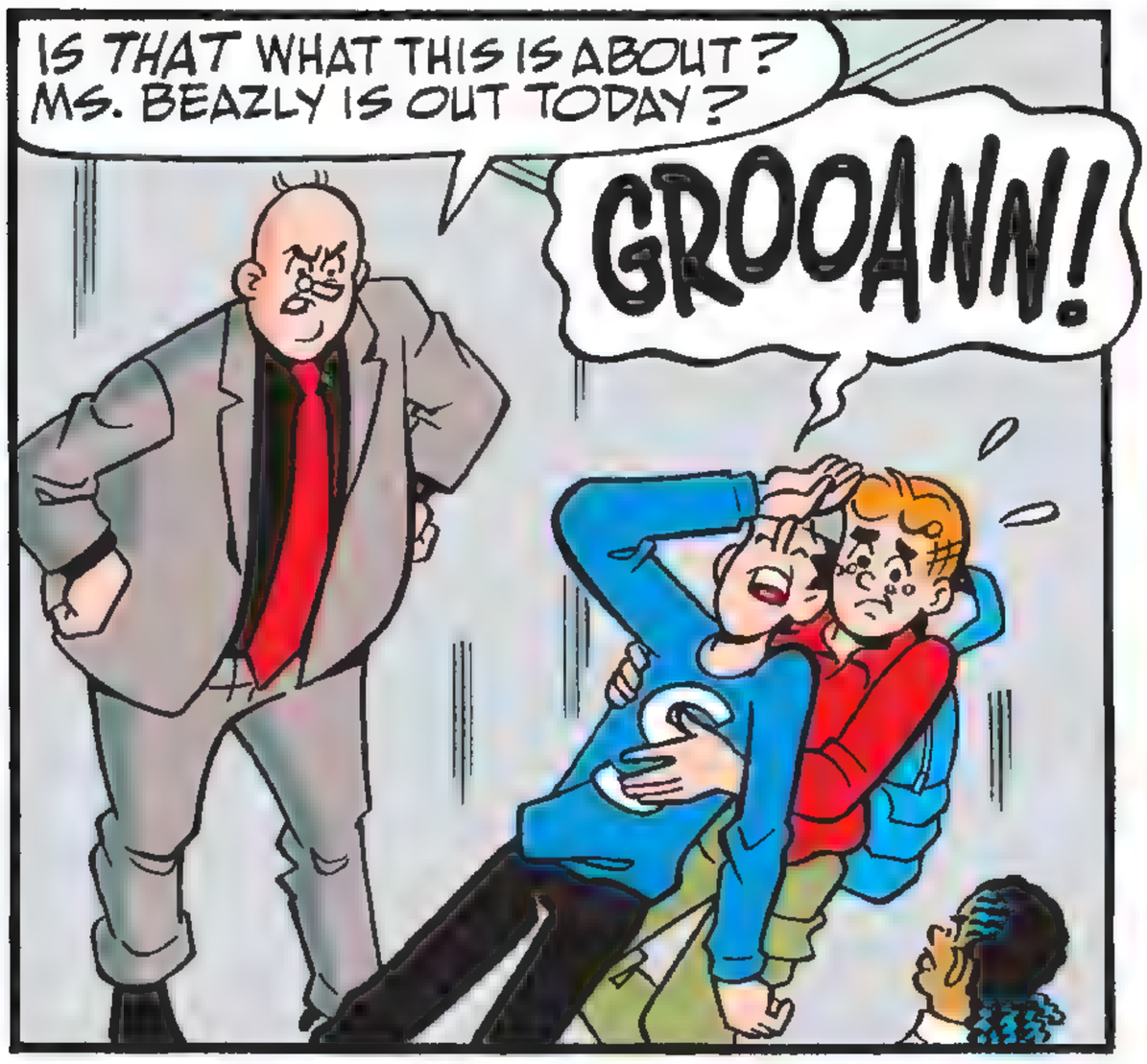

I'D SAY HE HAD A MILD PANIC ATTACK.
OH, BROTHER! WHAT A DRAMA HOG!


WELL, WHAT BROUGHT THIS ON?
JUGHEAD PASSED OUT WHEN HE HEARD THE NEWS!


GOOD GOSH! THE POOR BOY! WHAT TERRIBLE NEWS COULD'VE BROUGHT HIM TO SUCH A STATE? IS IT A FAMILY MATTER? MAYBE A PERSONAL CRISIS AT HOME?


Ahhh... THE BIG WUSS! HE HEARD MS. BEAZLY WAS OUT TODAY! HE'S AFRAID THE CAFETERIA WON'T BE SERVING ANY FOOD!
Ohhh...!

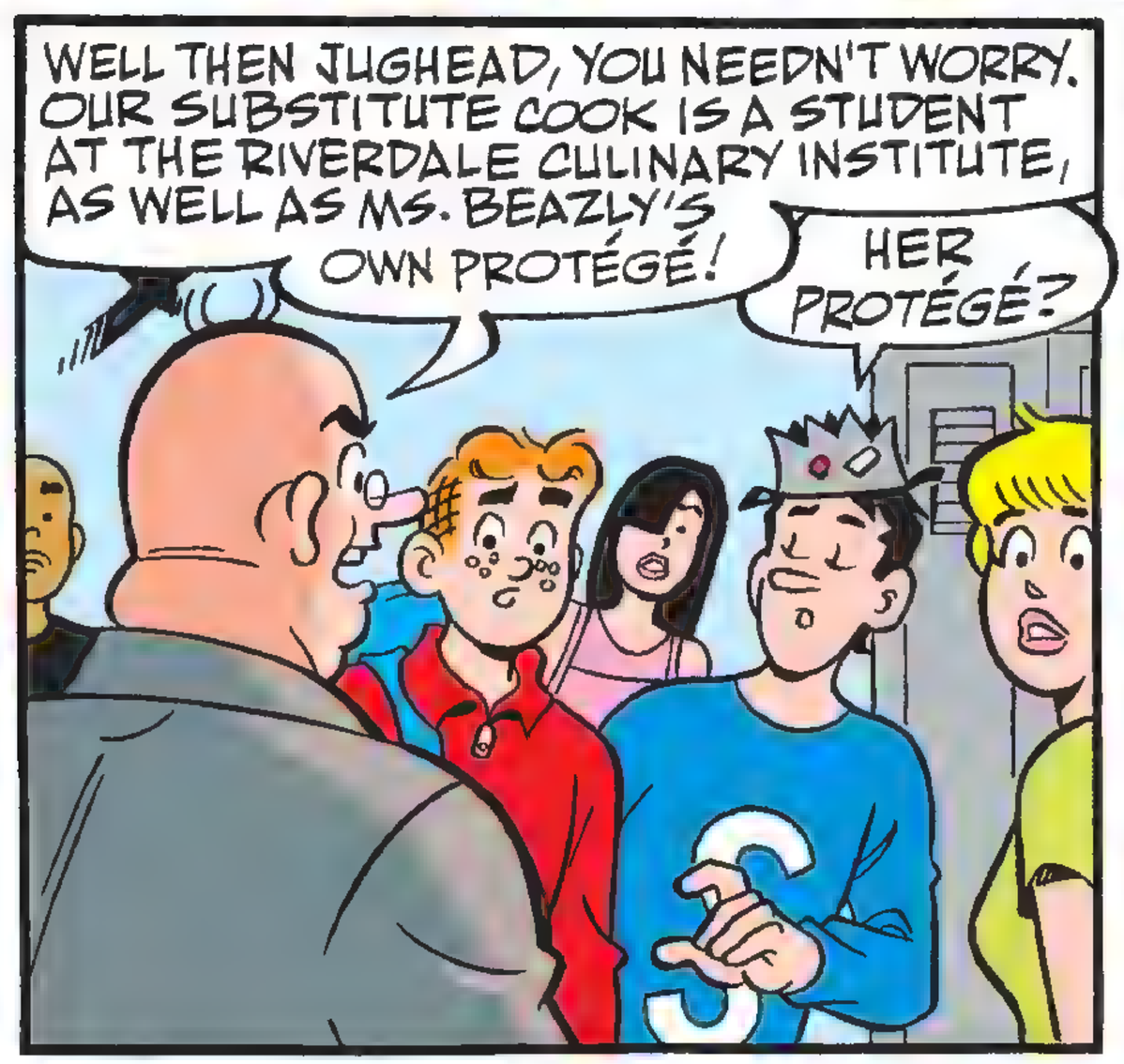

IS THAT WHAT THIS IS ABOUT? MS. BEAZLY IS OUT TODAY?
GROOANN!

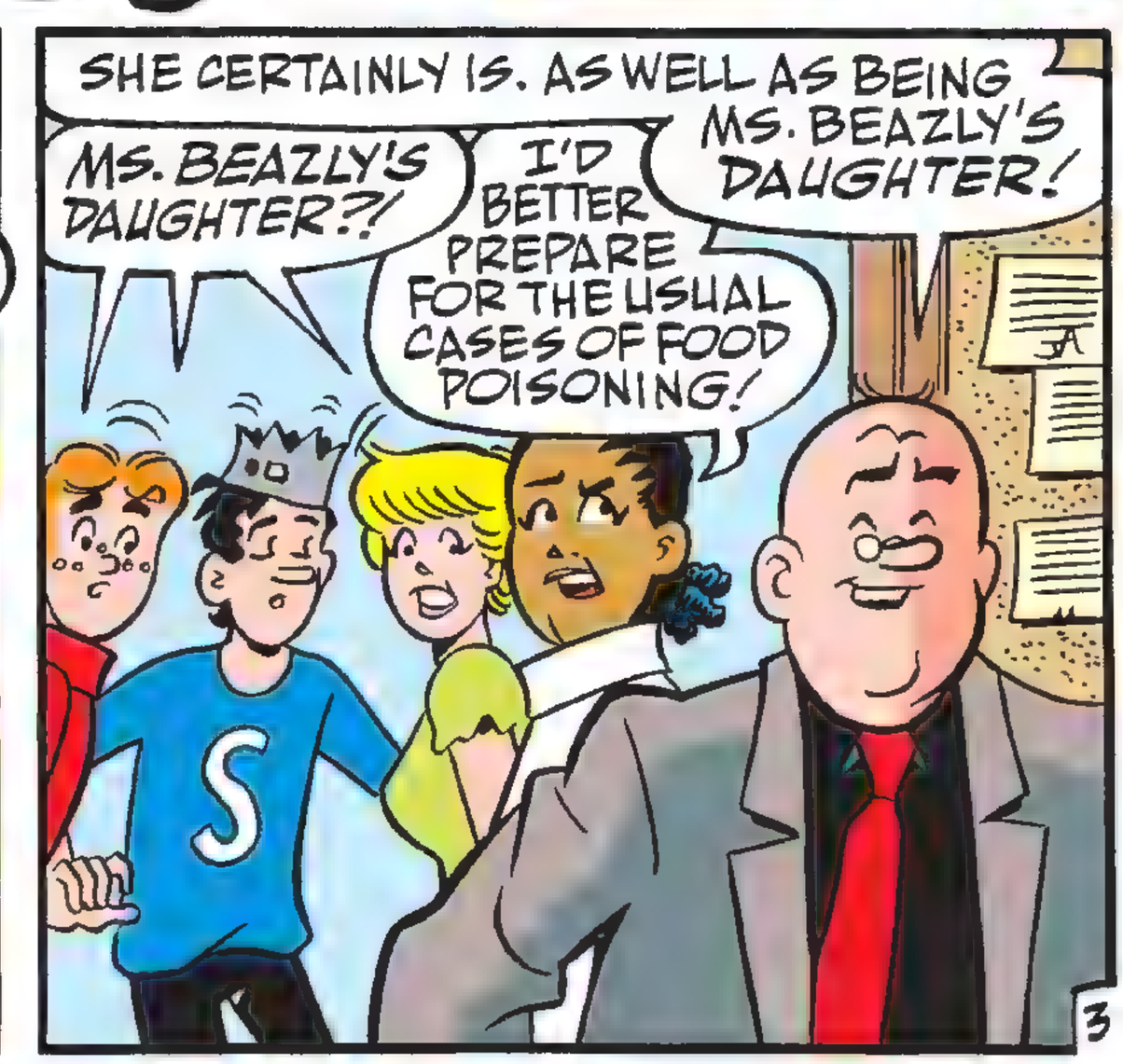
UH... IN FACT, SHE'LL BE OUT ALL WEEK... SHE'S AT A CAFETERIA WORKERS' CONVENTION.
ALL WEEK ?!!

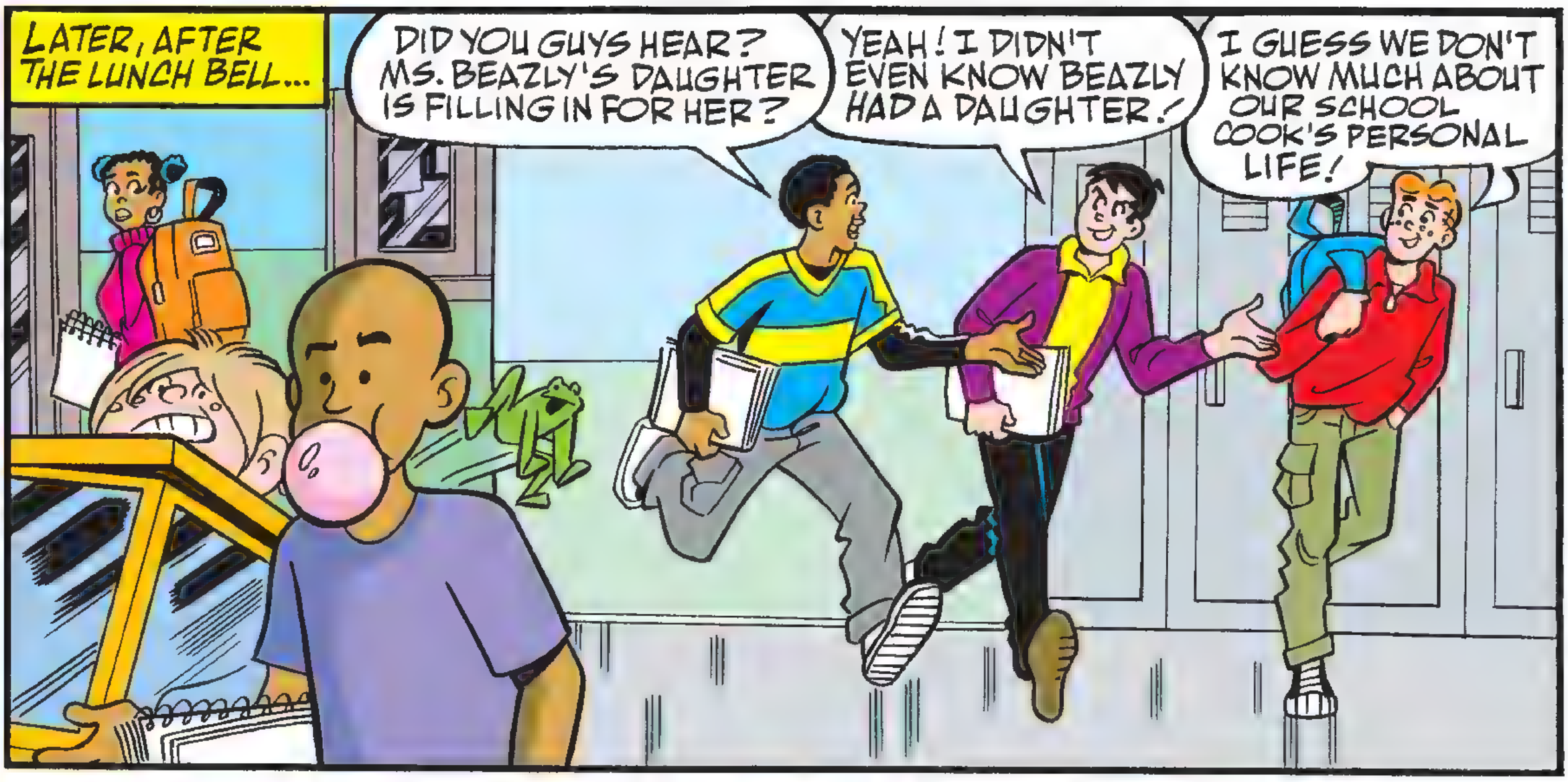
BUT SHE SENT A SUBSTITUTE COOK TO COVER FOR HER! THE CAFETERIA WILL CONTINUE TO SERVE FOOD AS AWAYS!
IT WILL?!
IF IT'S THE SAME FOOD AS ALWAYS, I MIGHT BE THE ONE TO FAINT!

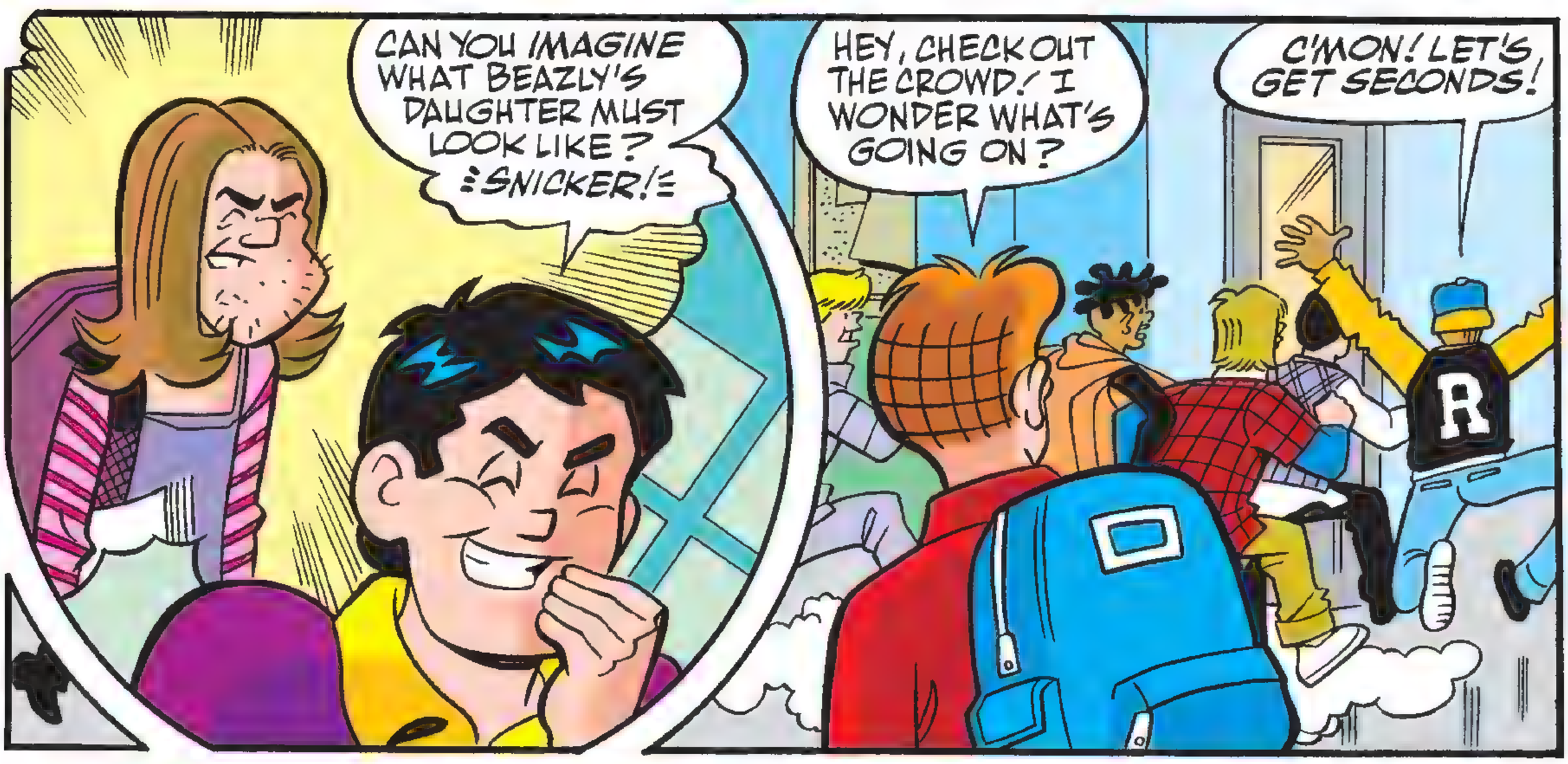
FEEL BETTER, JUG?
I DON'T KNOW, ARCH. I DON'T KNOW IF SOME SUB IS GONNA CUT IT!

I'M GONNA MISS MS. BEAZLY'S COOKING! IT HAD A CERTAIN SOMETHING...
YEAH... MOLD!


WELL THEN JUGHEAD, YOU NEEDN'T WORRY. OUR SUBSTITUTE COOK IS A STUDENT AT THE RIVERDALE CULINARY INSTITUTE, AS WELL AS MS. BEAZLY'S OWN PROTÉGÉ!
HER PROTÉGÉ?


SHE CERTAINLY IS. AS WELL AS BEING MS. BEAZLY'S DAUGHTER!
MS. BEAZLY'S DAUGHTER?!
I'D BETTER PREPARE FOR THE USUAL CASES OF FOOD POISONING!


LATER, AFTER THE LUNCH BELL...
DID YOU GUYS HEAR? MS. BEAZLY'S DAUGHTER IS FILLING IN FOR HER?
YEAH! I DIDN'T EVEN KNOW BEAZLY HAD A DAUGHTER!
I GUESS WE DON'T KNOW MUCH ABOUT OUR SCHOOL COOK'S PERSONAL LIFE!


CAN YOU IMAGINE WHAT BEAZLY'S DAUGHTER MUST LOOK LIKE? :SNICKER!:
HEY, CHECK OUT THE CROWD! I WONDER WHAT'S GOING ON?
C'MON! LET'S GET SECONDS!
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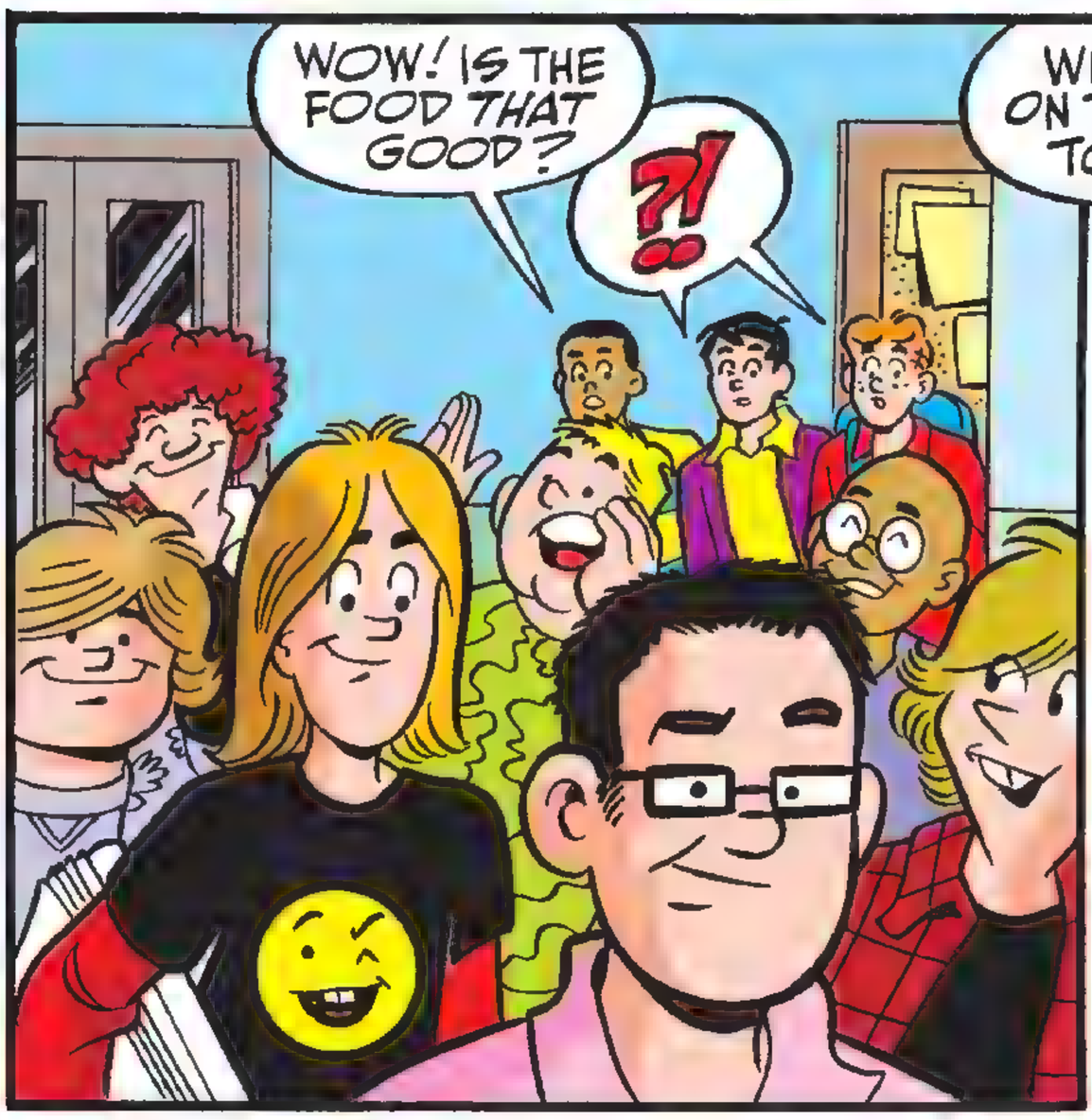

WOW! IS THE FOOD THAT GOOD?
?!

WHAT'S ON THE MENU TODAY?
I DON'T KNOW... I HAVEN'T EATEN YET!

IF YOU HAVEN'T TRIED THE FOOD YET, THEN WHAT'S THE BIG DEAL?
HEY, MAN... WHO CARES ABOUT THE FOOD?!
WE JUST WANT ANOTHER LOOK AT HER!

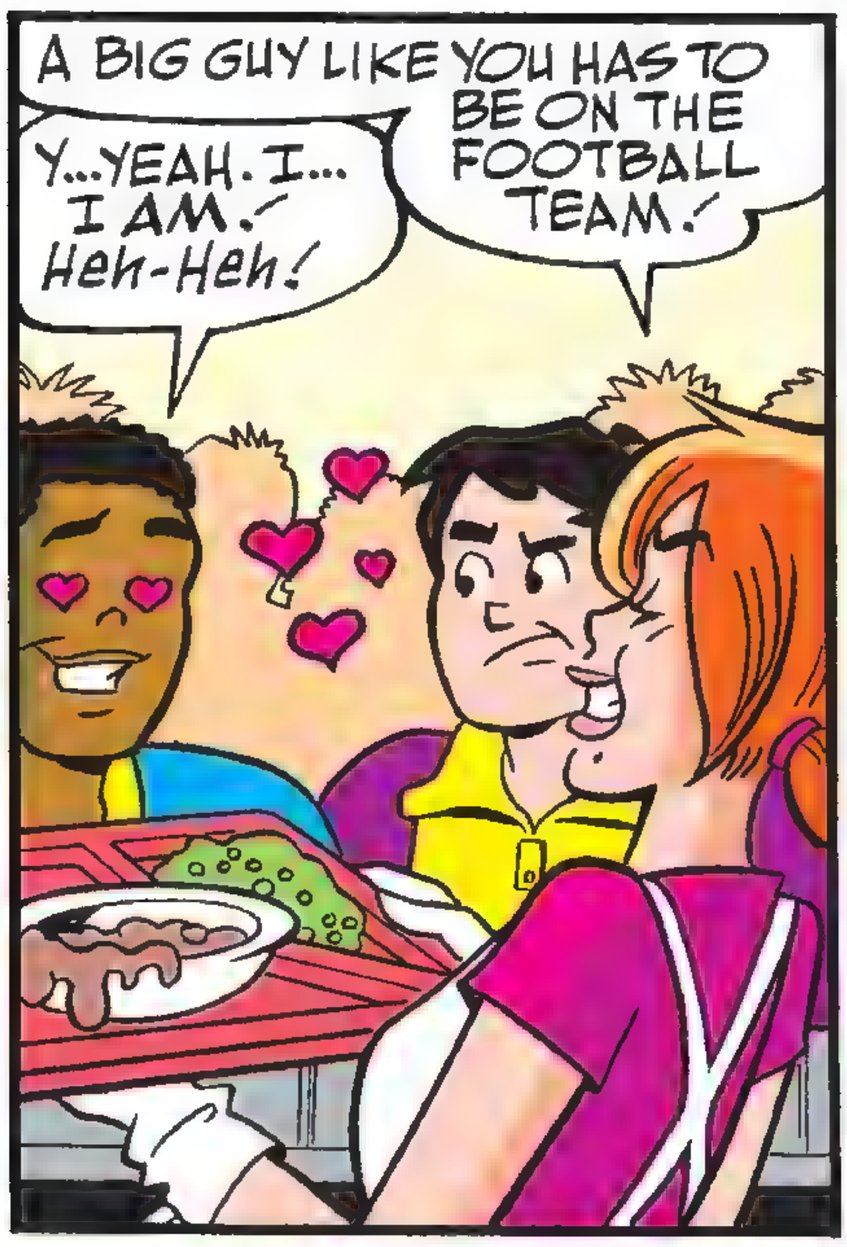
THERE SHE IS, MAN! MS. BEAZLY'S DAUGHTER, BELLA!

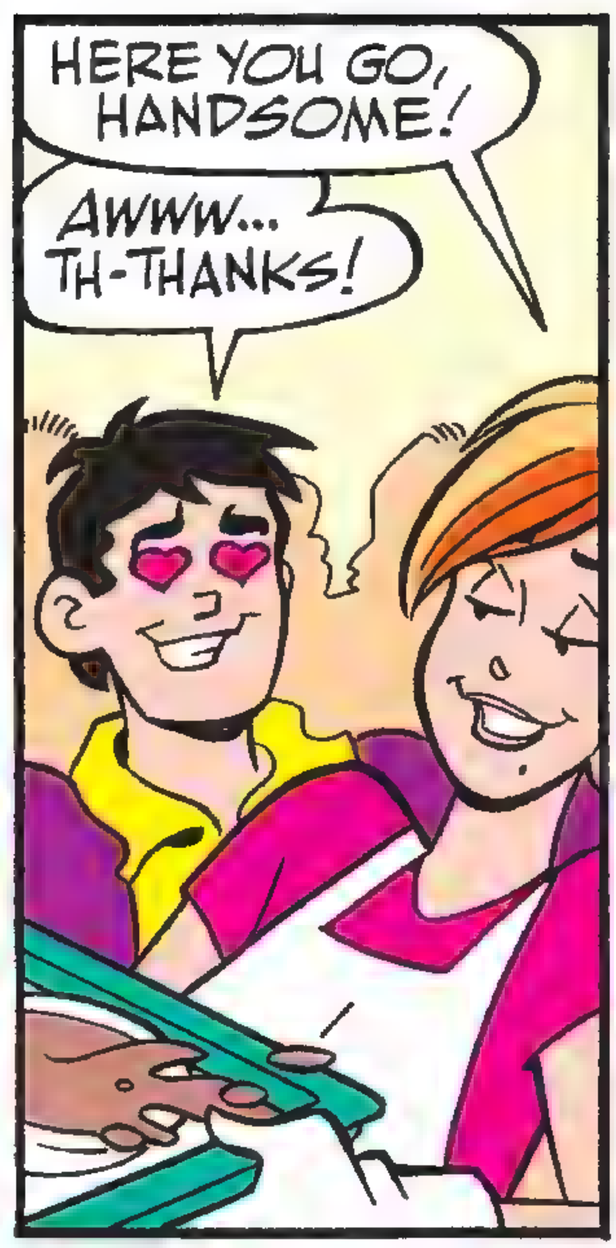
THAT'S MS. BEAZLY'S DAUGHTER?!

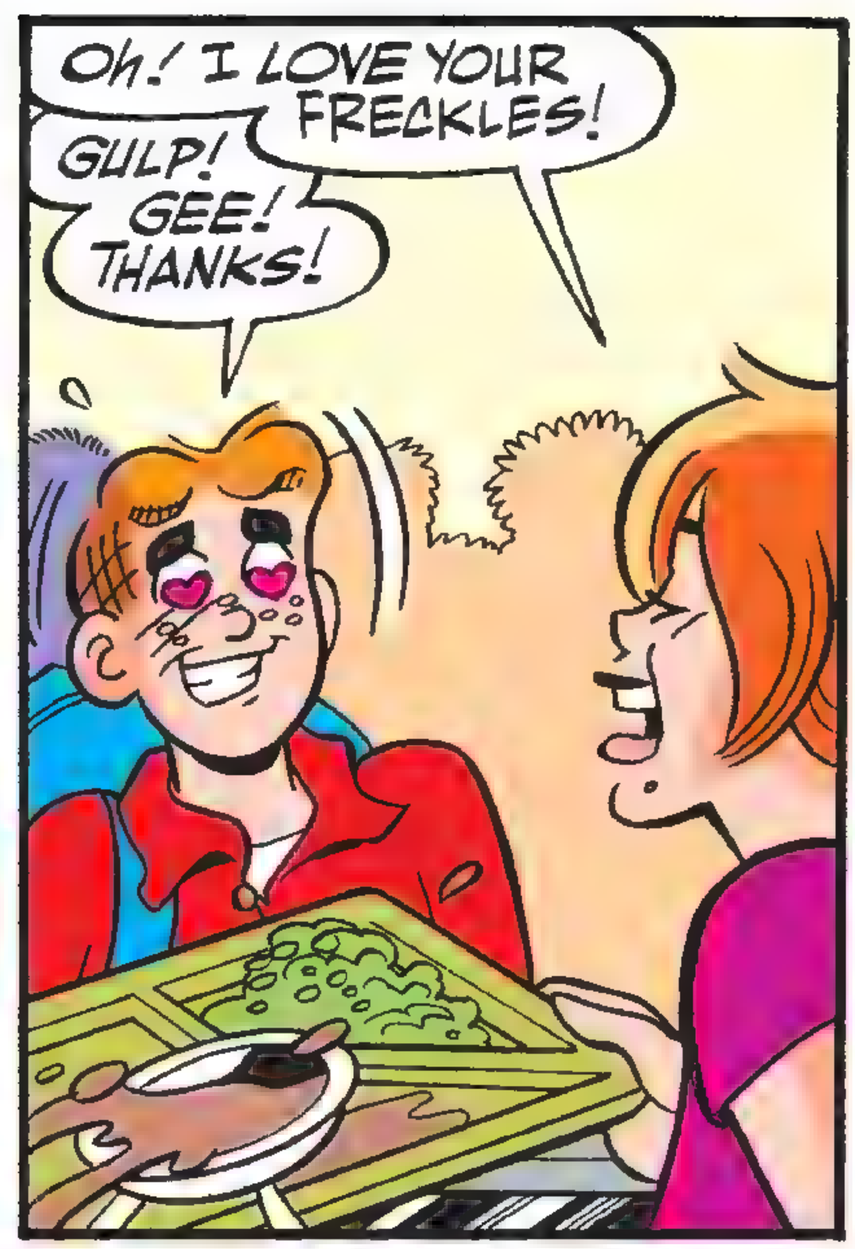
WOW! WHATTA HOTTIE!

YEAH! HOW IN THE WORLD COULD SHE BE BEAZLY'S DAUGHTER?

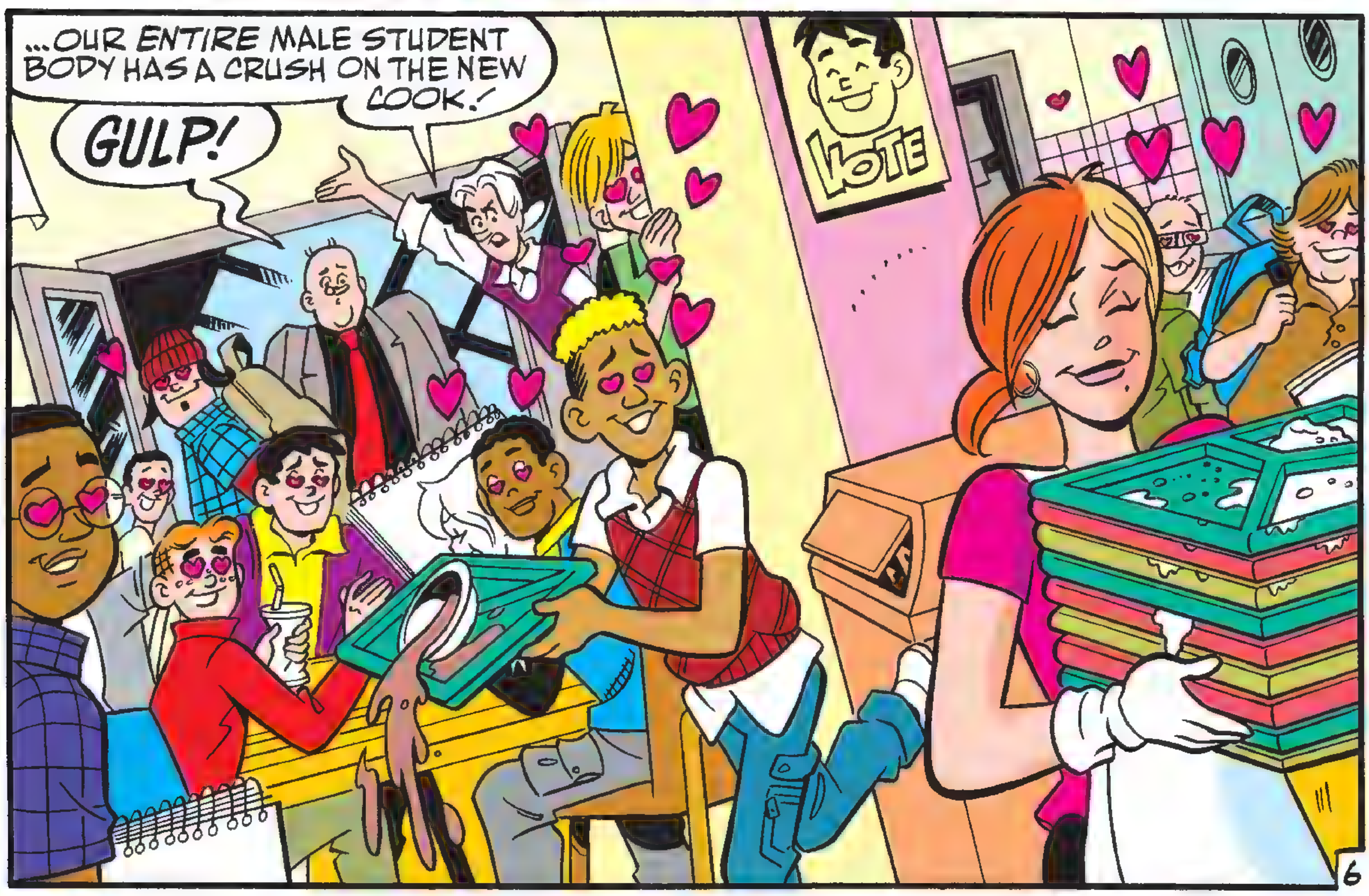
HI, GUYS... I'M BELLA BEAZLY. I'LL BE FILLING IN FOR MY MOM.

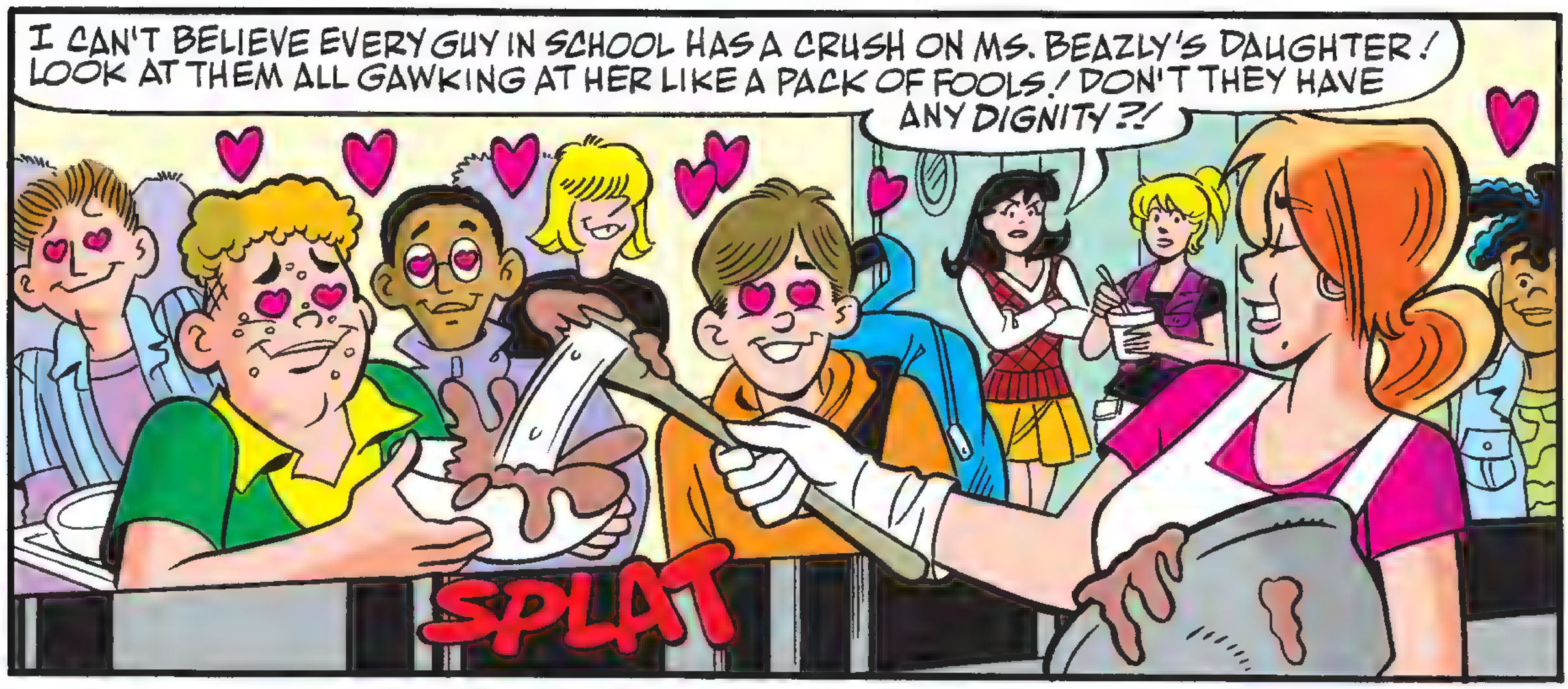

A BIG GUY LIKE YOU HAS TO BE ON THE FOOTBALL TEAM!
Y...YEAH. I... I AM! Heh-Heh!

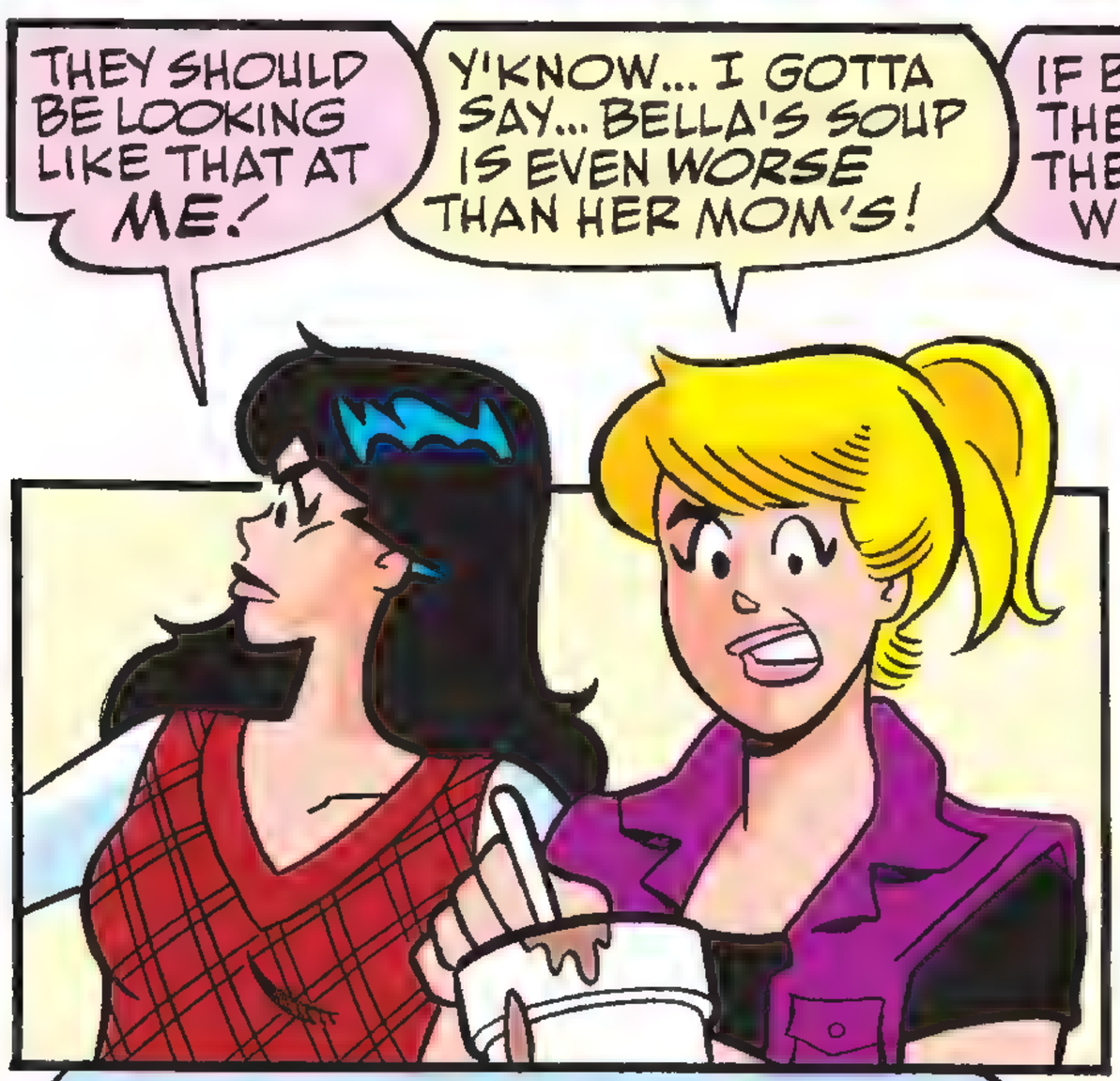

HERE YOU GO, HANDSOME!
AWWW... TH-THANKS!


Oh! I LOVE YOUR FRECKLES!
GULP! GEE! THANKS!

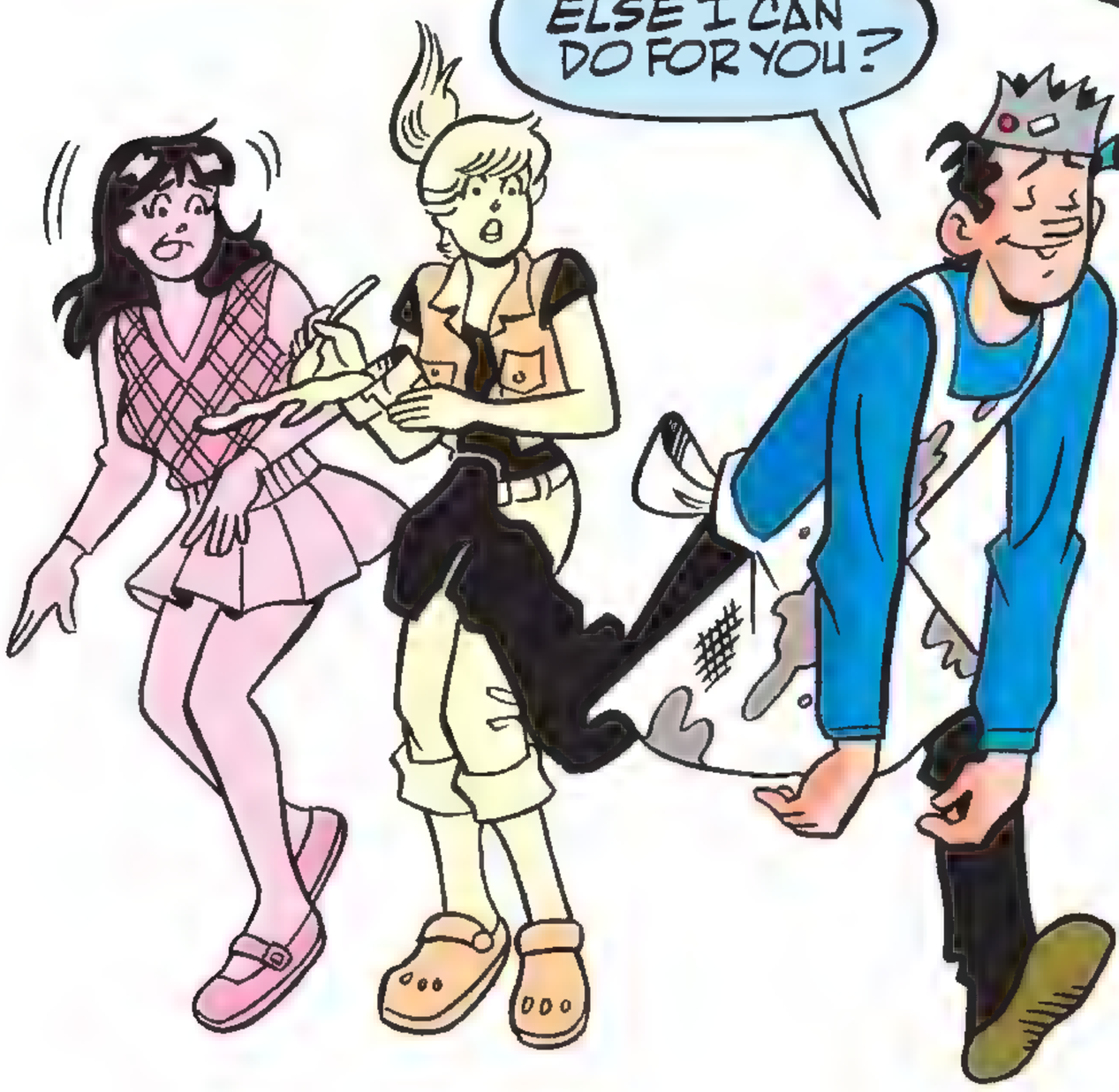
WELL, I'M GLAD THE CHANGE IN CHEFS HASN'T UPSET BUSINESS IN THE CAFETERIA. IN FACT, THE OL' GALLEY LOOKS BUSIER THAN EVER!
OF COURSE IT DOES...


...OUR ENTIRE MALE STUDENT BODY HAS A CRUSH ON THE NEW COOK!
GULP!
VOTE

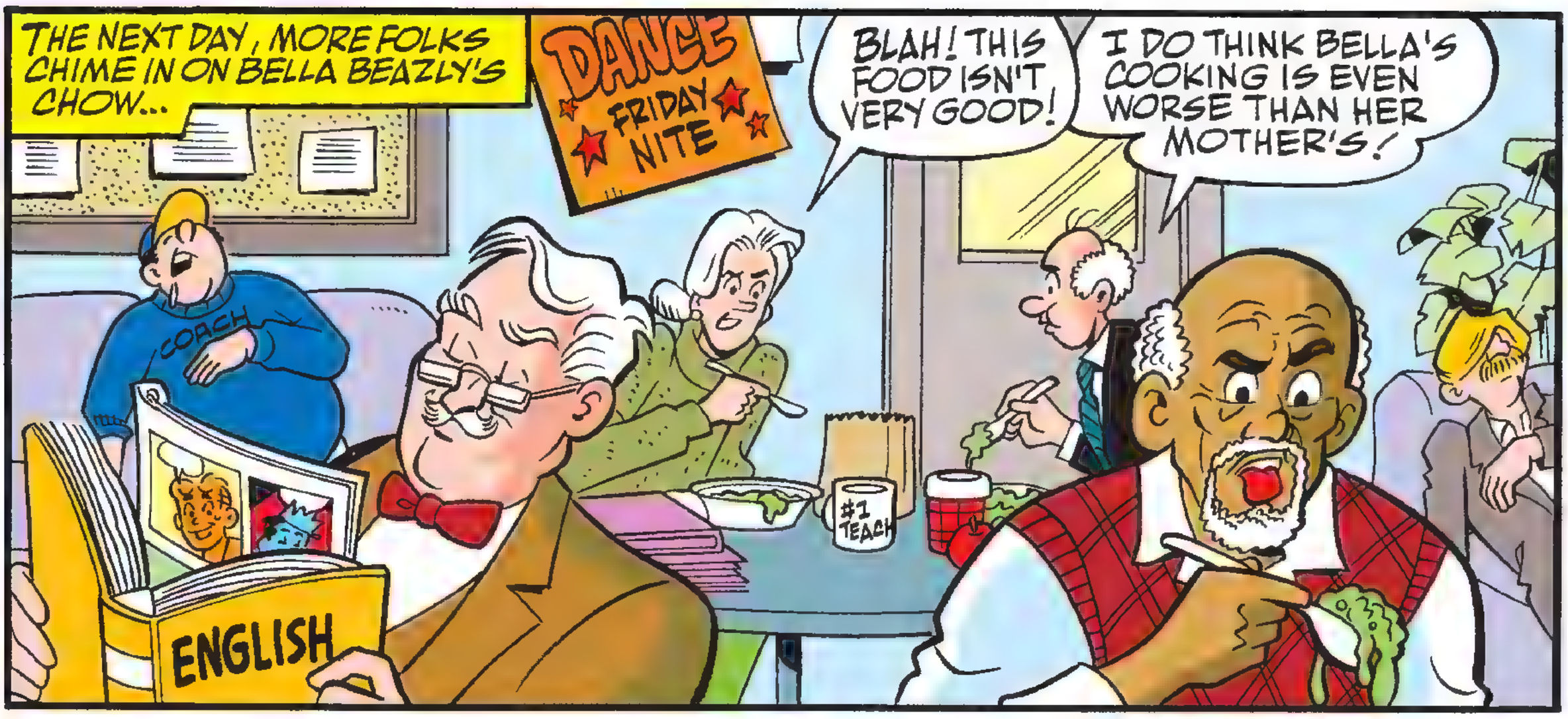

I CAN'T BELIEVE EVERY GUY IN SCHOOL HAS A CRUSH ON MS. BEAZLY'S DAUGHTER! LOOK AT THEM ALL GAWKING AT HER LIKE A PACK OF FOOLS! DON'T THEY HAVE ANY DIGNITY?!
SPLAT


THEY SHOULD BE LOOKING LIKE THAT AT ME!
Y'KNOW... I GOTTA SAY... BELLA'S SOUP IS EVEN WORSE THAN HER MOM'S!

IF BELLA HANGS AROUND, THERE WON'T BE A GUY IN THE WHOLE SCHOOL WHO WILL NOTICE US!
I KNOW A GUY WHO'S IMMUNE TO BELLA'S BEAUTY-- JUGHEAD!

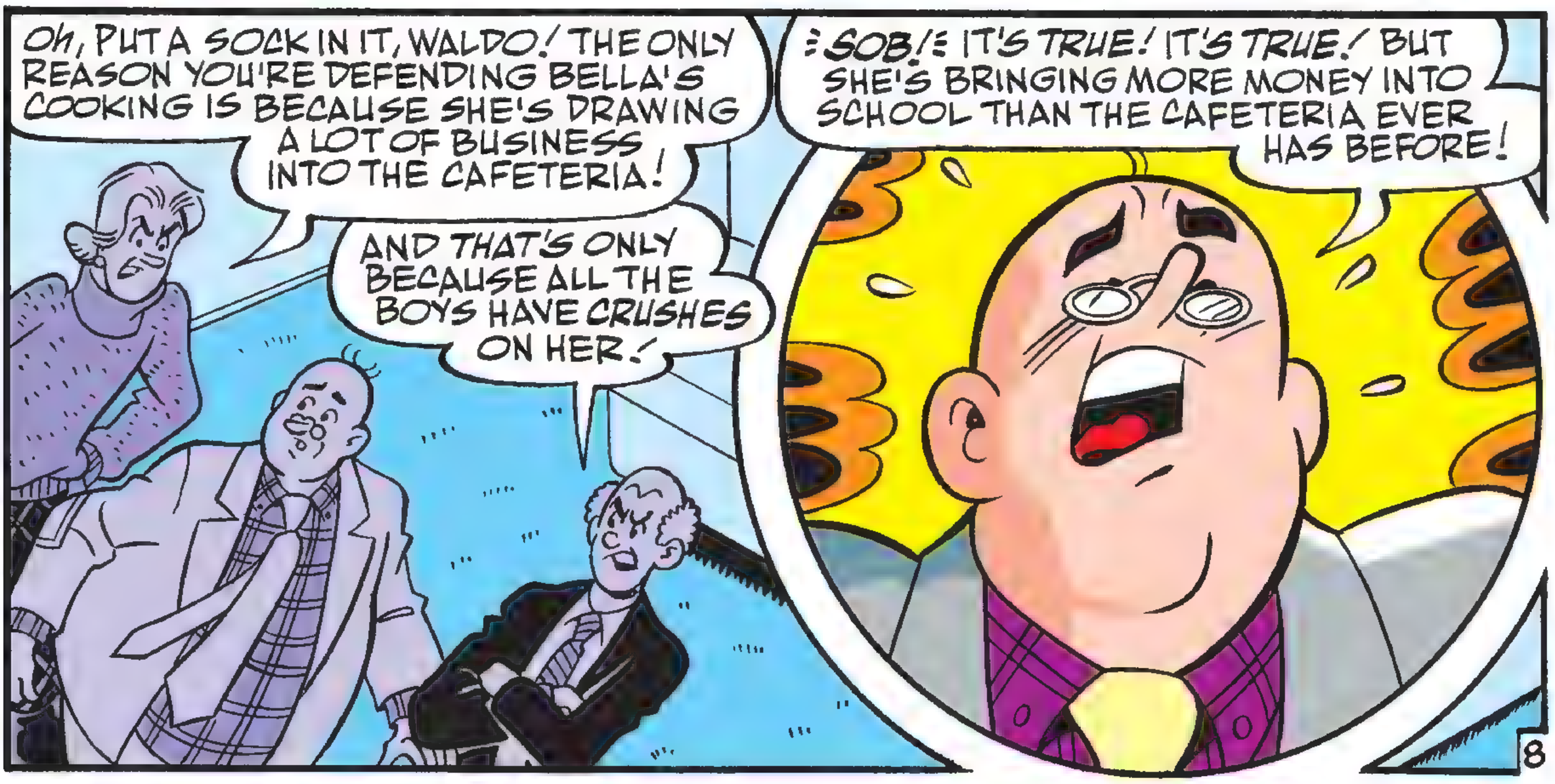

I FINISHED TAKING OUT THE GARBAGE, MISS BEAZLY. IS THERE ANYTHING ELSE I CAN DO FOR YOU?

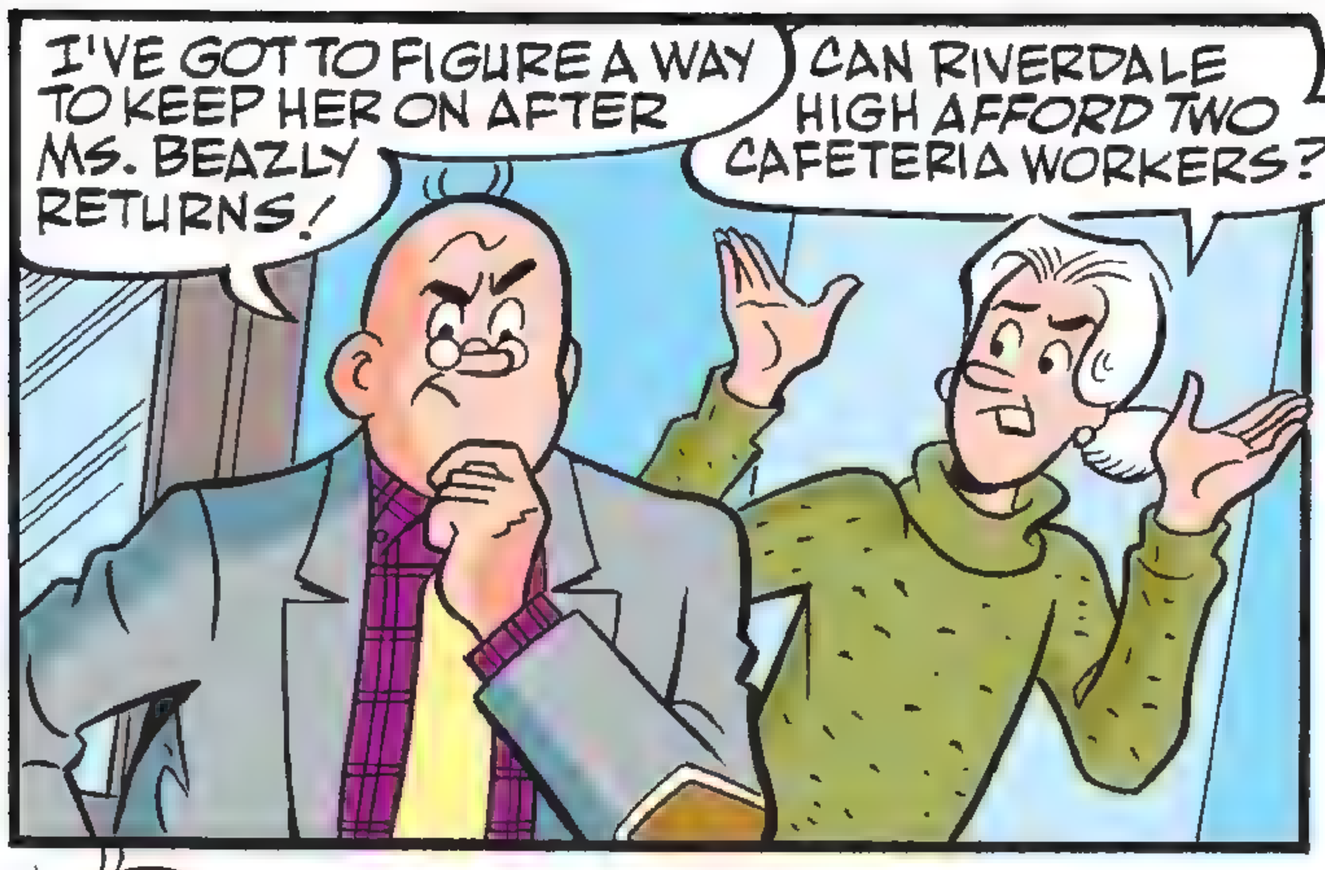
OH, THANK YOU, JUGGIE! YOU'RE SUCH A SWEETIE!


THE NEXT DAY, MORE FOLKS CHIME IN ON BELLA BEAZLY'S CHOW...
DANCE FRIDAY NITE
BLAH! THIS FOOD ISN'T VERY GOOD!
I DO THINK BELLA'S COOKING IS EVEN WORSE THAN HER MOTHER'S!
COACH
ENGLISH
#1 TEACH

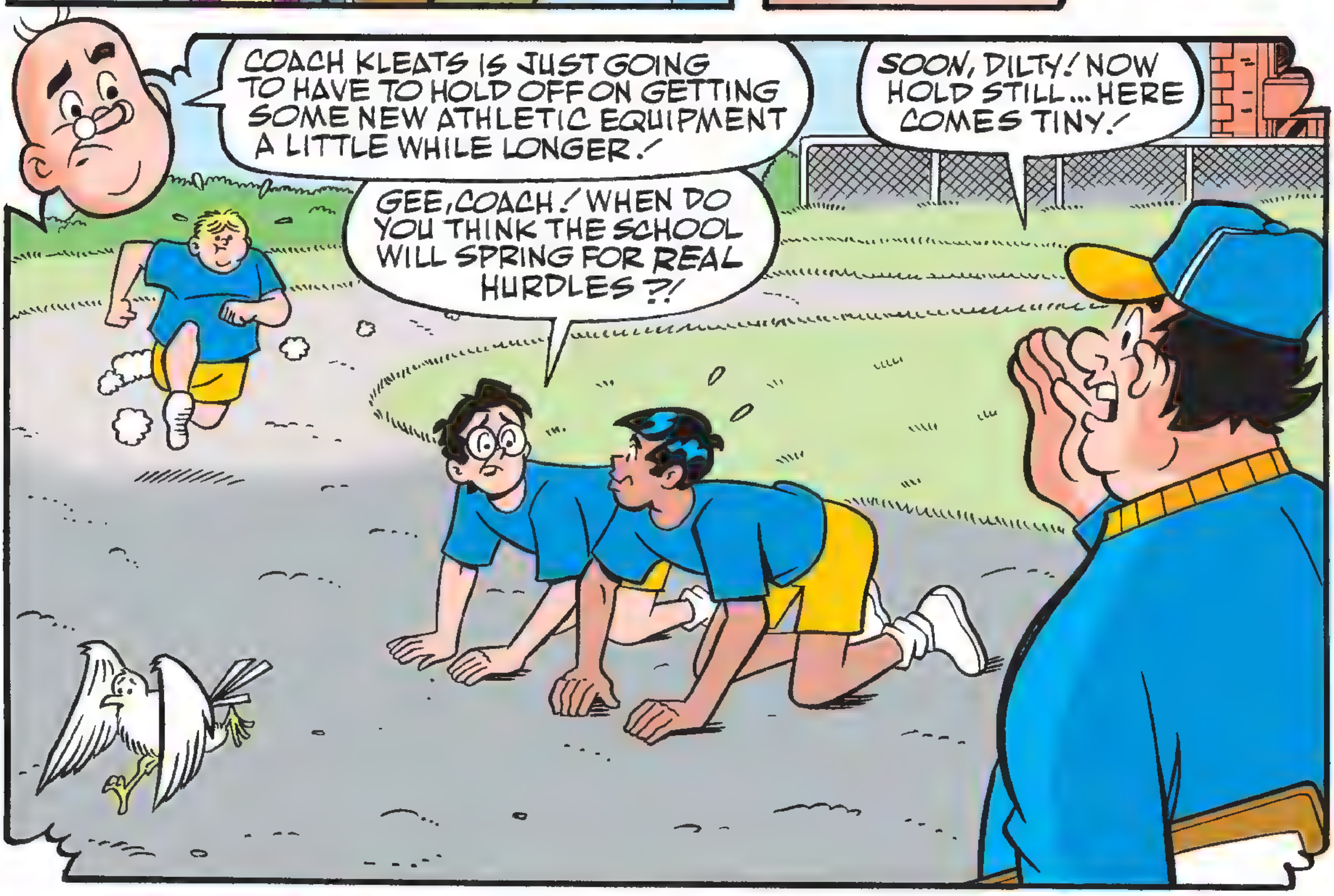
HEY! NOW SEE HERE... I WON'T HAVE THIS TALK ABOUT THIS YOUNG WOMAN'S COOKING! I HAPPEN TO LOVE IT!

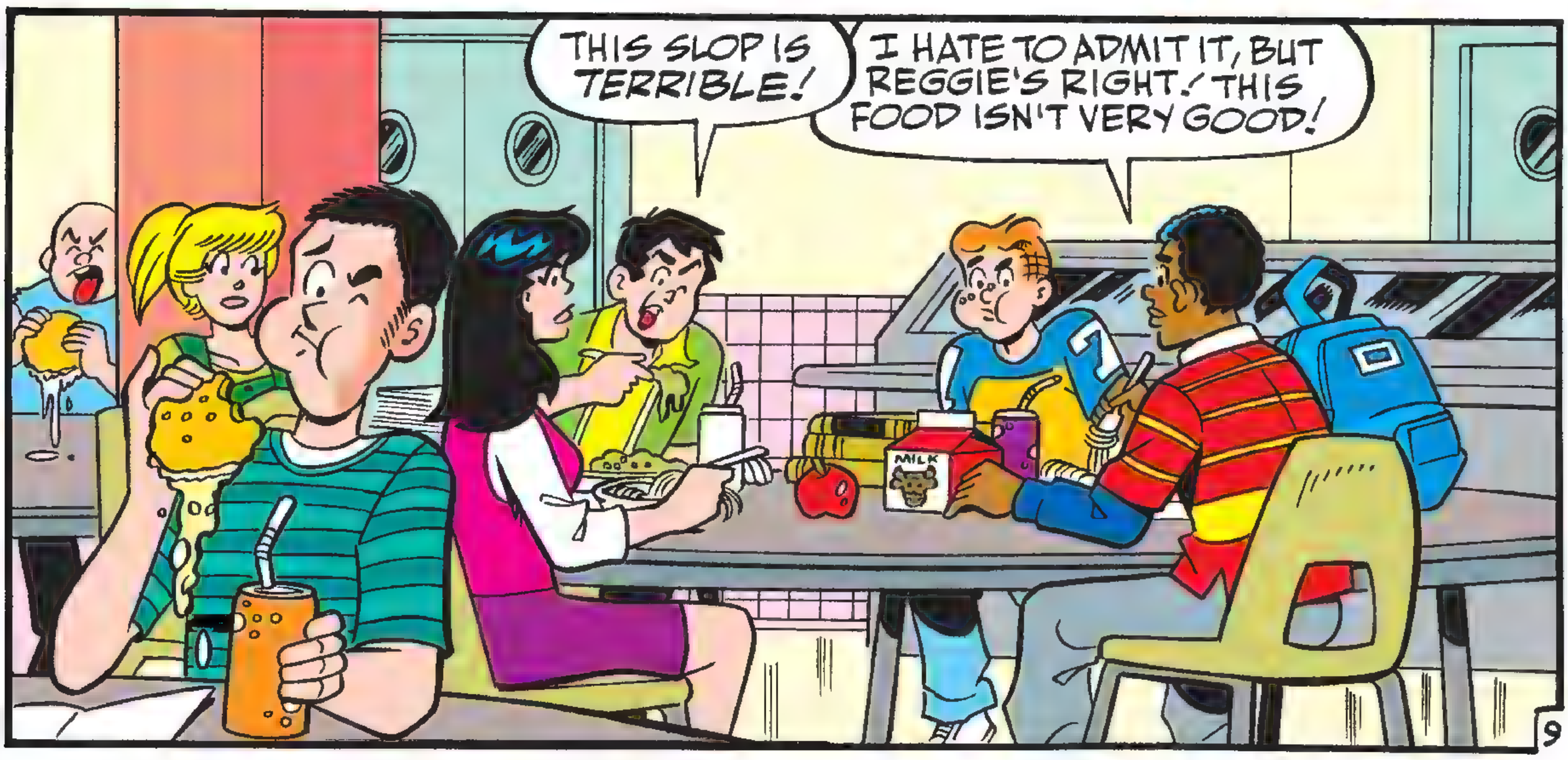
IS THAT WHY YOU BROUGHT YOUR OWN LUNCH TODAY?
ER... I JUST WANTED TO MAKE SURE THE CAFETERIA DIDN'T RUN OUT OF FOOD FOR THE STUDENTS!
W. WEATHERBEE HANDS OFF!


OH, PUT A SOCK IN IT, WALDO! THE ONLY REASON YOU'RE DEFENDING BELLA'S COOKING IS BECAUSE SHE'S DRAWING A LOT OF BUSINESS INTO THE CAFETERIA!
AND THAT'S ONLY BECAUSE ALL THE BOYS HAVE CRUSHES ON HER!
:SOB!: IT'S TRUE! IT'S TRUE! BUT SHE'S BRINGING MORE MONEY INTO SCHOOL THAN THE CAFETERIA EVER HAS BEFORE!


I'VE GOT TO FIGURE A WAY TO KEEP HER ON AFTER MS. BEAZLY RETURNS!
CAN RIVERDALE HIGH AFFORD TWO CAFETERIA WORKERS?

I THINK WE CAN DO IT!
I'M JUST GONNA HAVE TO JUGGLE THE SCHOOL BUDGET A BIT...

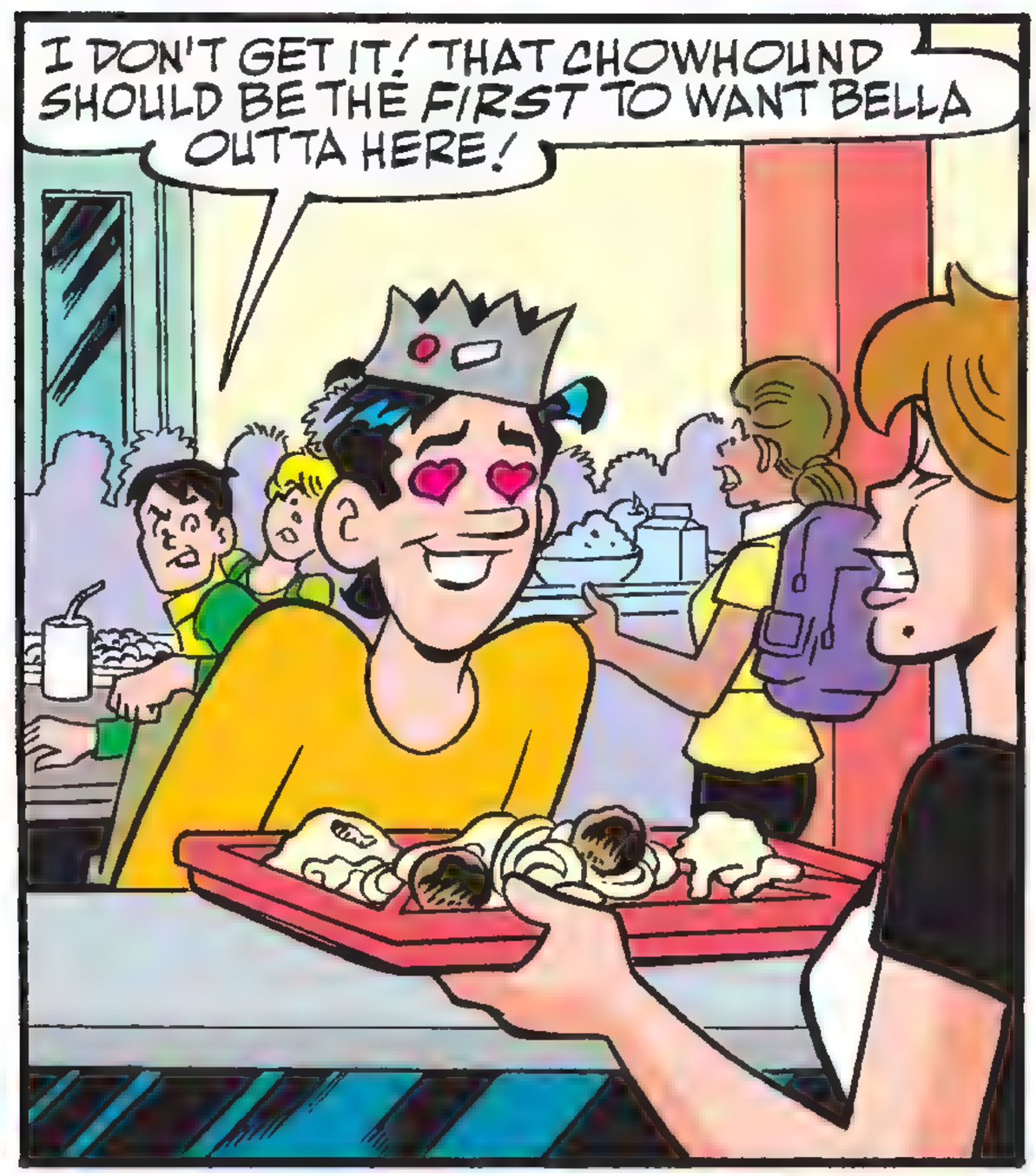

COACH KLEATS IS JUST GOING TO HAVE TO HOLD OFF ON GETTING SOME NEW ATHLETIC EQUIPMENT A LITTLE WHILE LONGER!
SOON, DILTY! NOW HOLD STILL... HERE COMES TINY!
GEE, COACH! WHEN DO YOU THINK THE SCHOOL WILL SPRING FOR REAL HURDLES?!

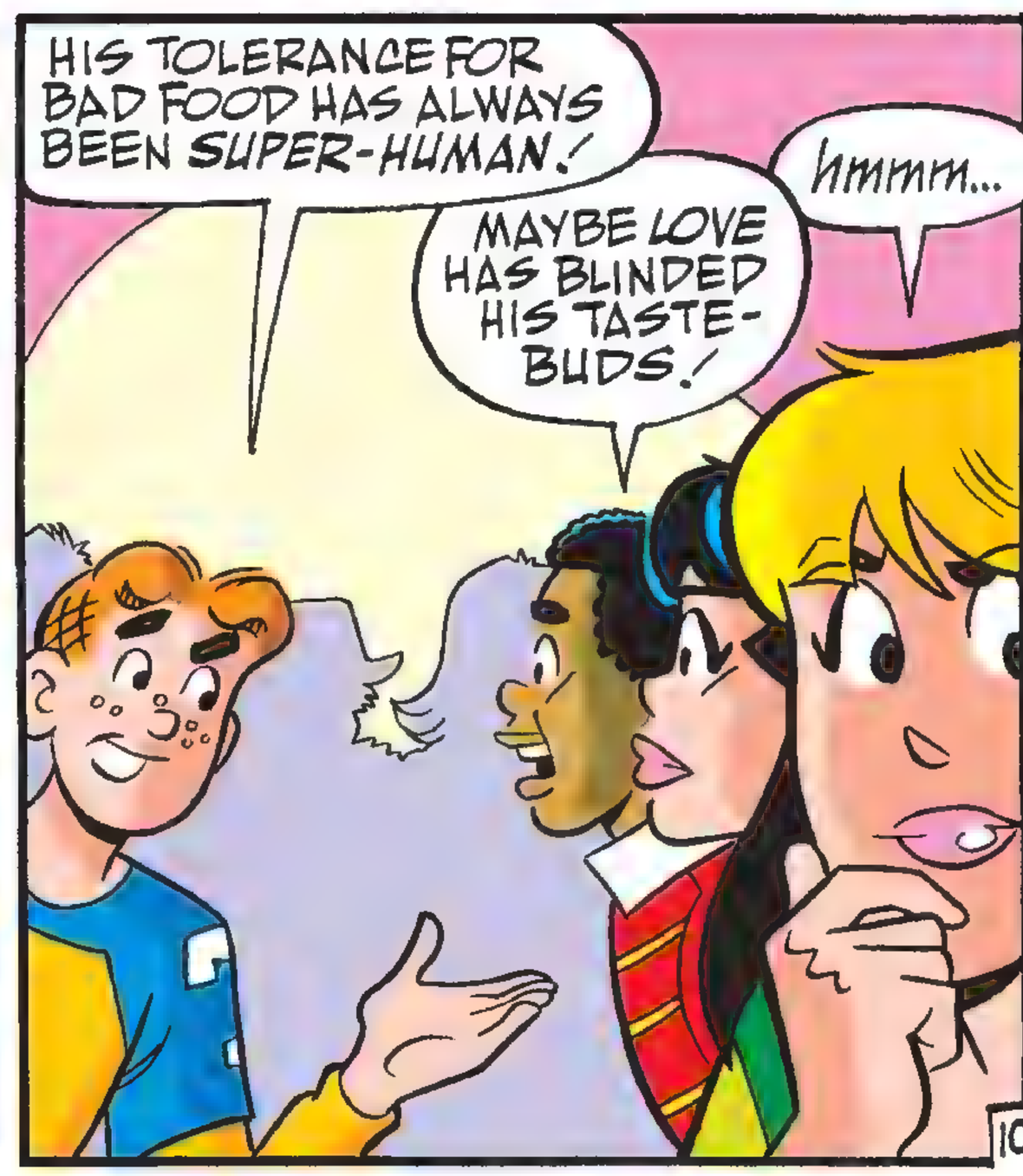

THIS SLOP IS TERRIBLE!
I HATE TO ADMIT IT, BUT REGGIE'S RIGHT! THIS FOOD ISN'T VERY GOOD!
MILK

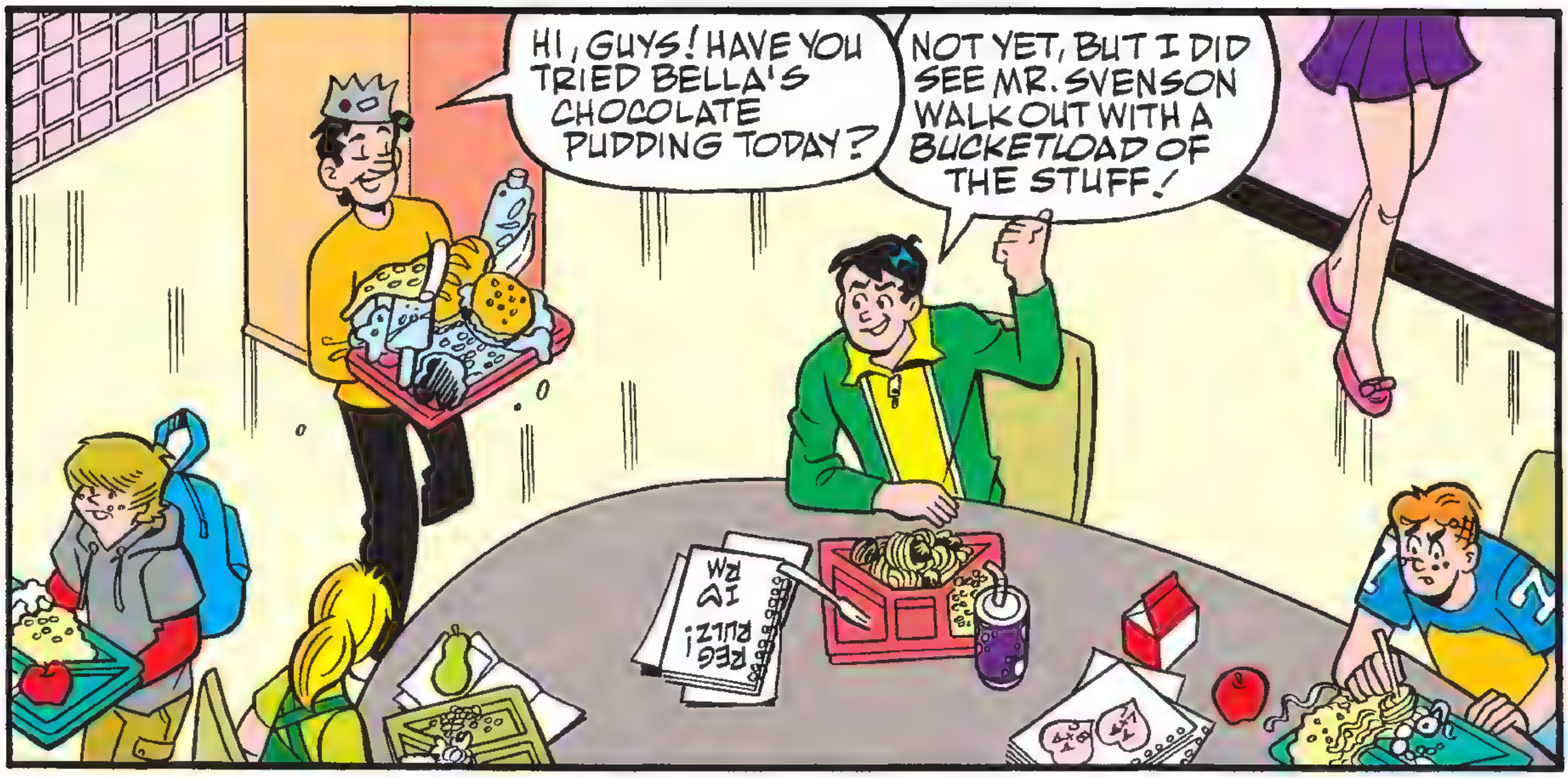
I THINK THIS IS EVEN WORSE THAN MS. BEAZLY'S STUFF!
HA! SEE?! ALL YOU GUYS WERE BLINDED BY BELLA'S LOOKS!

ALTHOUGH I CERTAINLY CAN UNDERSTAND HOW BEAUTY COULD'VE CLOUDED YOUR THINKING!
YEAH! VERONICA KNOWS ALL ABOUT CLOUDED THINKING!

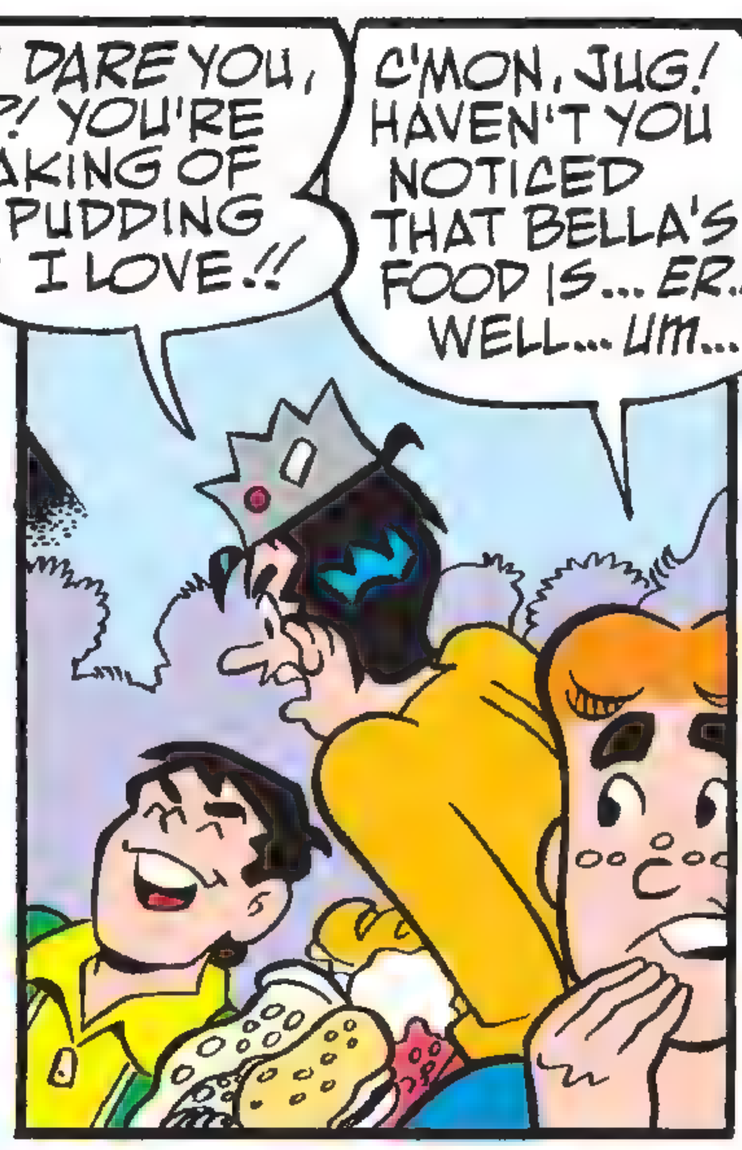
OOH! A ZING! I LOVE IT!!
LOOK! HERE COMES BELLA'S NUMBER ONE FAN NOW!

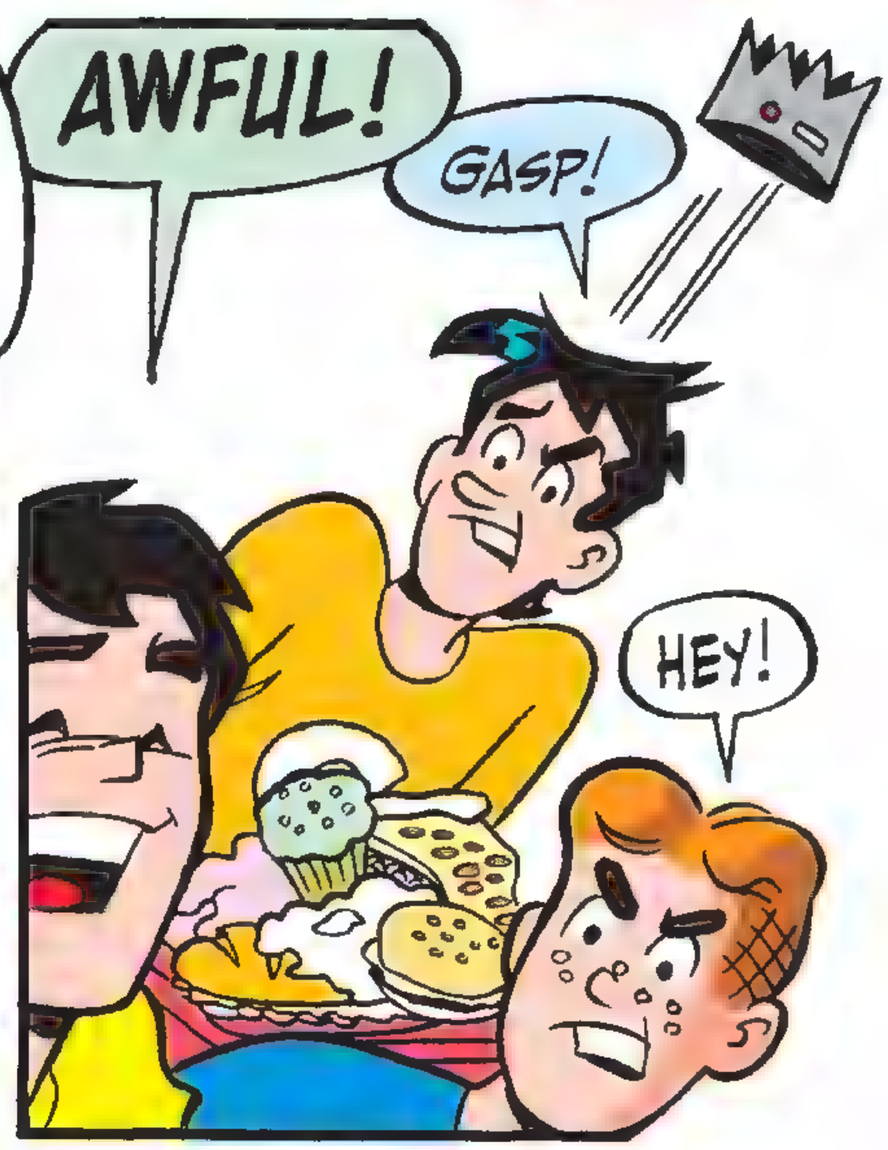

I DON'T GET IT! THAT CHOWHOUND SHOULD BE THE FIRST TO WANT BELLA OUTTA HERE!

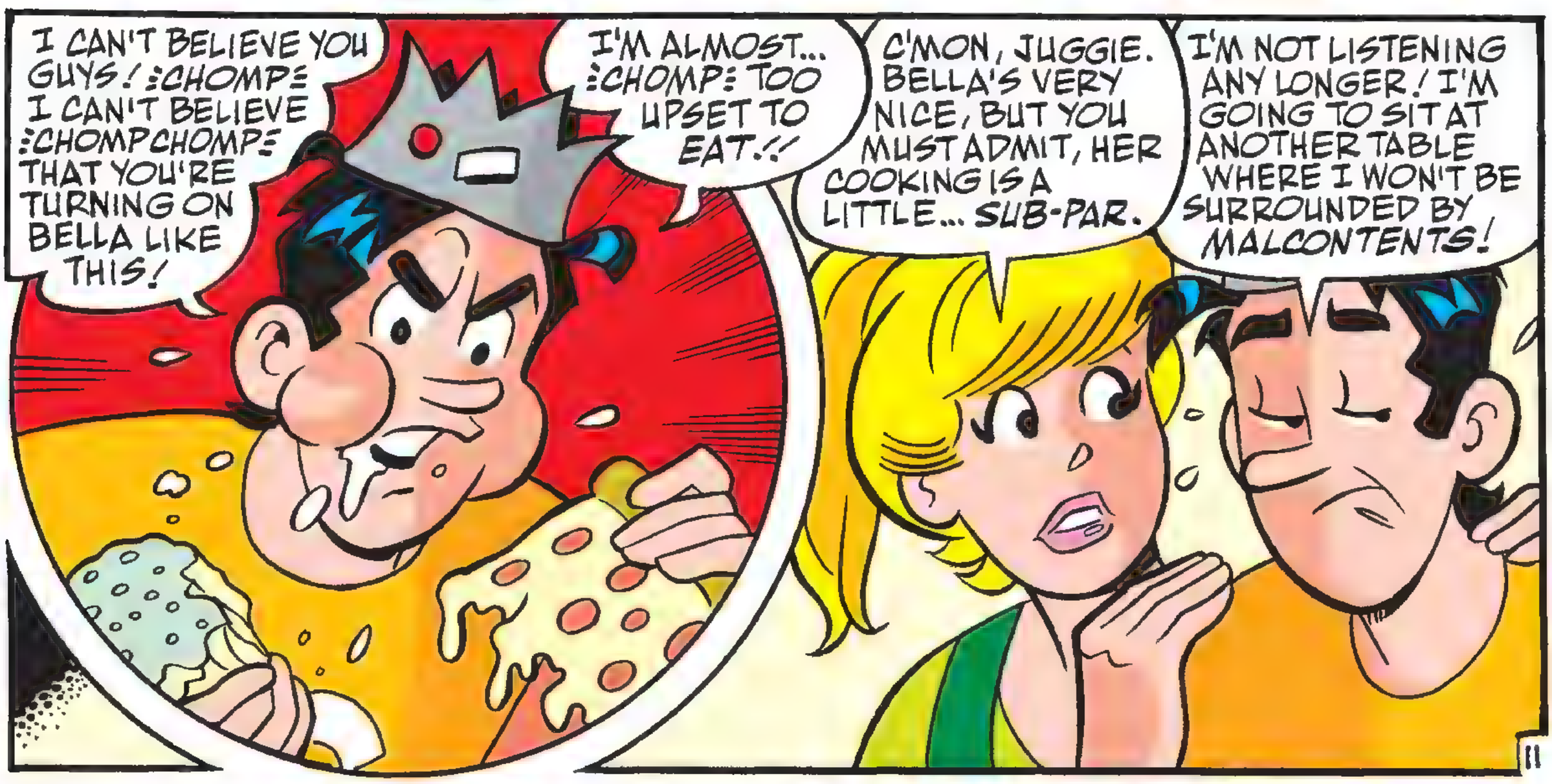

HIS TOLERANCE FOR BAD FOOD HAS ALWAYS BEEN SUPER-HUMAN!
MAYBE LOVE HAS BLINDED HIS TASTE-BUDS!
hmmm...

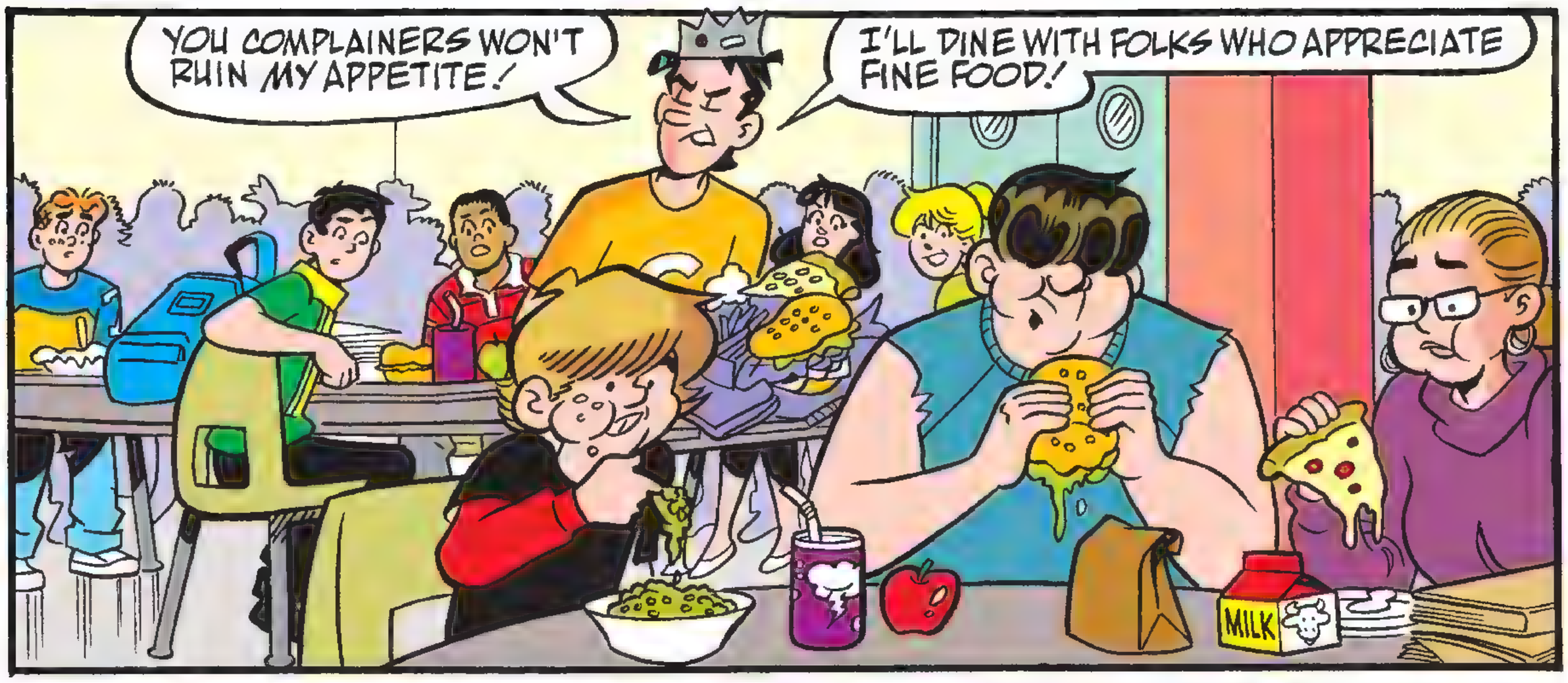

HI, GUYS! HAVE YOU TRIED BELLA'S CHOCOLATE PUDDING TODAY?
NOT YET, BUT I DID SEE MR. SVENSON WALK OUT WITH A BUCKETLOAD OF THE STUFF!

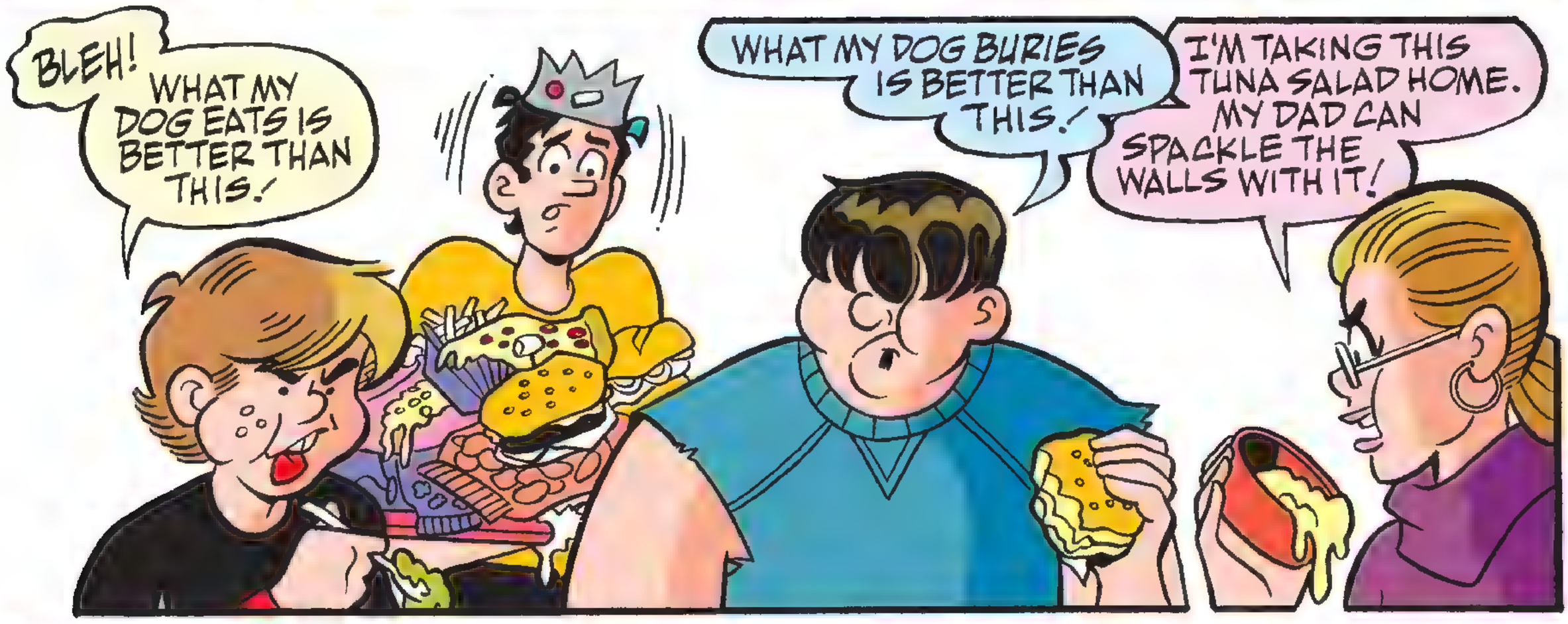
REALLY? HE MUST LOVE IT!
NAH! HE'S GONNA TAR THE ROOF WITH THAT SLOP!

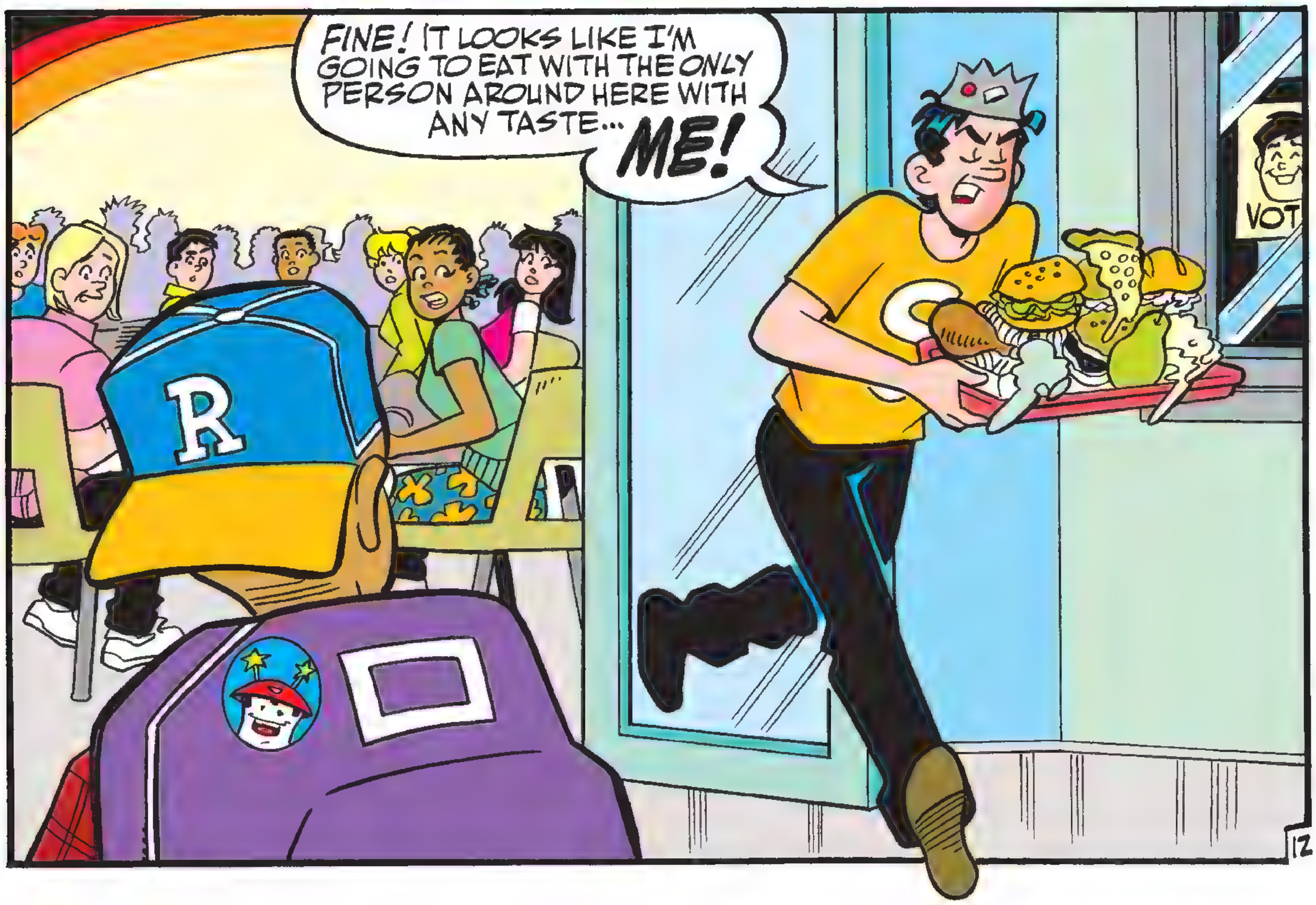

HOW DARE YOU, SIR?! YOU'RE SPEAKING OF THE PUDDING I LOVE!!
C'MON, JUG! HAVEN'T YOU NOTICED THAT BELLA'S FOOD IS... ER... WELL... UM...


AWFUL!
GASP!
HEY!

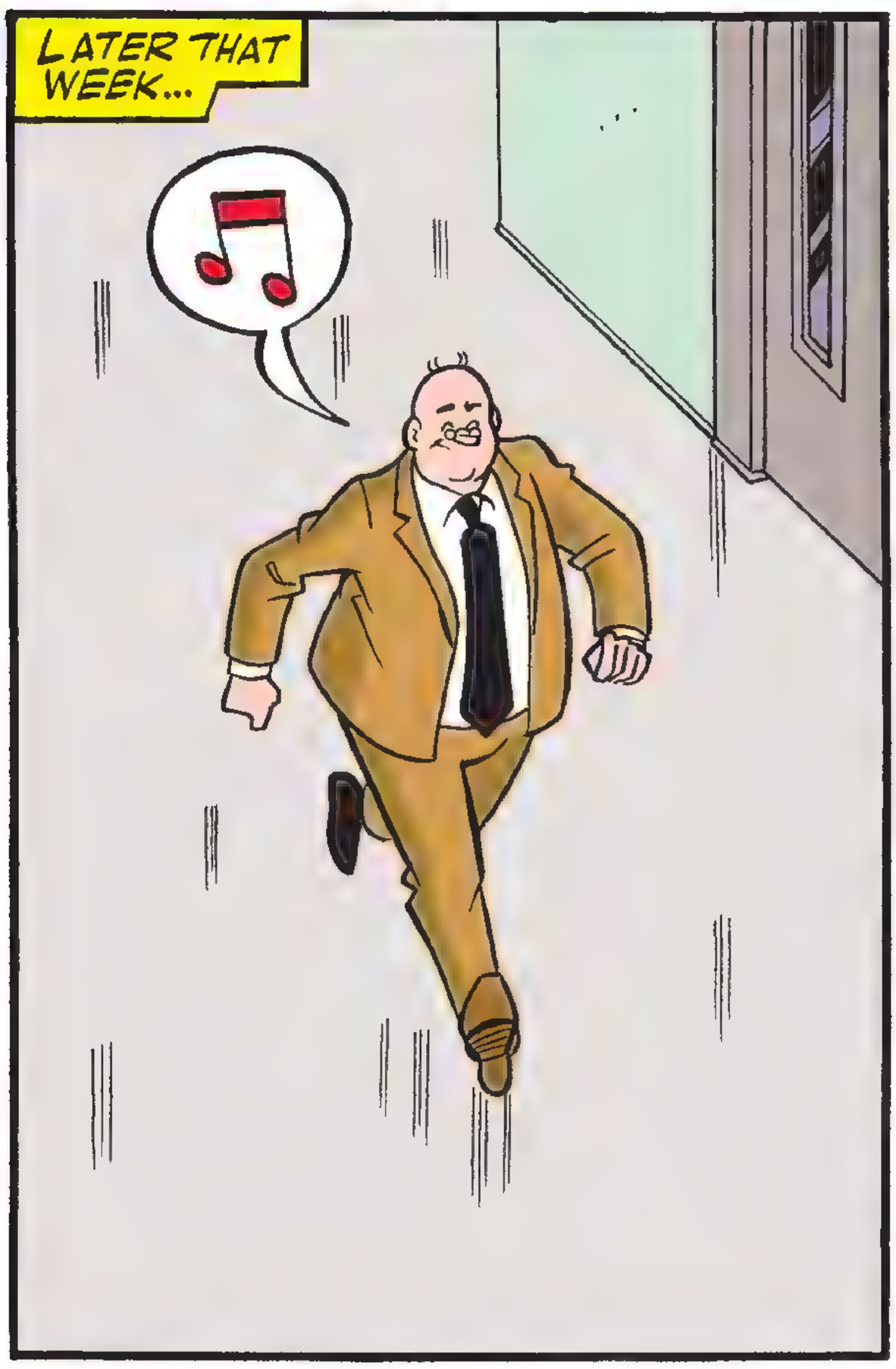

I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU GUYS! :CHOMP: I CAN'T BELIEVE :CHOMPCHOMP: THAT YOU'RE TURNING ON BELLA LIKE THIS!
I'M ALMOST... :CHOMP: TOO UPSET TO EAT!!
C'MON, JUGGIE. BELLA'S VERY NICE, BUT YOU MUST ADMIT, HER COOKING IS A LITTLE... SUB-PAR.
I'M NOT LISTENING ANY LONGER! I'M GOING TO SIT AT ANOTHER TABLE WHERE I WON'T BE SURROUNDED BY MALCONTENTS!

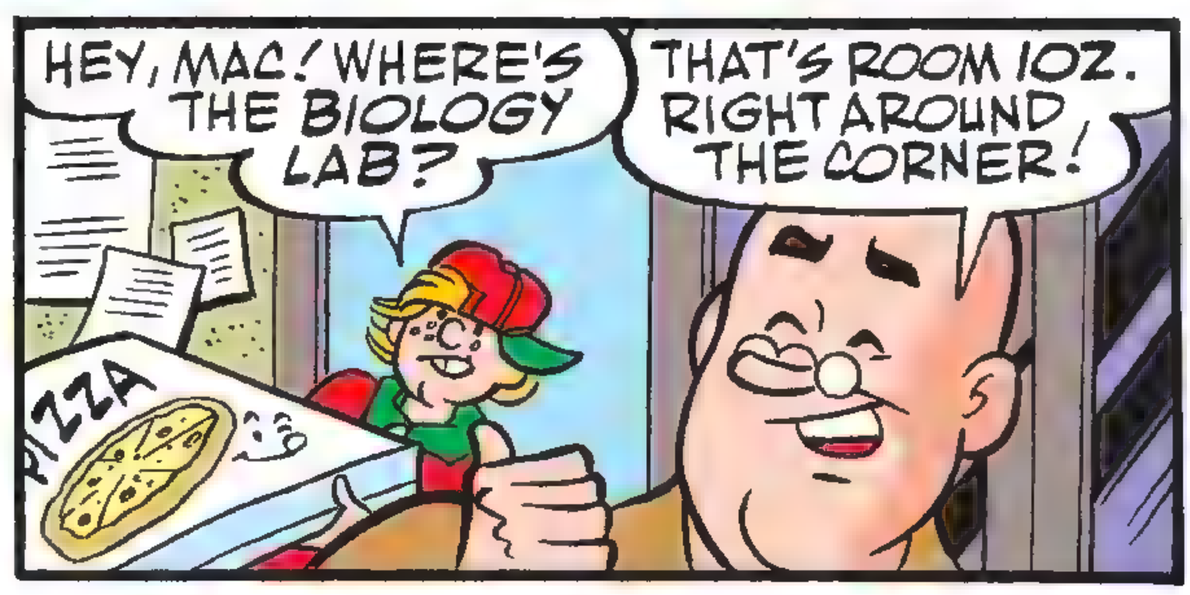

YOU COMPLAINERS WON'T RUIN MY APPETITE!
I'LL DINE WITH FOLKS WHO APPRECIATE FINE FOOD!
MILK

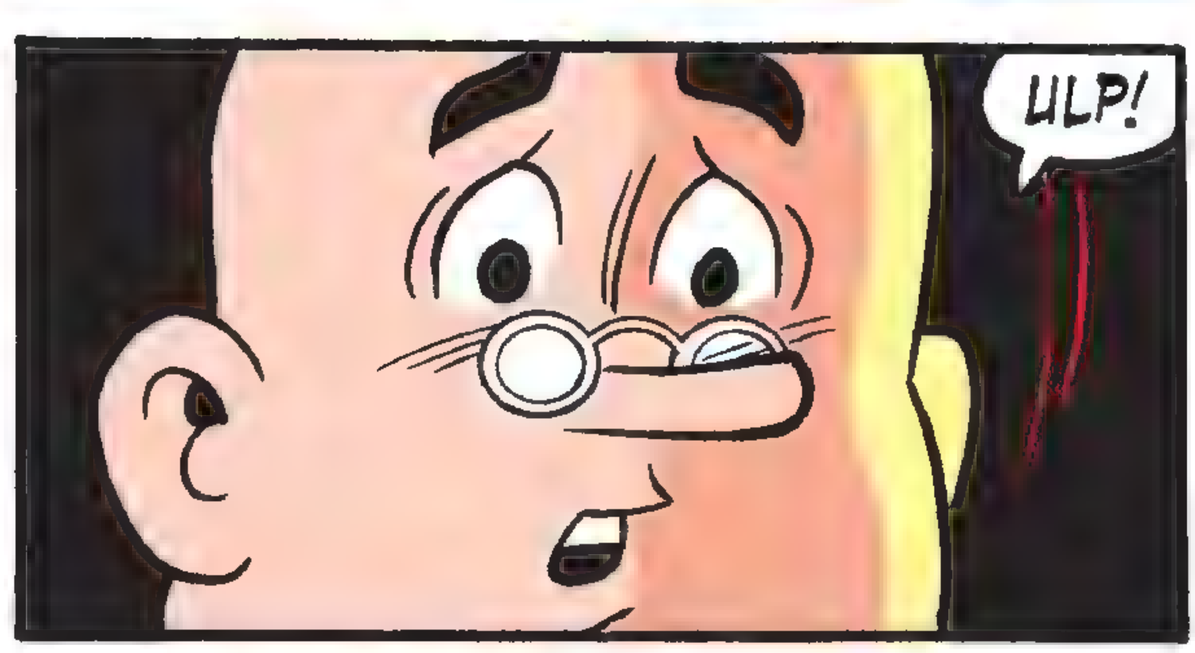

BLEH! WHAT MY DOG EATS IS BETTER THAN THIS!
WHAT MY DOG BURIES IS BETTER THAN THIS!
I'M TAKING THIS TUNA SALAD HOME. MY DAD CAN SPACKLE THE WALLS WITH IT!

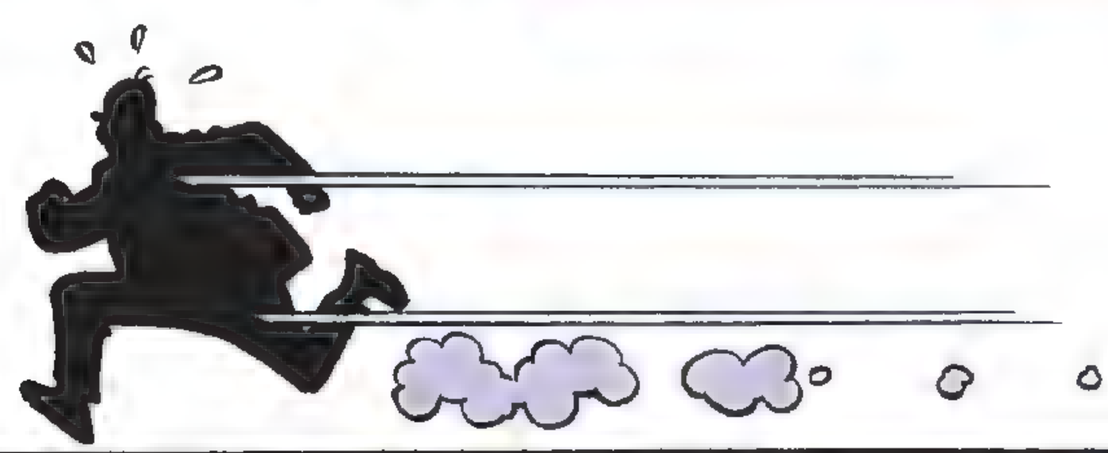

FINE! IT LOOKS LIKE I'M GOING TO EAT WITH THE ONLY PERSON AROUND HERE WITH ANY TASTE... ME!
R
VOT

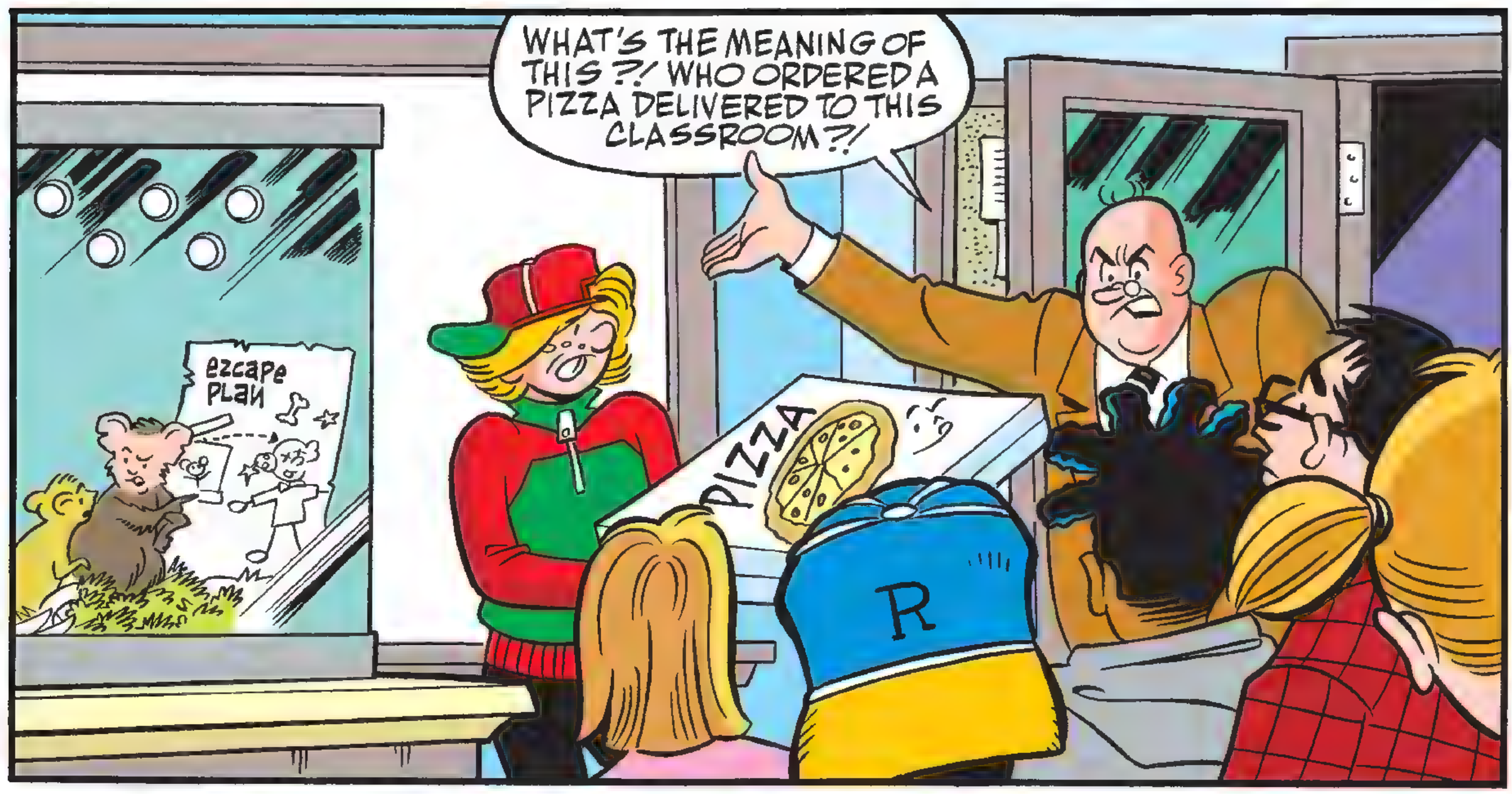
THAT BOY IS...
CRAZY?
I WAS GONNA SAY "IN LOVE", BUT I THINK I LIKE YOURS BETTER!
NO, CHUCK...YOU WERE RIGHT THE FIRST TIME. AND SINCE LOVE IS BLIND, I THINK I HAVE AN IDEA!










WHAT'S THE MEANING OF THIS ?! WHO ORDERED A PIZZA DELIVERED TO THIS CLASSROOM ?!
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PIZZA
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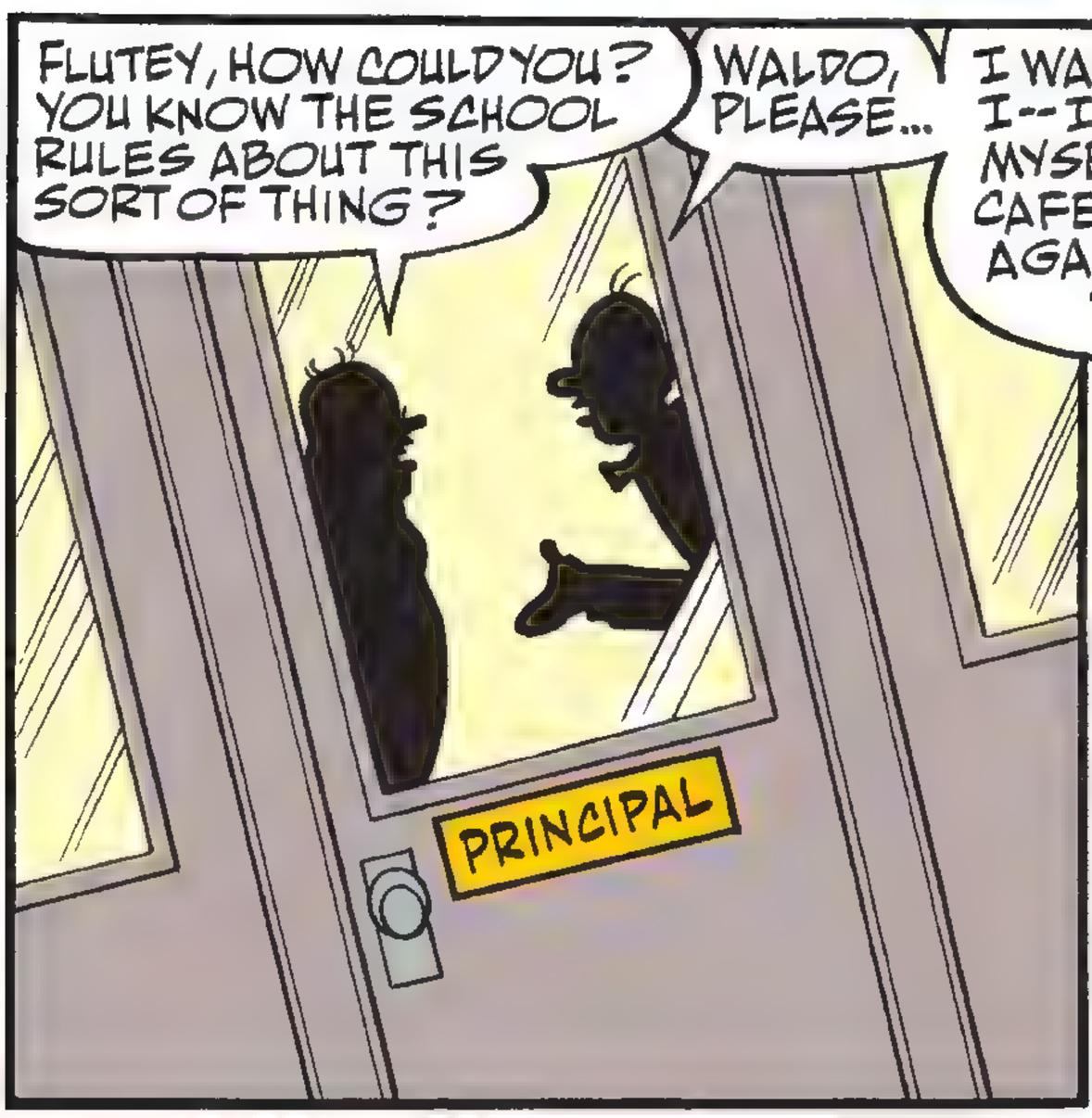
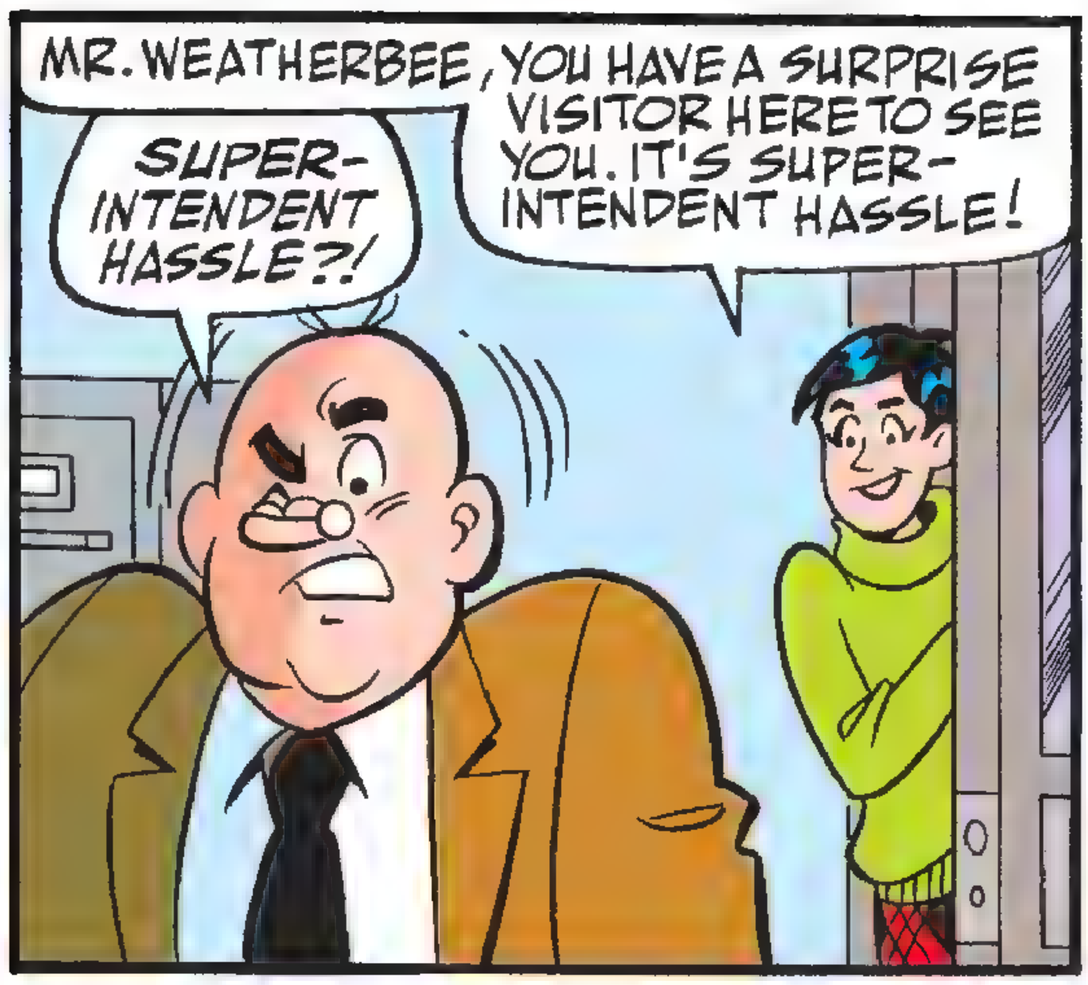
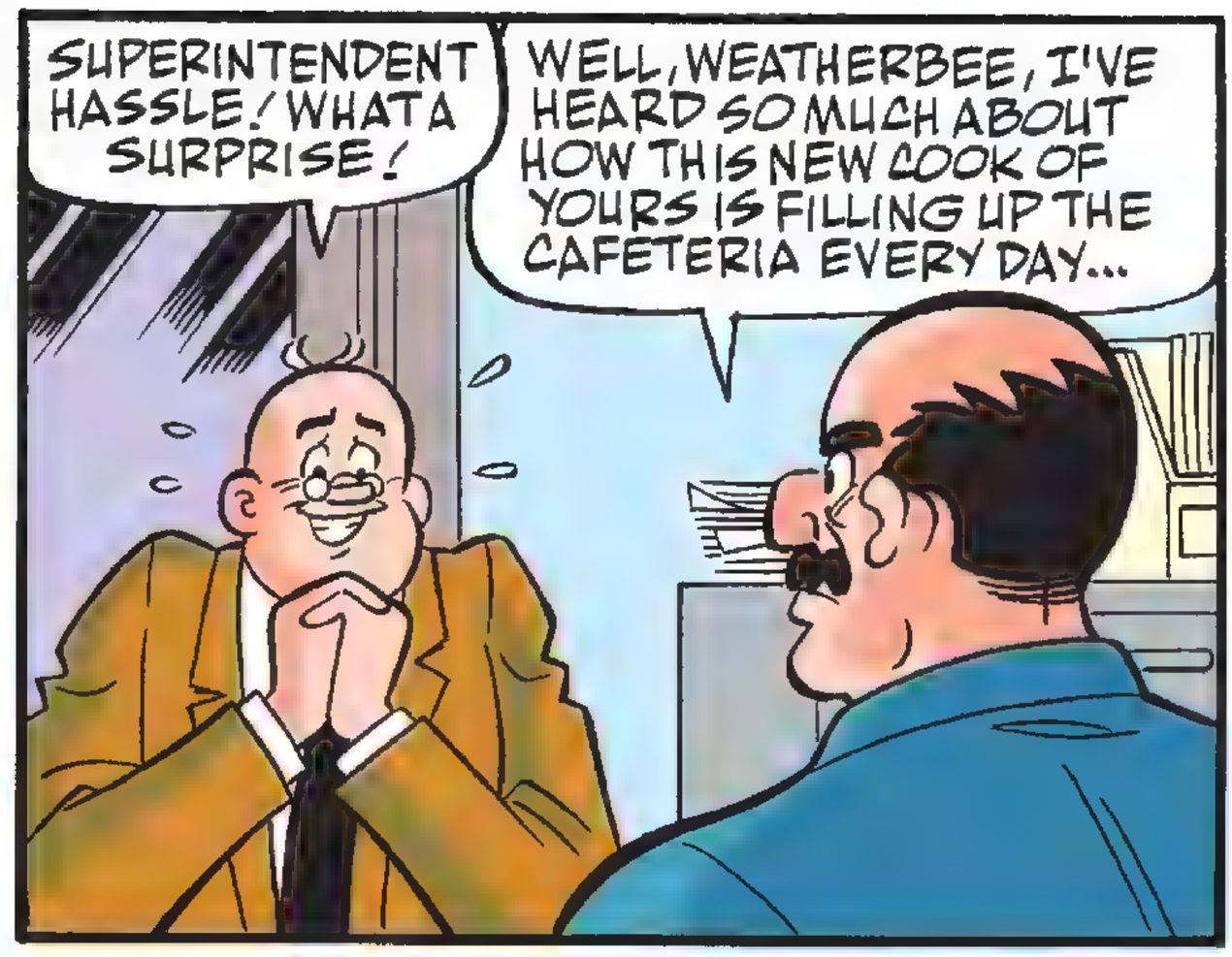
Ahem!

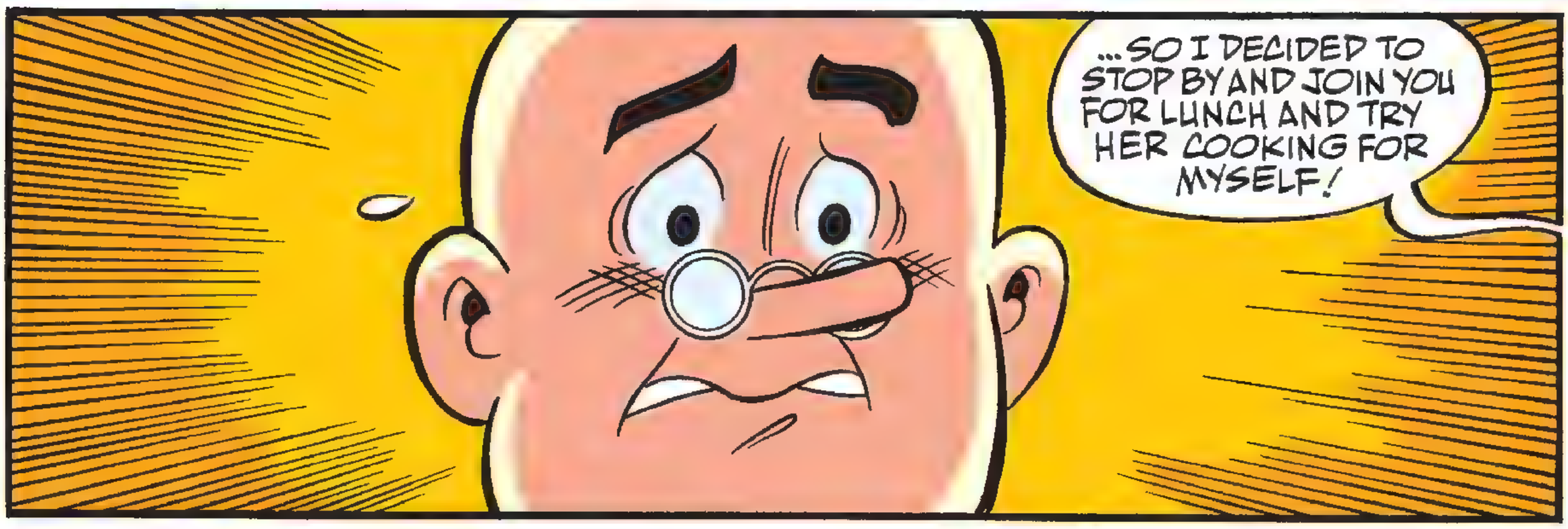
DO YOU HAVE CHANGE FOR A TWENTY ?
PIZZA

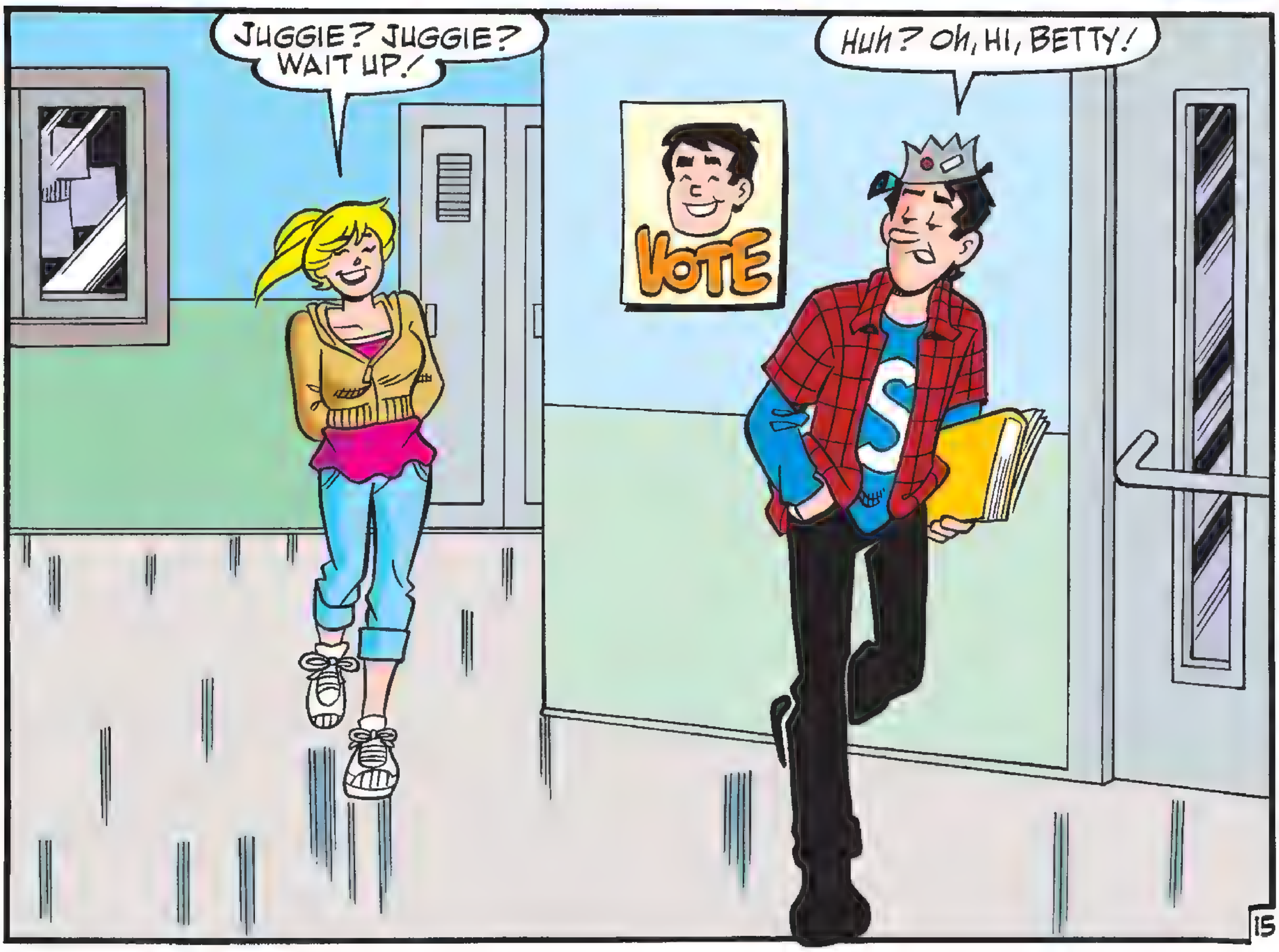

FLUTEY, HOW COULD YOU? YOU KNOW THE SCHOOL RULES ABOUT THIS SORT OF THING ?
WALDO, PLEASE...
PRINCIPAL

I WAS DESPERATE! I--I COULDN'T BRING MYSELF TO EAT THAT CAFETERIA FOOD AGAIN! IT'S JUST TERRIBLE!
:SIGH!: IT'S TRUE. I WOULDN'T SLOP A PIG'S TROUGH WITH THAT STUFF!


MR. WEATHERBEE, YOU HAVE A SURPRISE VISITOR HERE TO SEE YOU. IT'S SUPER-INTENDENT HASSLE!
SUPER-INTENDENT HASSLE?!


SUPERINTENDENT HASSLE! WHAT A SURPRISE!
WELL, WEATHERBEE, I'VE HEARD SO MUCH ABOUT HOW THIS NEW COOK OF YOURS IS FILLING UP THE CAFETERIA EVERY DAY...


...SO I DECIDED TO STOP BY AND JOIN YOU FOR LUNCH AND TRY HER COOKING FOR MYSELF!


JUGGIE? JUGGIE? WAIT UP!
HUH? OH, HI, BETTY!
VOTE
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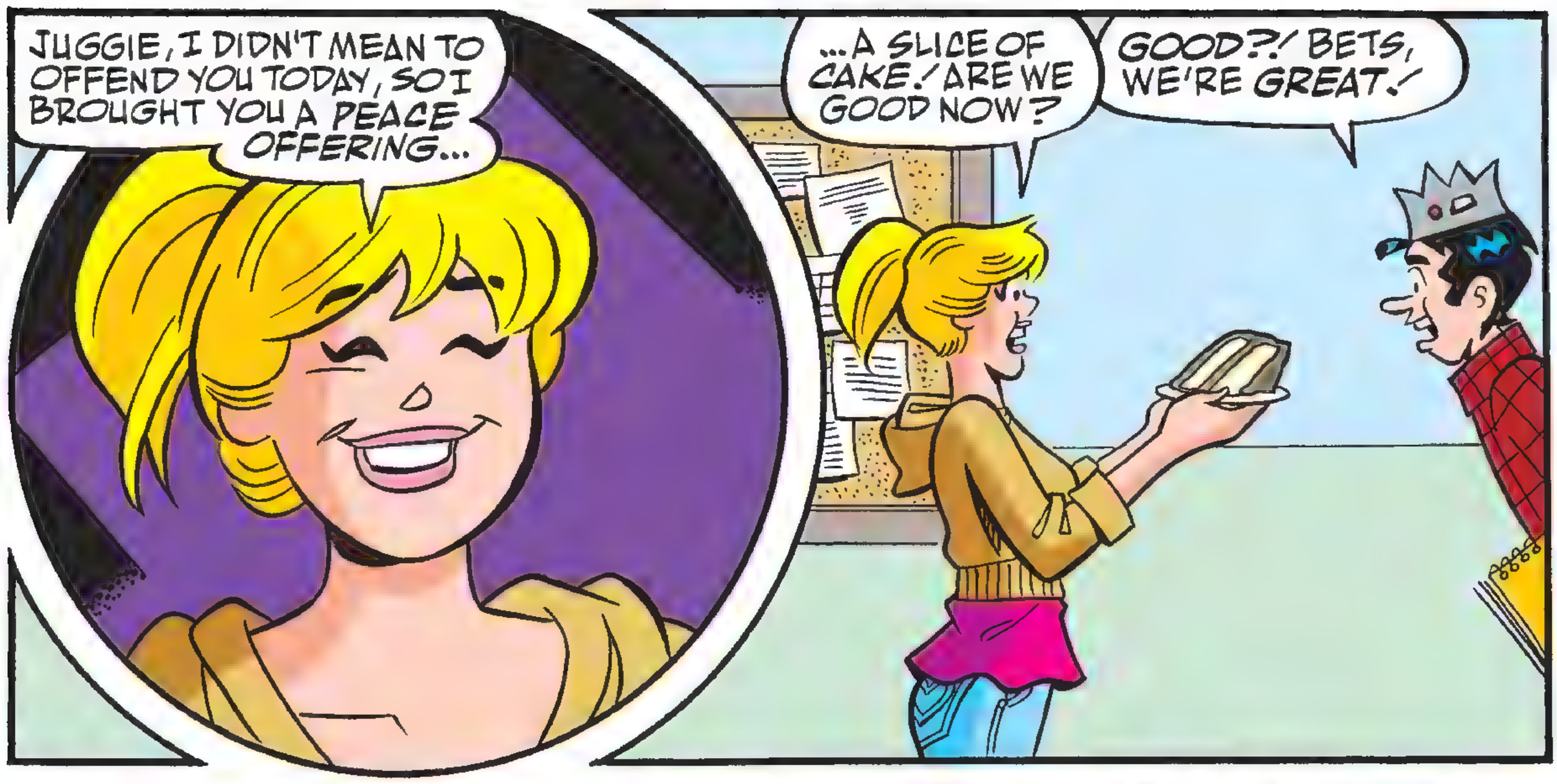
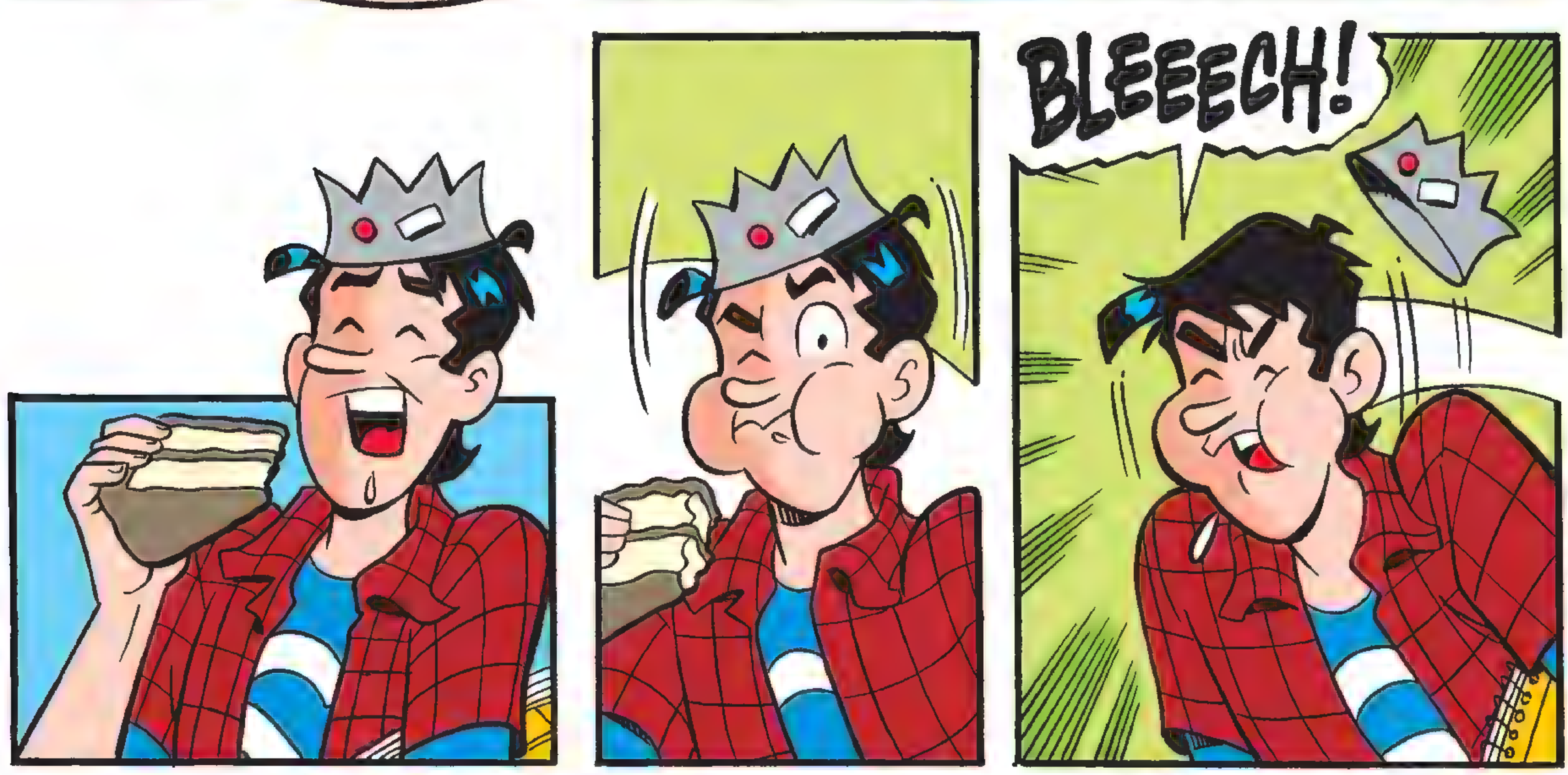
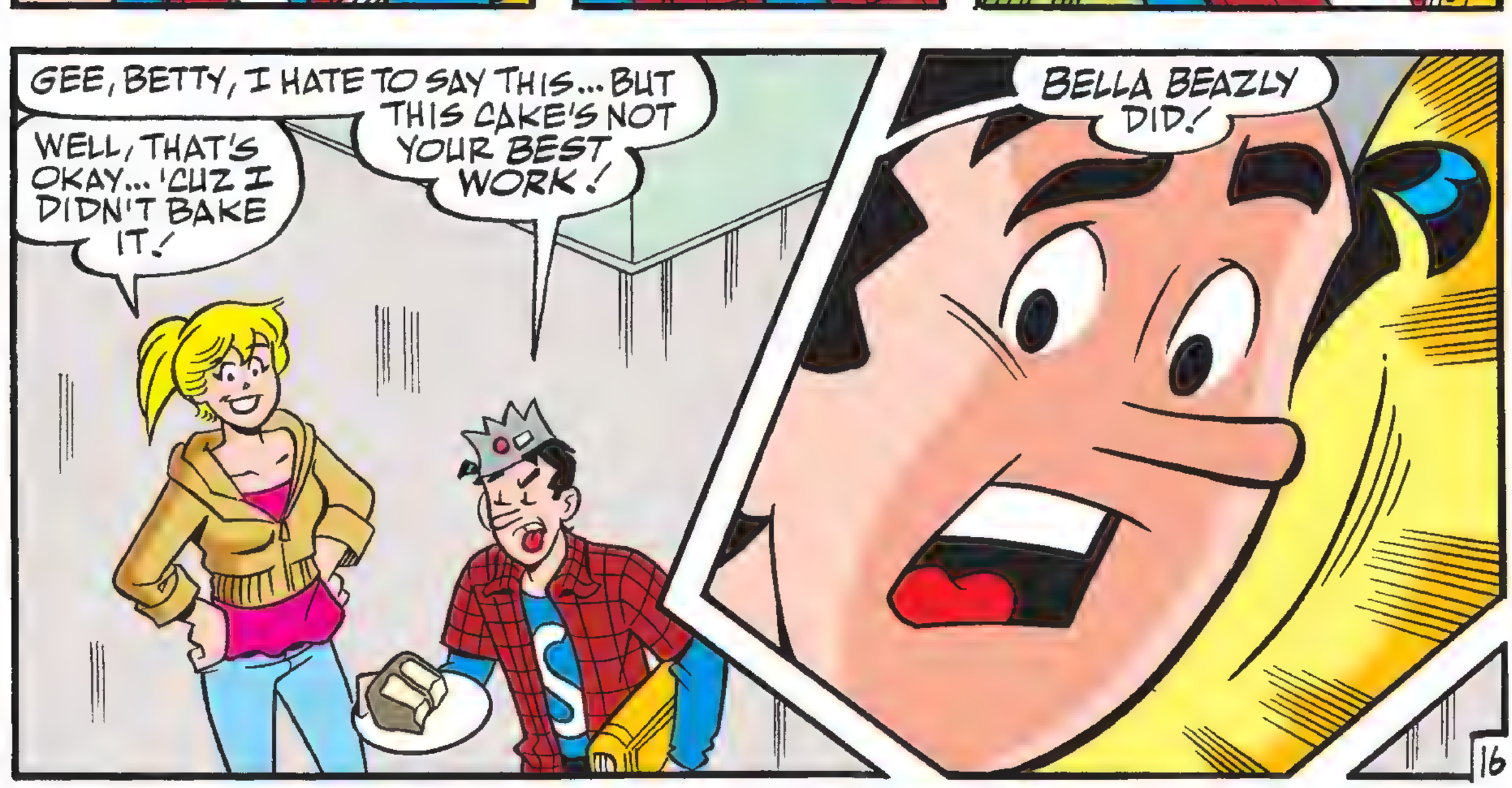
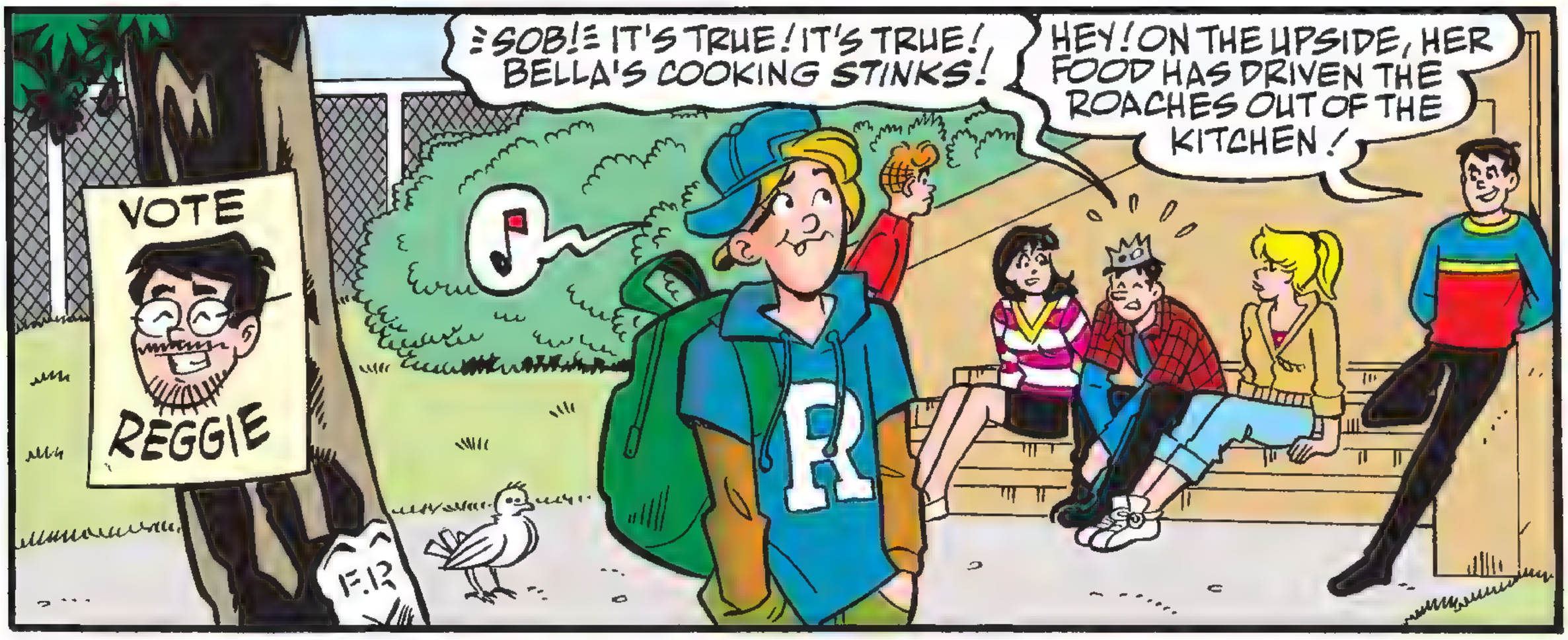

JUGGIE, I DIDN'T MEAN TO OFFEND YOU TODAY, SO I BROUGHT YOU A PEACE OFFERING...
...A SLICE OF CAKE! ARE WE GOOD NOW?
GOOD?! BETS, WE'RE GREAT!


BLEEECH!


GEE, BETTY, I HATE TO SAY THIS... BUT THIS CAKE'S NOT YOUR BEST WORK!
WELL, THAT'S OKAY... 'CUZ I DIDN'T BAKE IT!
BELLA BEAZLY DID!


VOTE
REGGIE
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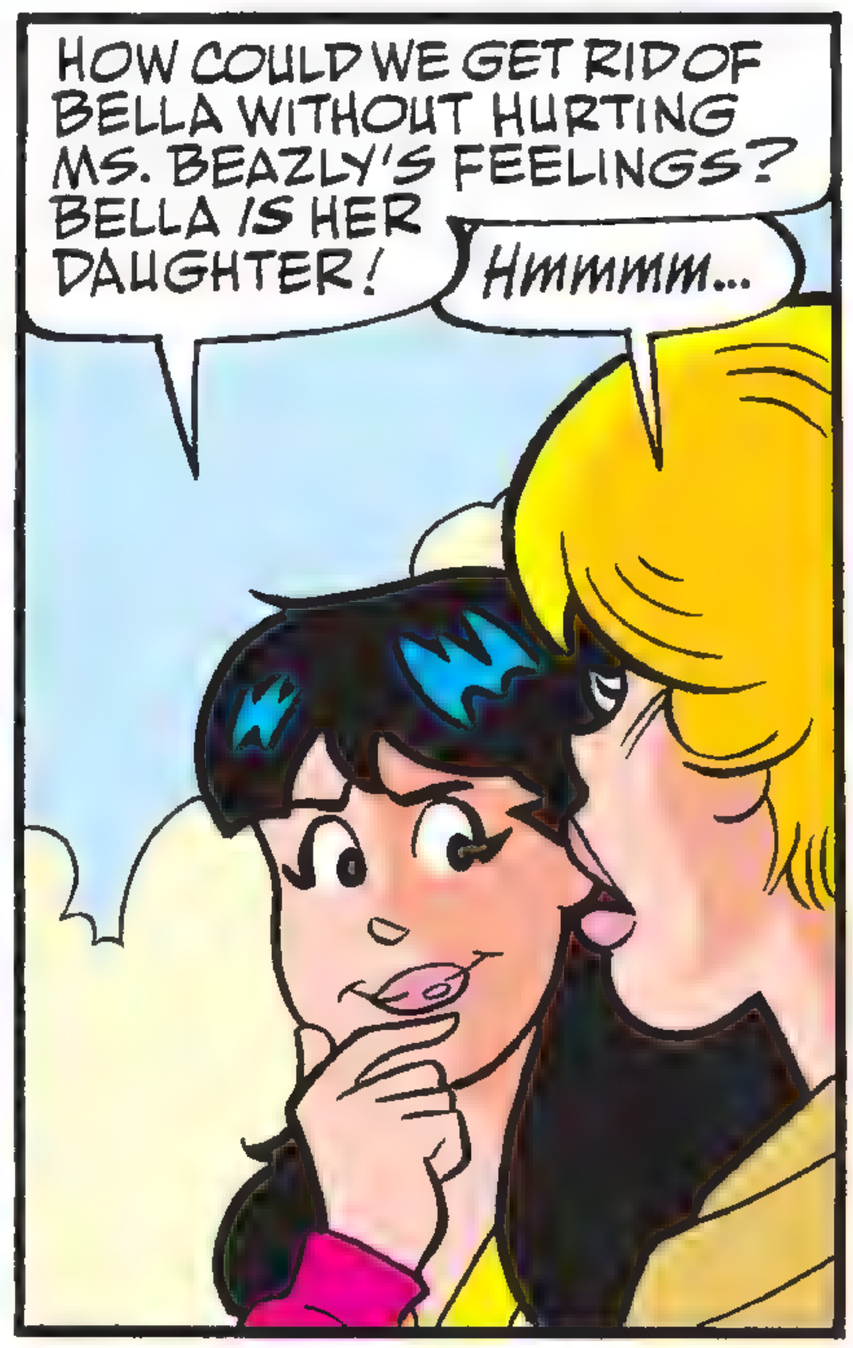
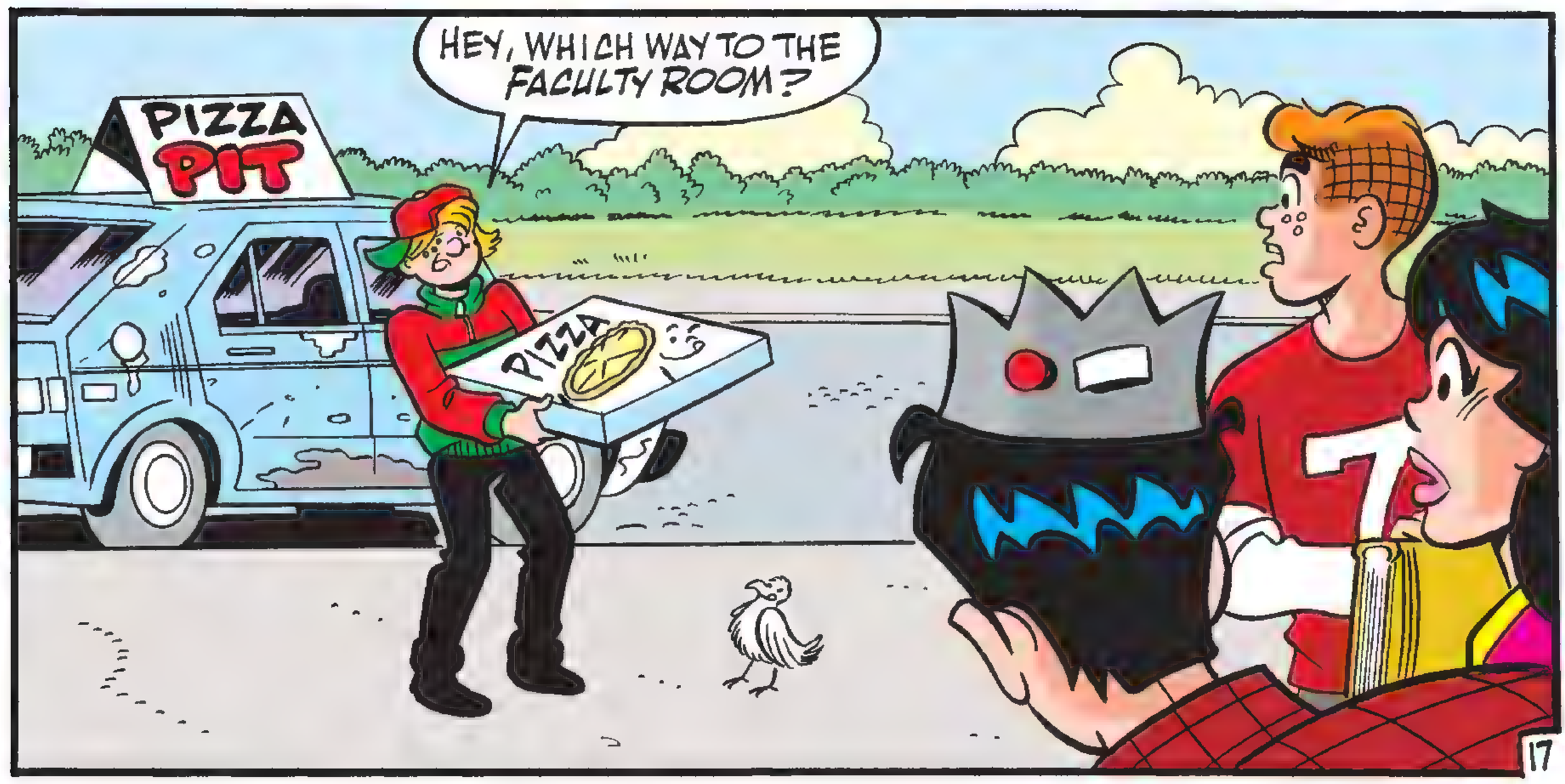
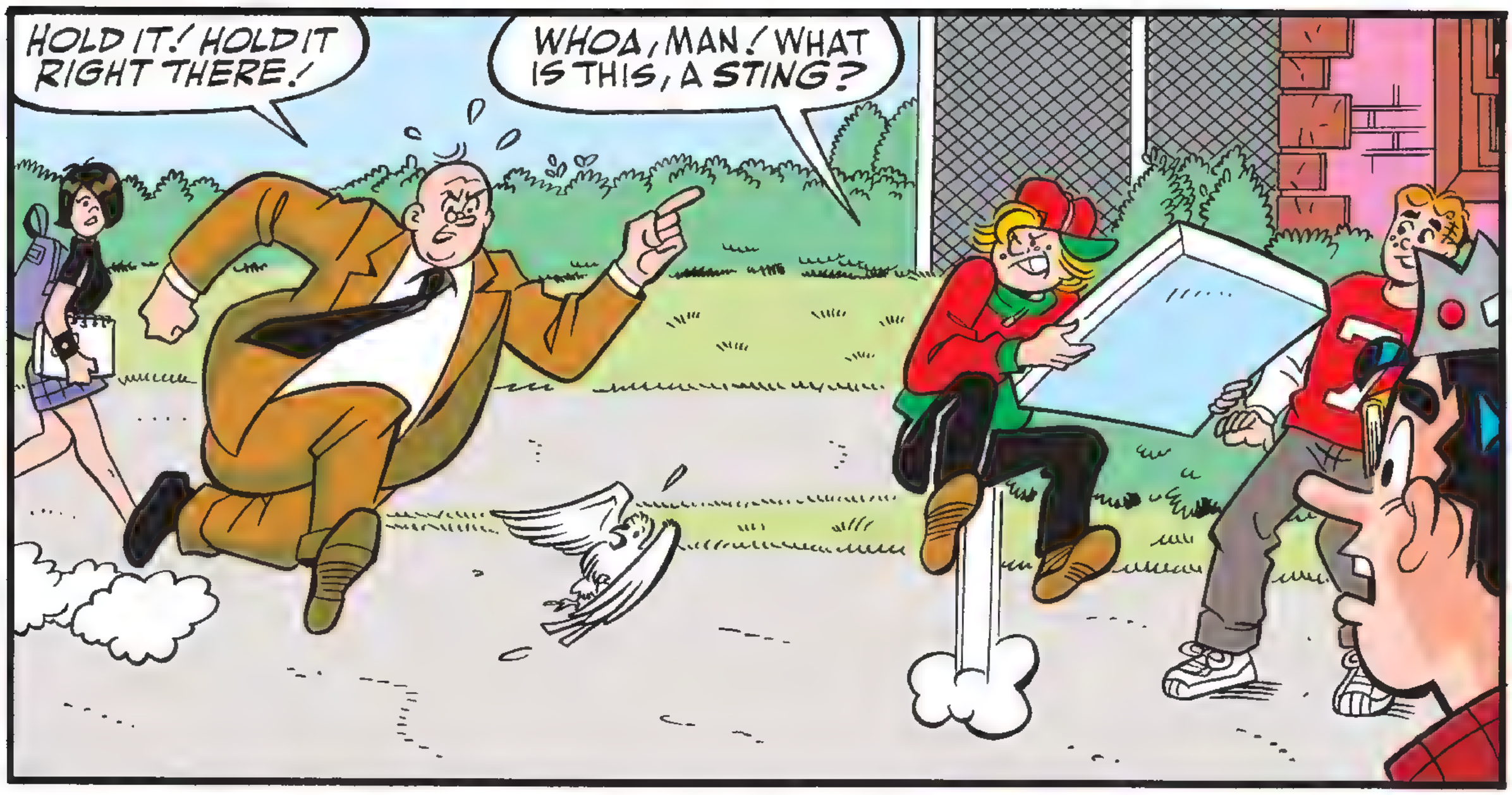
:SOB!: IT'S TRUE! IT'S TRUE! BELLA'S COOKING STINKS!
HEY! ON THE UPSIDE, HER FOOD HAS DRIVEN THE ROACHES OUT OF THE KITCHEN!

WELL, WE DON'T HAVE TO WORRY. THIS IS BELLA'S LAST DAY. MS. BEAZLY COMES BACK MONDAY.
MAN! I NEVER THOUGHT I'D BE LOOKING FORWARD TO HER COOKING!

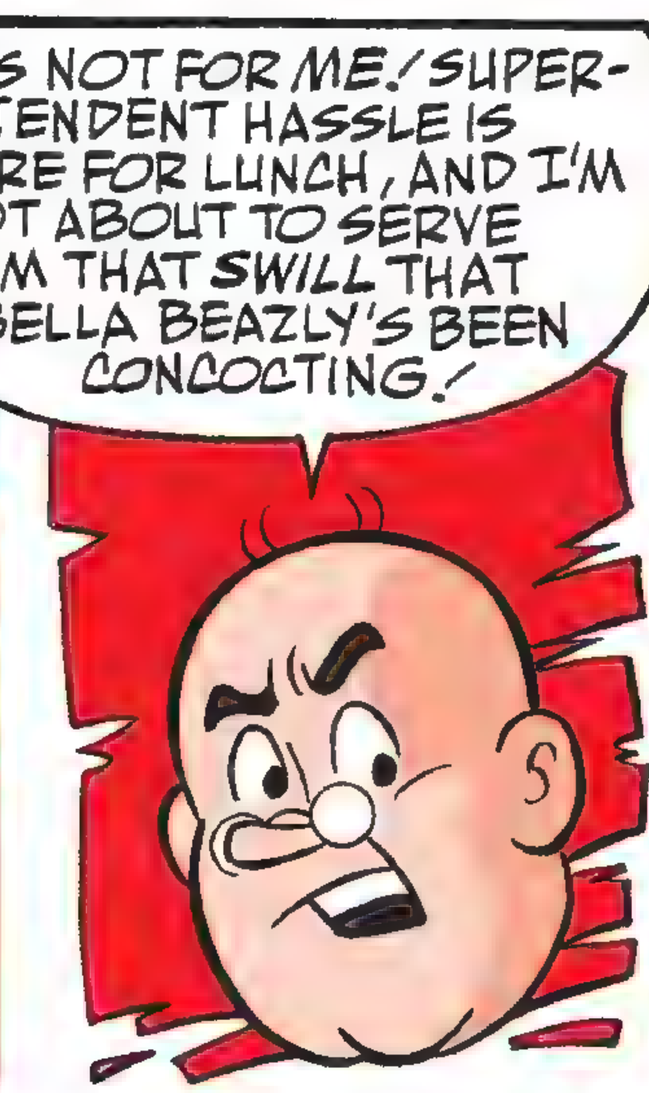
WE'RE NOT RID OF BELLA'S CHOPPED SLOP YET! I HEAR THE BEE IS COOKING UP A SCHEME TO KEEP HER HERE FOR GOOD!

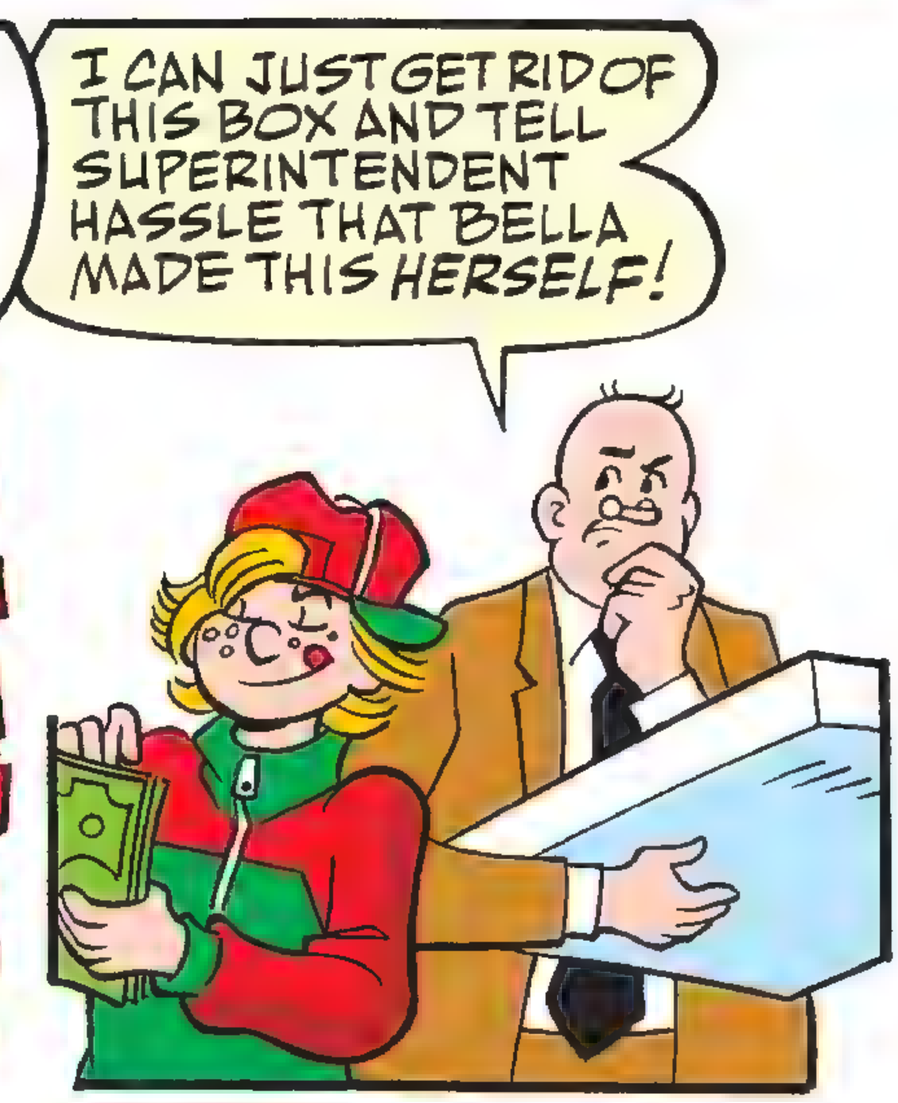

HOW COULD WE GET RID OF BELLA WITHOUT HURTING MS. BEAZLY'S FEELINGS? BELLA IS HER DAUGHTER!
Hmmmm...

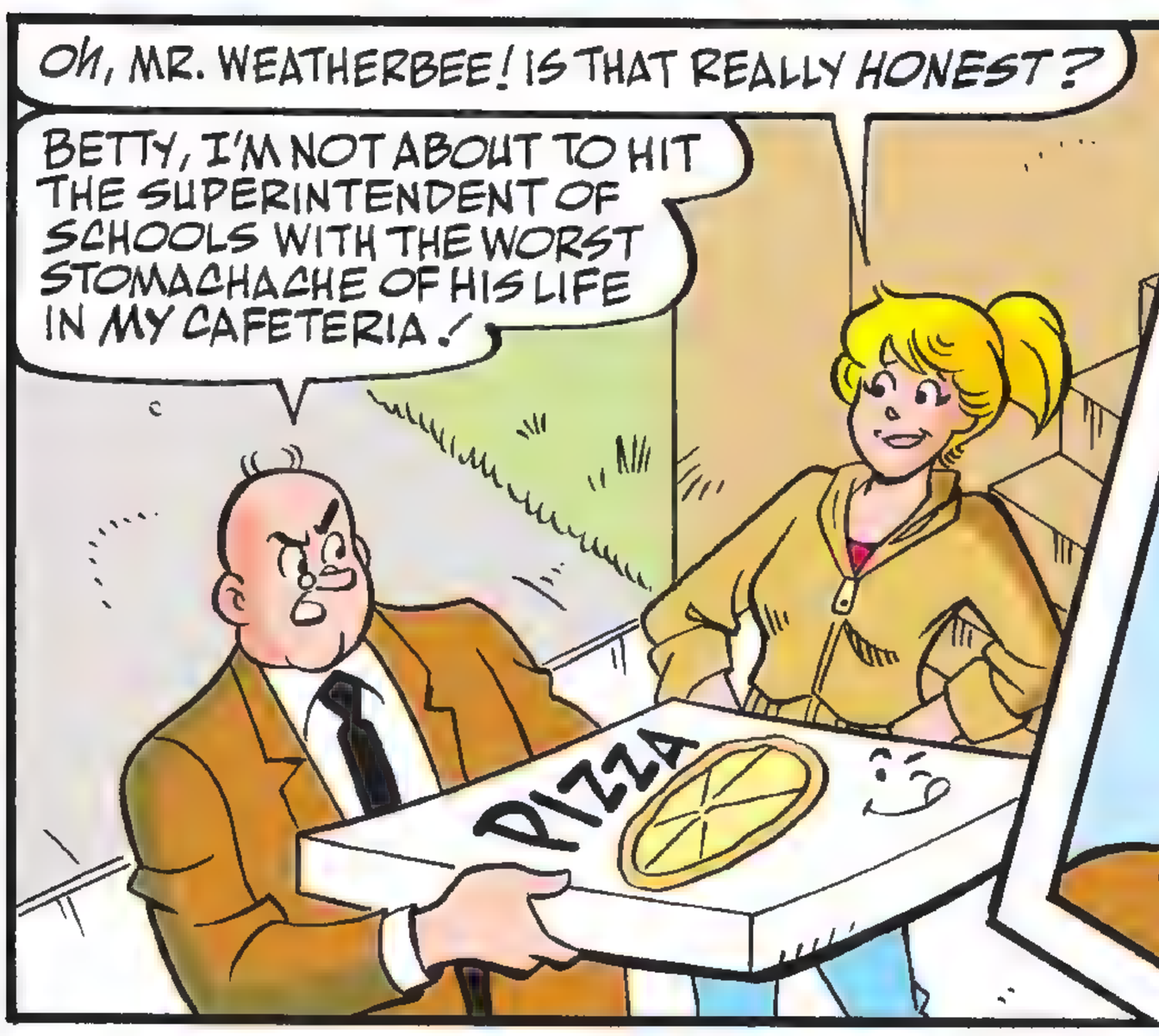

HEY, WHICH WAY TO THE FACULTY ROOM?
PIZZA PIT
PIZZA


HOLD IT! HOLD IT RIGHT THERE!
WHOA, MAN! WHAT IS THIS, A STING?

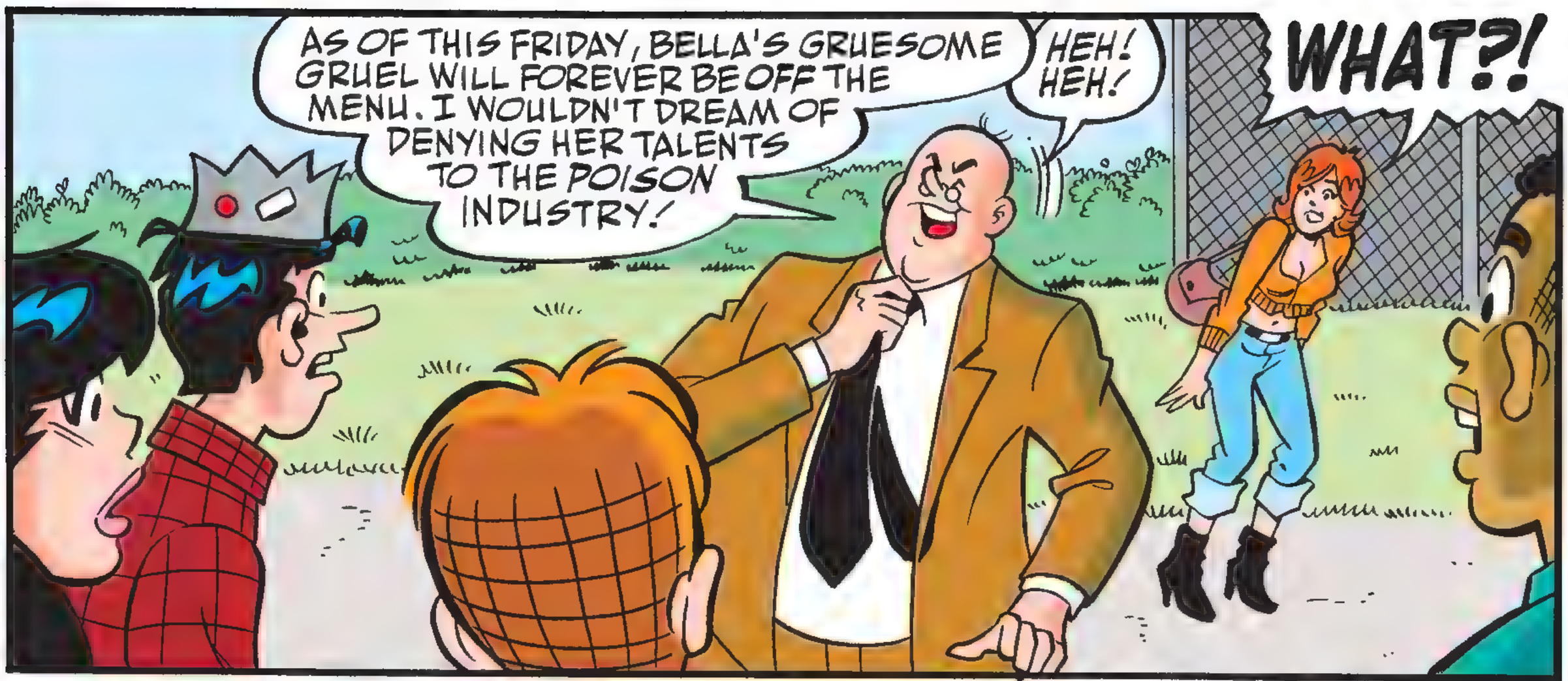
RELAX, KID! I ORDERED THIS ONE!!
YOU, MR. WEATHER-BEE?
PIZZA

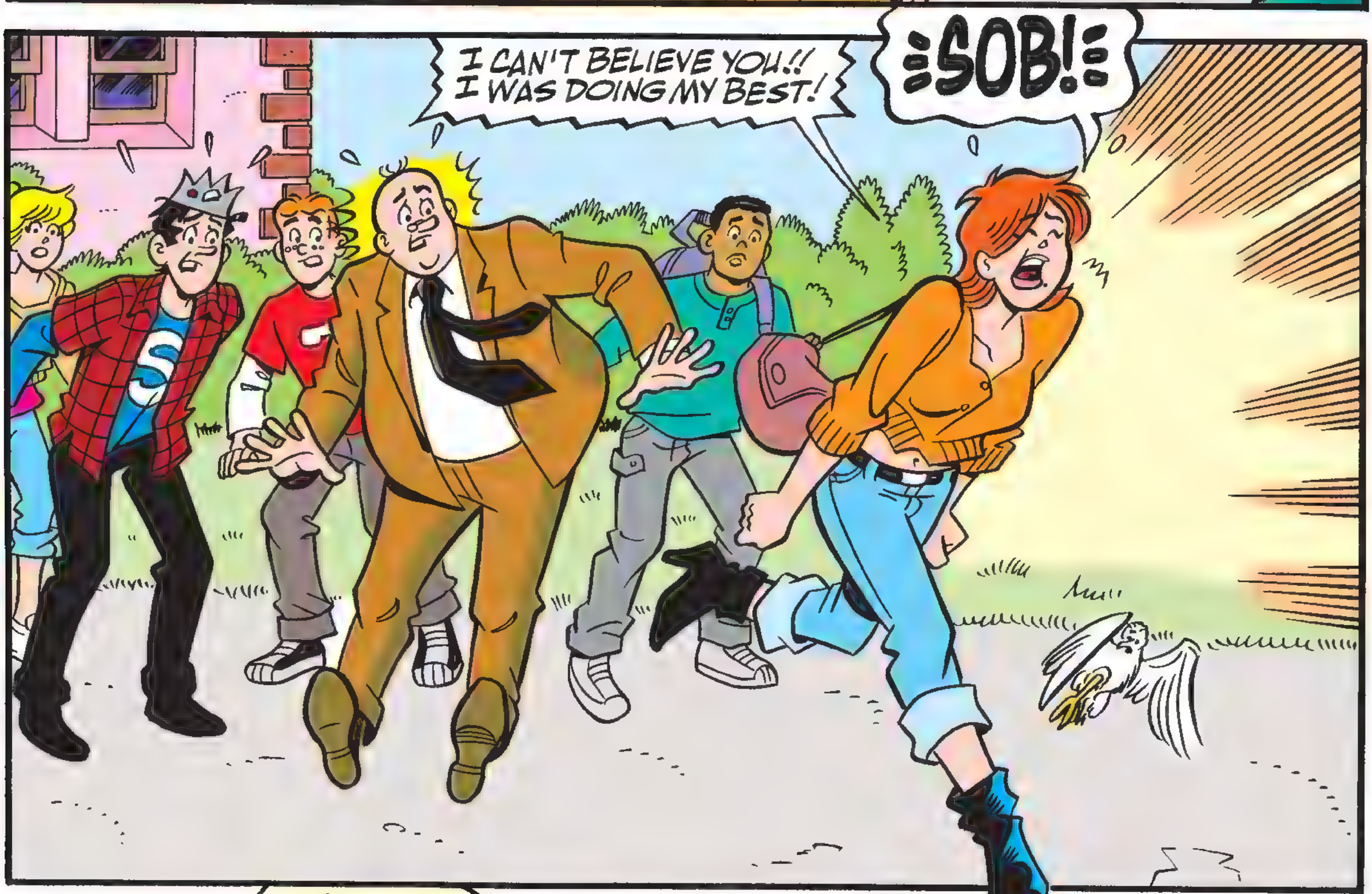

IT'S NOT FOR ME! SUPER-INTENDENT HASSLE IS HERE FOR LUNCH, AND I'M NOT ABOUT TO SERVE HIM THAT SWILL THAT BELLA BEAZLY'S BEEN CONCOCTING!

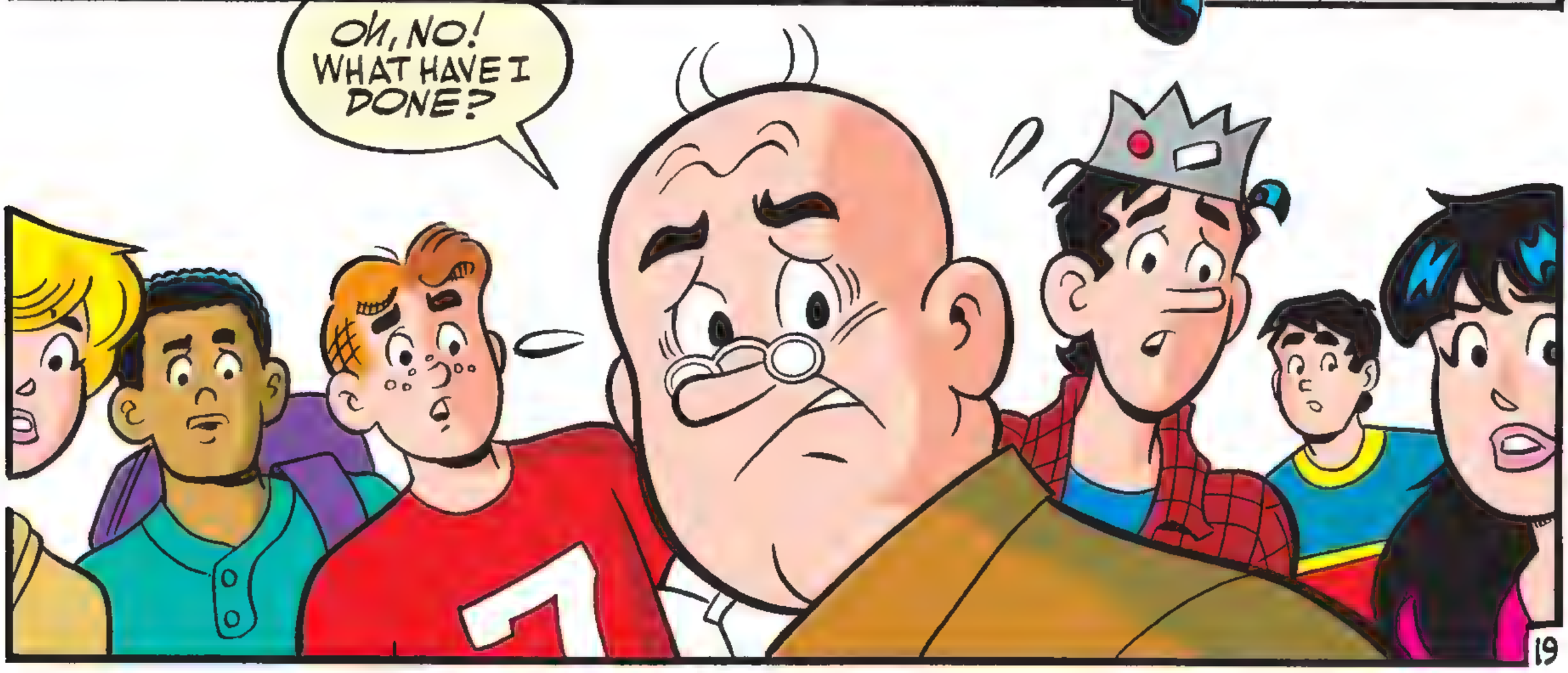

I CAN JUST GET RID OF THIS BOX AND TELL SUPERINTENDENT HASSLE THAT BELLA MADE THIS HERSELF!


OH, MR. WEATHERBEE! IS THAT REALLY HONEST?
BETTY, I'M NOT ABOUT TO HIT THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS WITH THE WORST STOMACHACHE OF HIS LIFE IN MY CAFETERIA!
PIZZA

DOES THIS MEAN THAT YOU'RE NOT GOING TO BE HIRING BELLA BEAZLY PERMANENTLY?
HA!


AS OF THIS FRIDAY, BELLA'S GRUESOME GRUEL WILL FOREVER BE OFF THE MENU. I WOULDN'T DREAM OF DENYING HER TALENTS TO THE POISON INDUSTRY!
HEH! HEH!
WHAT?!


I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU!! I WAS DOING MY BEST!
SOB!


OH, NO! WHAT HAVE I DONE?

THE NEXT DAY...

DO YOU THINK MS. BEAZLY WILL COME BACK?

YEAH. SHE MIGHT NOT BE TOO HAPPY WITH HOW THE BEE TREATED HER DAUGHTER!

WELCOME BACK MS. BEAZL

VOTE REGGIE

SOB! I HOPE SHE DIDN'T QUIT! TODAY'S SUPPOSED TO BE FISH STIX DAY!

HEY! CHECK OUT THAT VAN!

"BEAZLY'S BETTER BODIES"?!

BEAZLY'S BETTER BODIES

BZLE

YAAAYY!

MS. BEAZLY! YOU'RE BACK!

OF COURSE I AM! WHAT'S THE BIG DEAL?

BELLA, YOU'RE NOT MAD?

WELL, I WAS, BUT THINGS TURNED OUT PRETTY GOOD FOR ME. I'VE BEEN HIRED TO HOST MY OWN COOKING SHOW ON CABLE TELEVISION!

IT'S GOING TO AIR ON THE LODGE CHANNEL.

THE LODGE CHANNEL?! RON, ISN'T THAT YOUR DAD'S CHANNEL?

SO I PULLED A FEW STRINGS! I FIGURE IF SHE COOKS ON TELEVISION, NO ONE HAS TO TASTE HER FOOD!

HEY, MS. BEAZLY! WHAT'S WITH THE VAN?

MY HUSBAND'S! HE OPENED A HEALTH FOOD STORE AND GYMNASIUM HERE IN TOWN.

HUSBAND?

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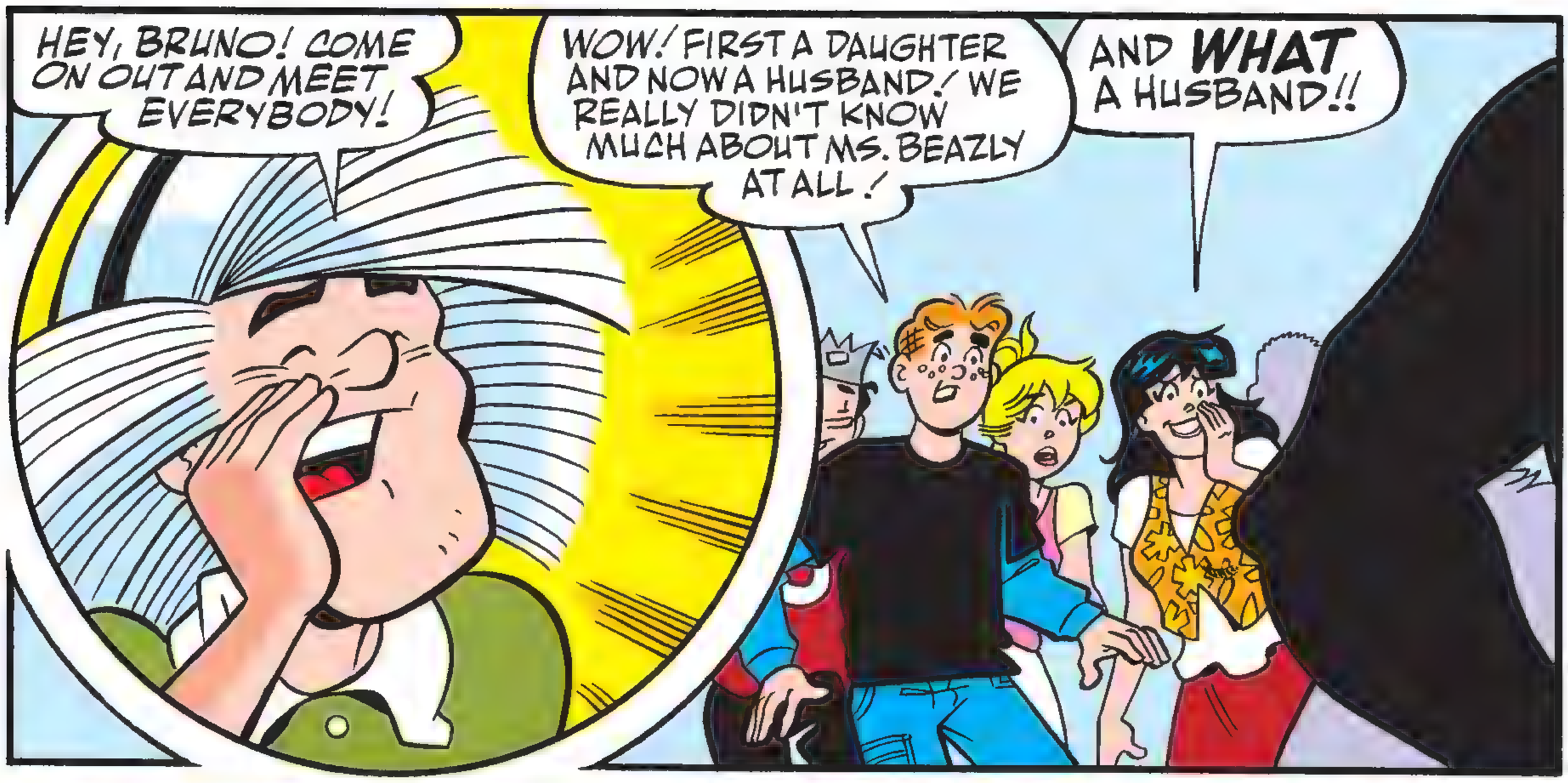
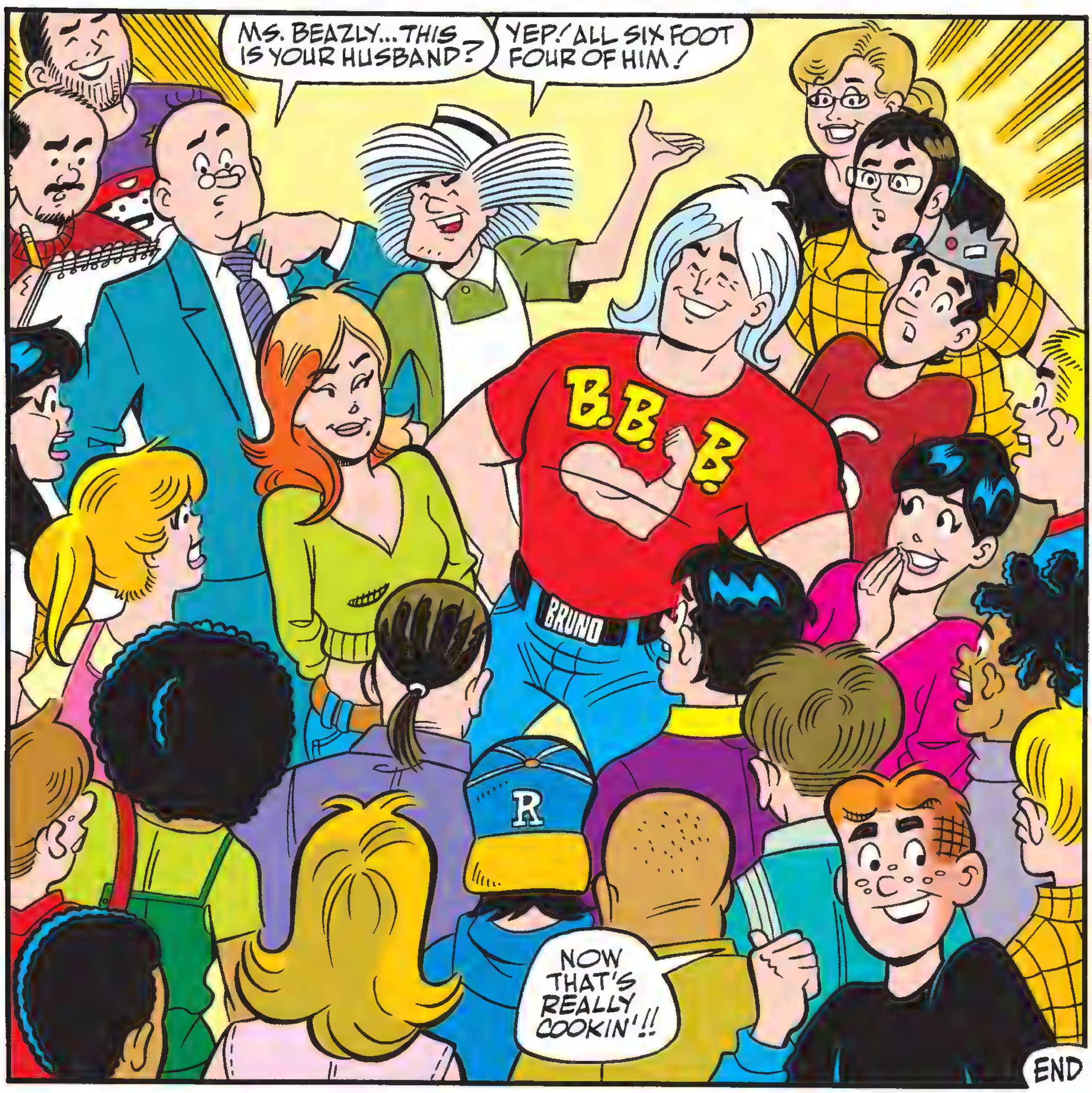

HEY, BRUNO! COME ON OUT AND MEET EVERYBODY!
WOW! FIRST A DAUGHTER AND NOW A HUSBAND! WE REALLY DIDN'T KNOW MUCH ABOUT MS. BEAZLY AT ALL!
AND WHAT A HUSBAND!!


MS. BEAZLY...THIS IS YOUR HUSBAND?
YEP! ALL SIX FOOT FOUR OF HIM!
B.B.B.
BRUNO
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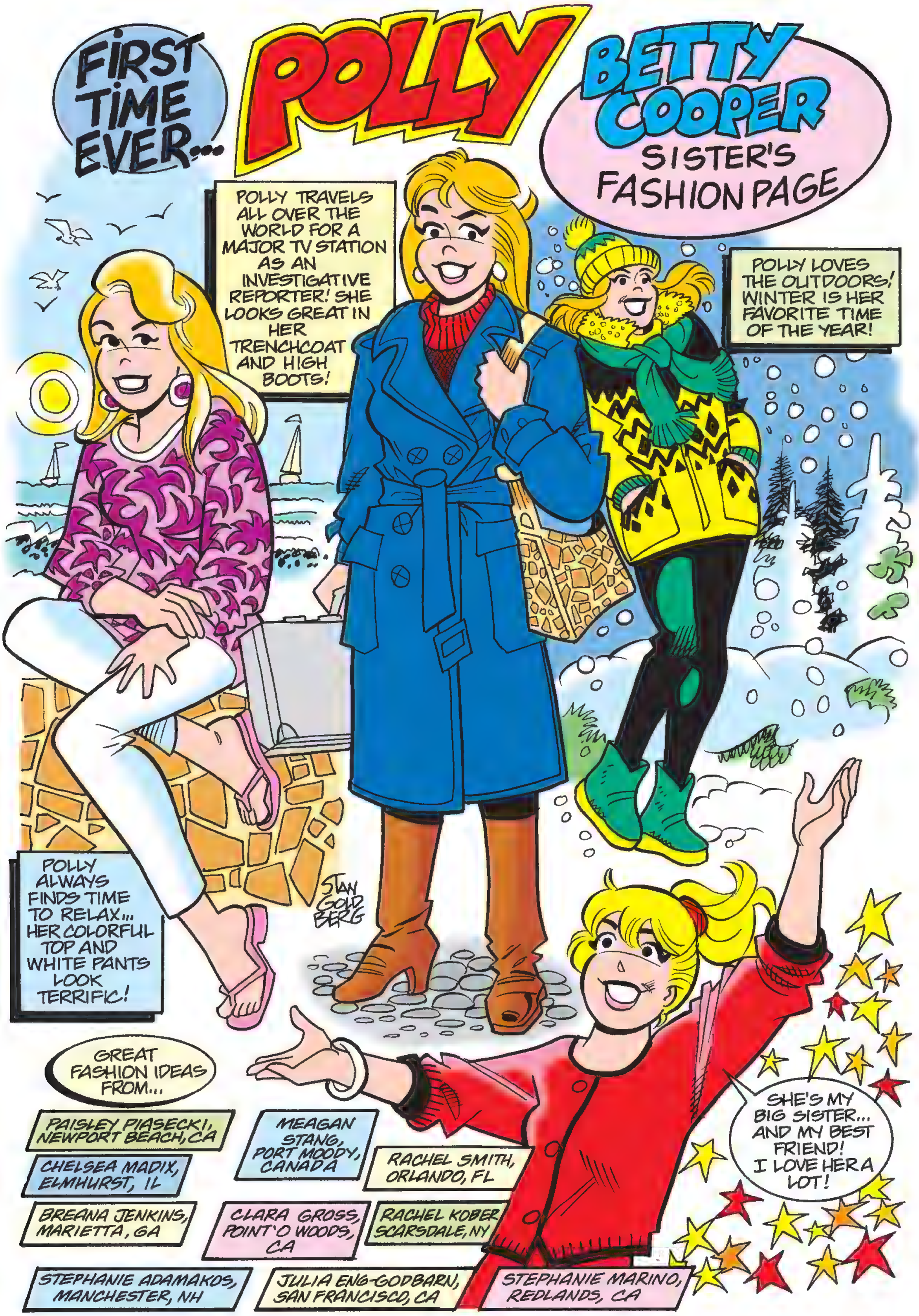
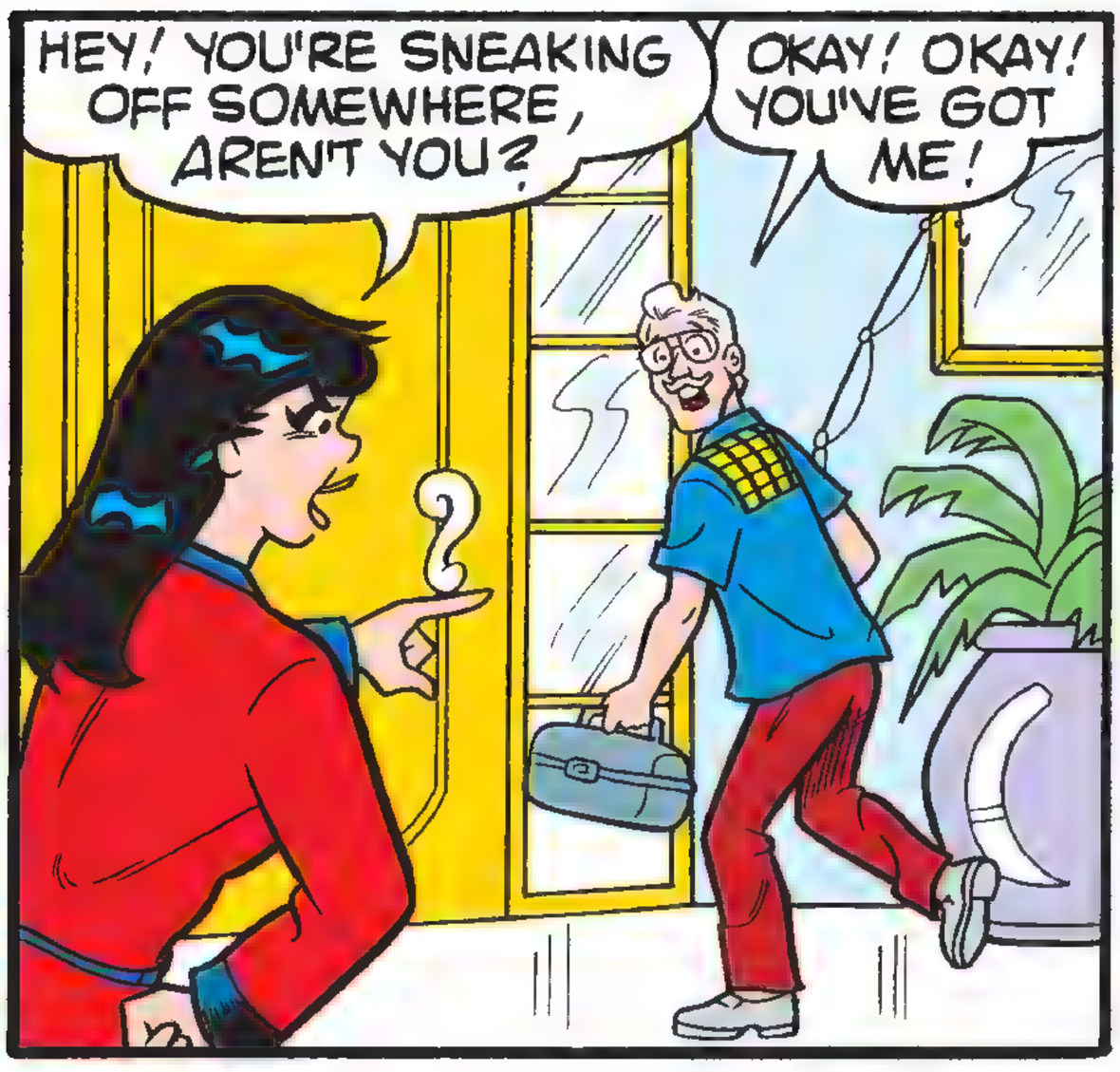
NOW THAT'S REALLY COOKIN'!!
END


FIRST TIME EVER...
POLLY
BETTY COOPER
SISTER'S FASHION PAGE
POLLY TRAVELS ALL OVER THE WORLD FOR A MAJOR TV STATION AS AN INVESTIGATIVE REPORTER! SHE LOOKS GREAT IN HER TRENCHCOAT AND HIGH BOOTS!
POLLY LOVES THE OUTDOORS! WINTER IS HER FAVORITE TIME OF THE YEAR!
POLLY ALWAYS FINDS TIME TO RELAX... HER COLORFUL TOP AND WHITE PANTS LOOK TERRIFIC!
STAN GOLDBERG
GREAT FASHION IDEAS FROM...
PAISLEY PIASECKI, NEWPORT BEACH, CA
CHELSEA MADIX, ELMHURST, IL
BREANA JENKINS, MARIETTA, GA
STEPHANIE ADAMAKOS, MANCHESTER, NH
MEAGAN STANG, PORT MOODY, CANADA
CLARA GROSS, POINT 'O WOODS, CA
JULIA ENG-GODBARN, SAN FRANCISCO, CA
RACHEL SMITH, ORLANDO, FL
RACHEL KOBER SCARSDALE, NY
STEPHANIE MARINO, REDLANDS, CA
SHE'S MY BIG SISTER... AND MY BEST FRIEND! I LOVE HER A LOT!

Veronica in PRETTY FISHY!

HEY, DADDY! WHERE ARE YOU GOING SO EARLY?

ER - AH... OH, NOWHERE, SWEETHEART!



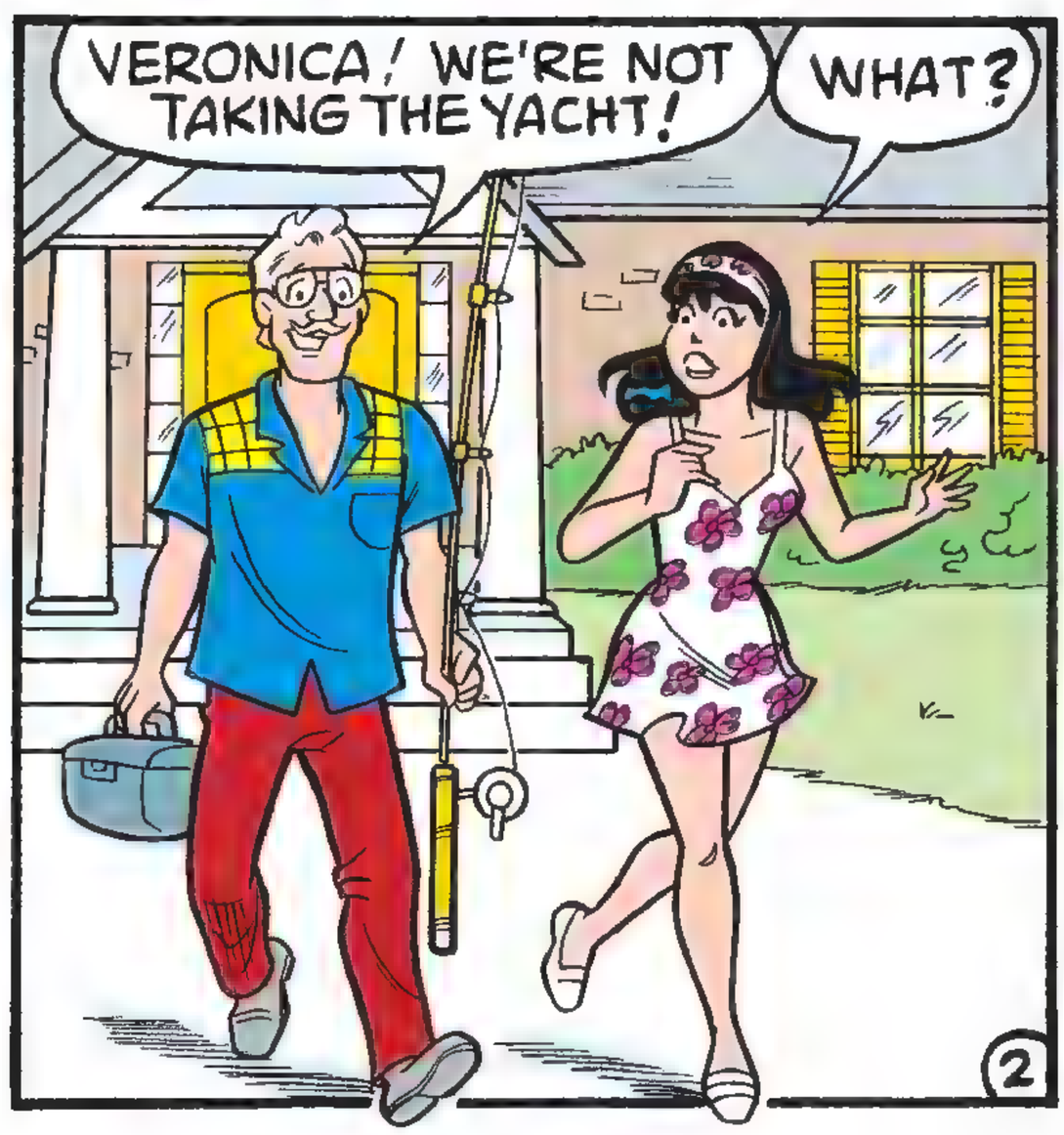
I'M GOING FOR RELAXATION, VERONICA!
OH, I SEE!

HEY! I COULD USE SOME RELAXATION, TOO!
WHAT? YOU'RE THE MOST RELAXED GIRL IN THE COUNTRY!

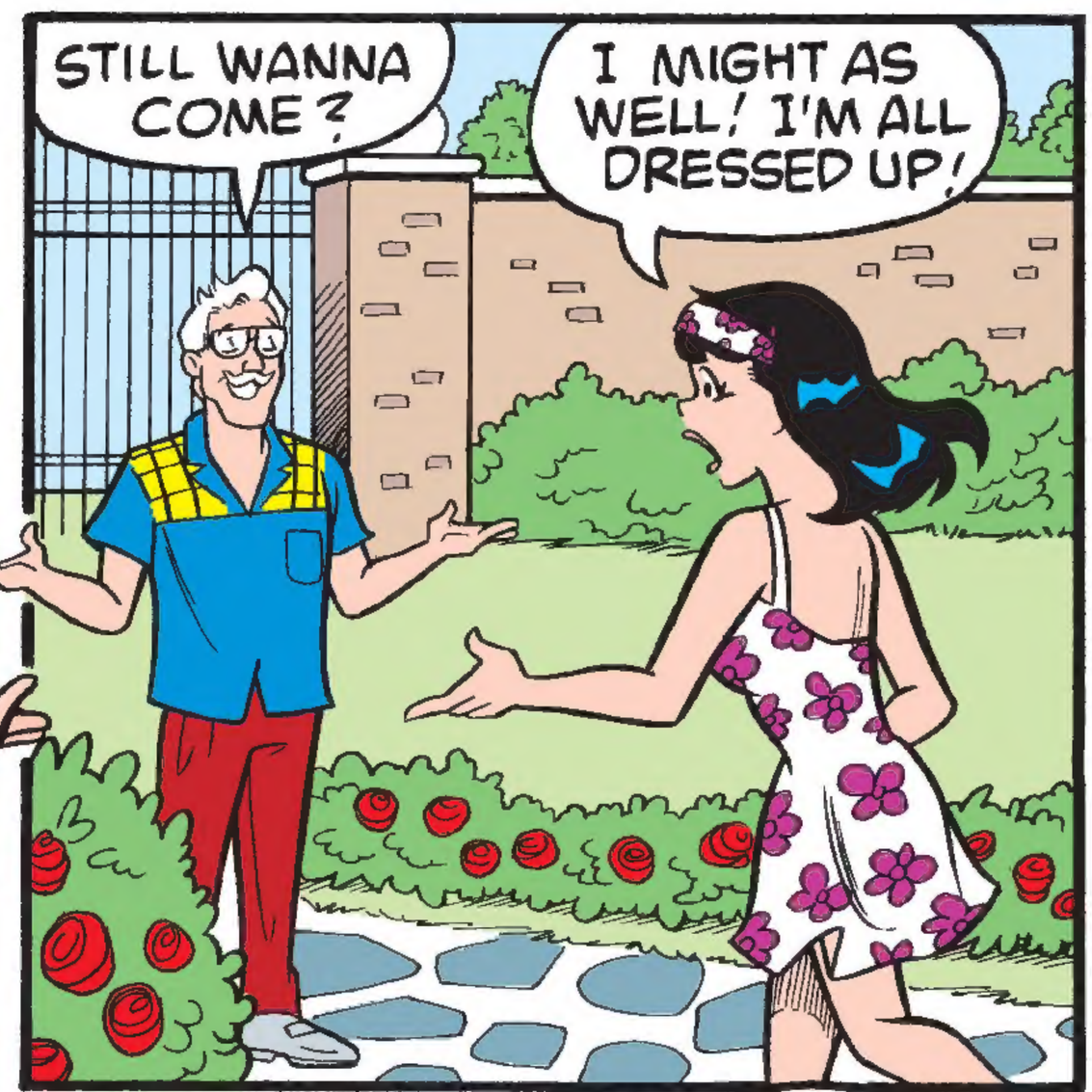
VERY FUNNY! COULD I TAG ALONG? IT'LL BE FUN!
WELL, IT'S NOT OFTEN YOU WANT TO JOIN ME, SO IT'S OKAY, I GUESS!

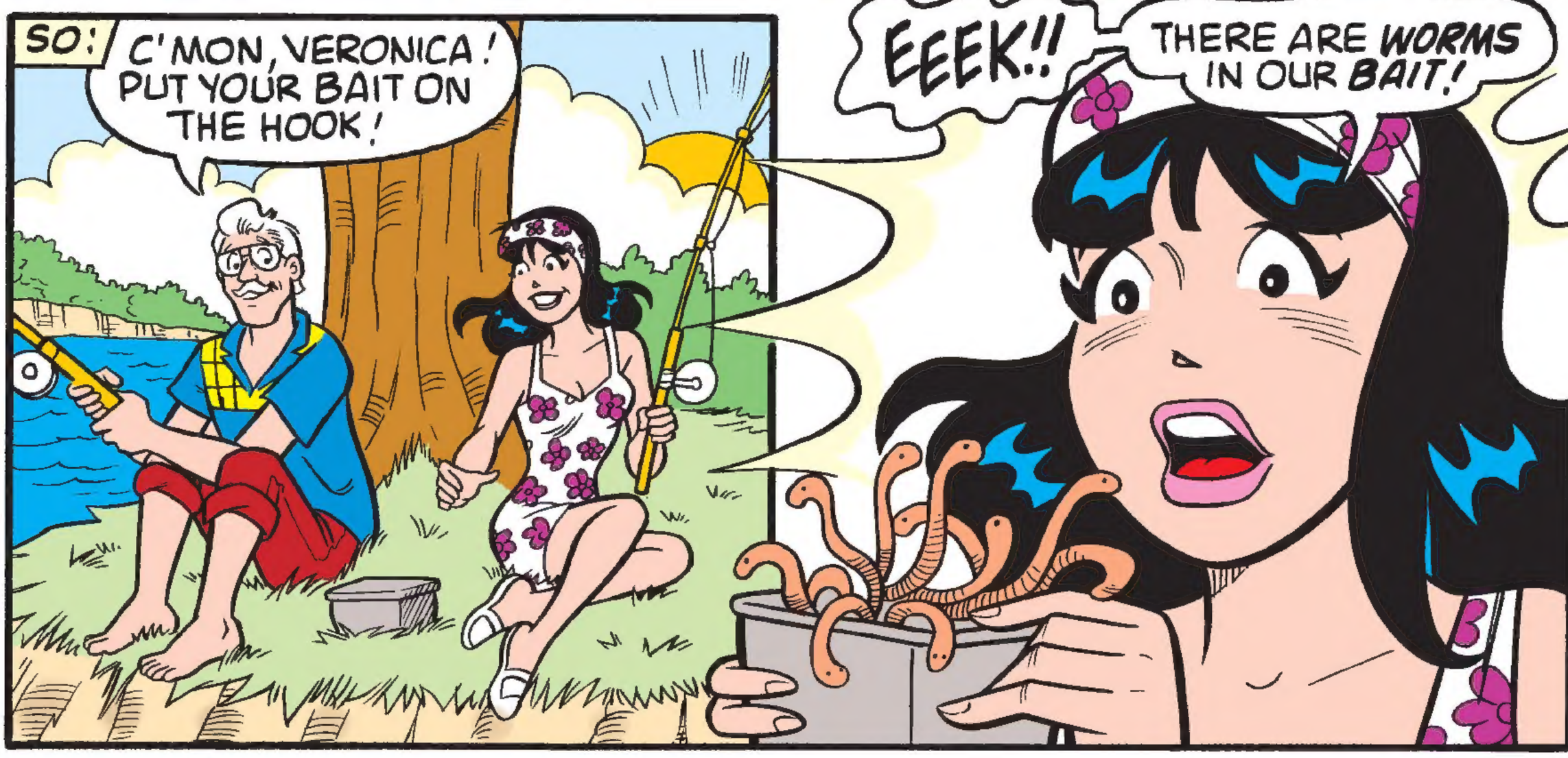
GREAT! I'LL GET READY!
PLEASE HURRY!

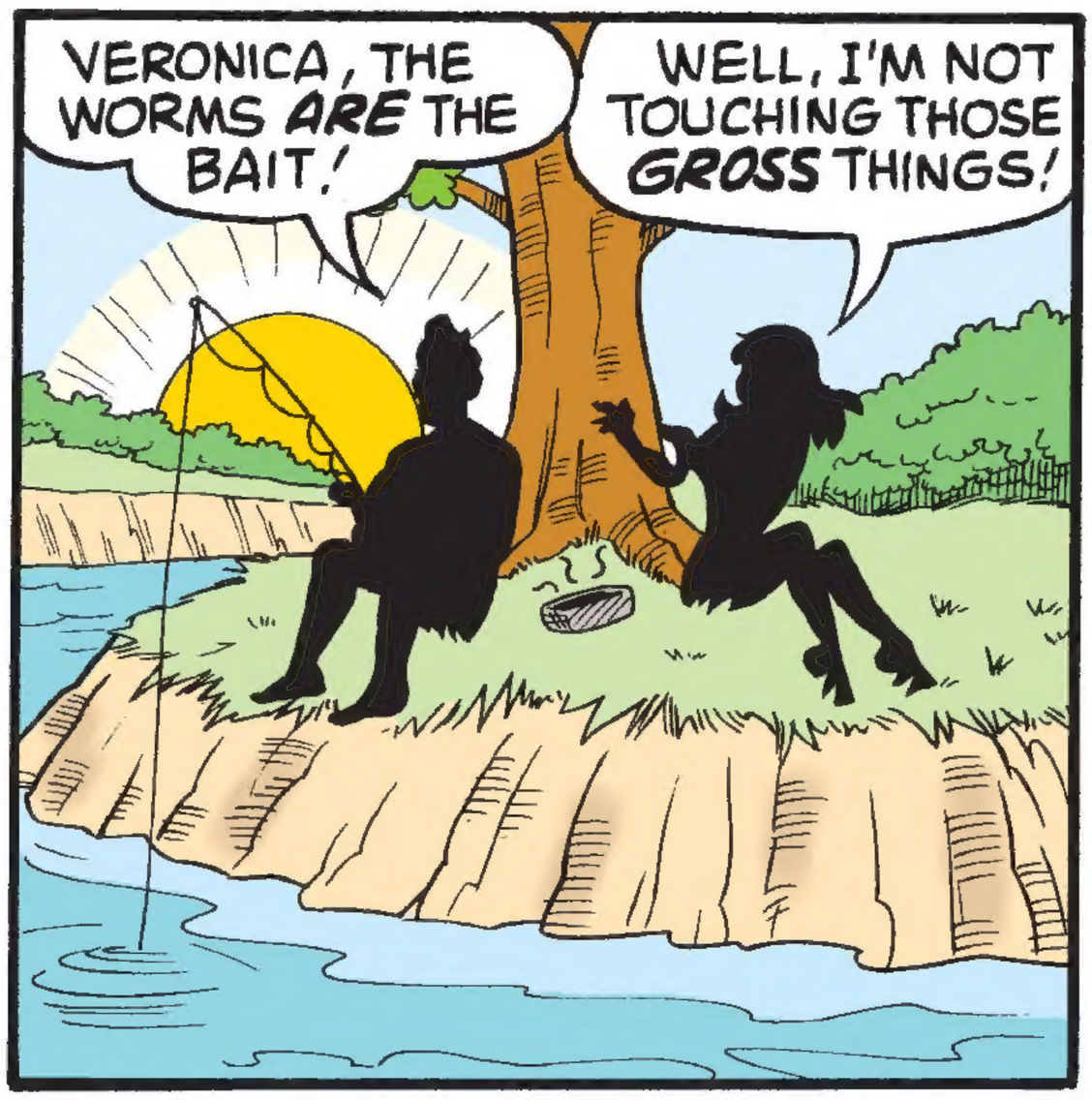
SOON! VERONICA, YOU'RE GOING TO WEAR THAT FOR FISHING?
I WANT TO LOOK NICE ON THE YACHT!

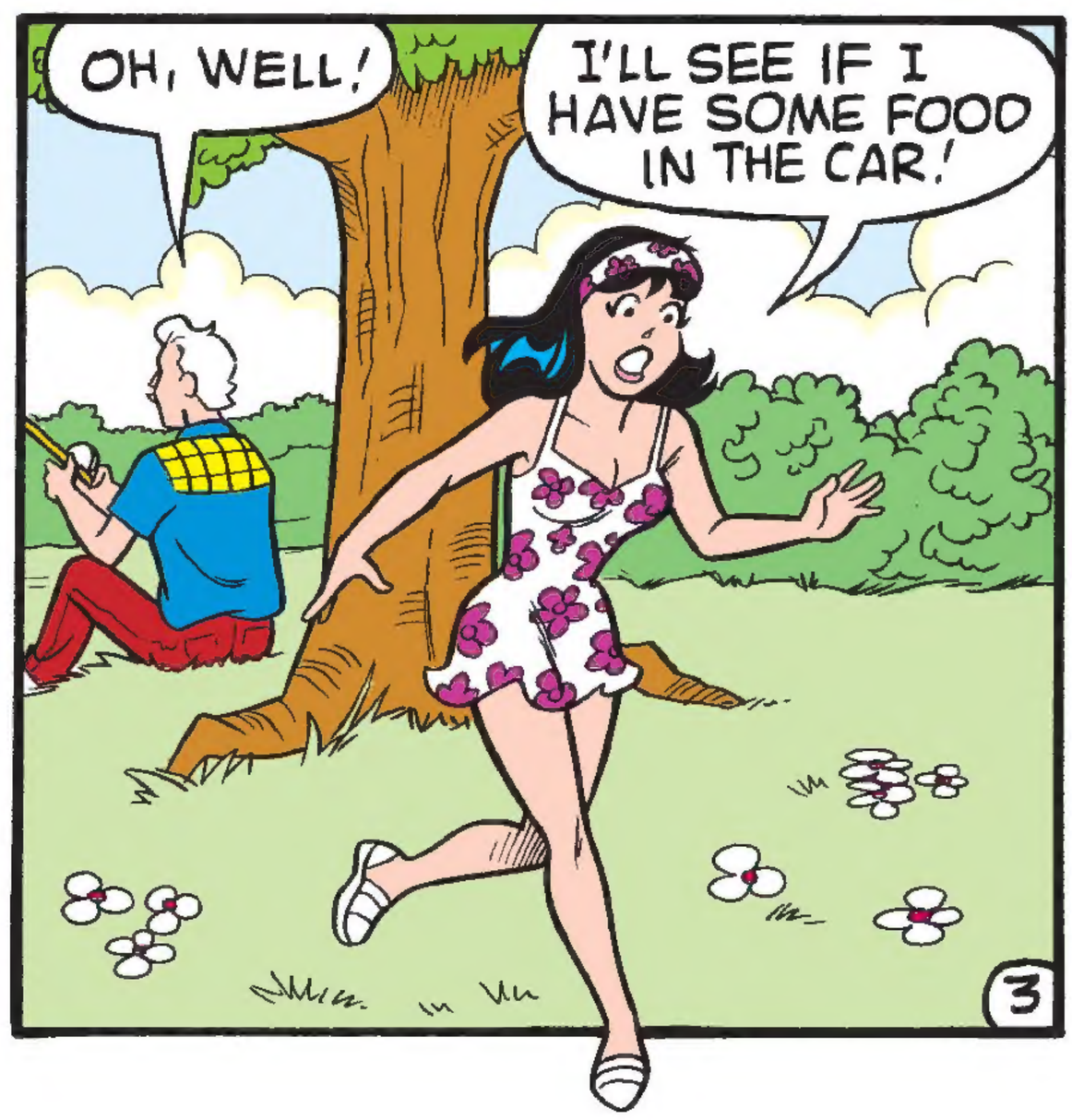

VERONICA! WE'RE NOT TAKING THE YACHT!
WHAT?

WE'LL JUST RELAX ON THE RIVER BANK, WITH JUST OUR POLES AND BAIT! IT'S MUCH MORE PEACEFUL AND RELAXING THAN WORKING THAT YACHT!


STILL WANNA COME?
I MIGHT AS WELL! I'M ALL DRESSED UP!


SO:
C'MON, VERONICA! PUT YOUR BAIT ON THE HOOK!
EEEK!!
THERE ARE WORMS IN OUR BAIT!


VERONICA, THE WORMS ARE THE BAIT!
WELL, I'M NOT TOUCHING THOSE GROSS THINGS!


OH, WELL!
I'LL SEE IF I HAVE SOME FOOD IN THE CAR!

HEY! THESE'LL DO!
AND THEY'RE STILL WORMS!
CHewy WORMS
ZZZZ
DAD'S DRIFTED OFF INTO SLEEP! I GUESS THIS DOES RELAX HIM!
HEY! I'VE GOT SOMETHING!
I GUESS THEY LIKE MY GUMMY WORMS!
THIS THING IS SO GOOEY, I'M STUCK TO IT!
COOL! I'M A REAL FISHERMAN NOW!
I'LL TRY ANOTHER WORM!
AND...
I CAN'T BELIEVE IT! I'VE CAUGHT SIX FISH IN ONLY 20 MINUTES WITH MY WORM! I'M ONTO SOMETHING!
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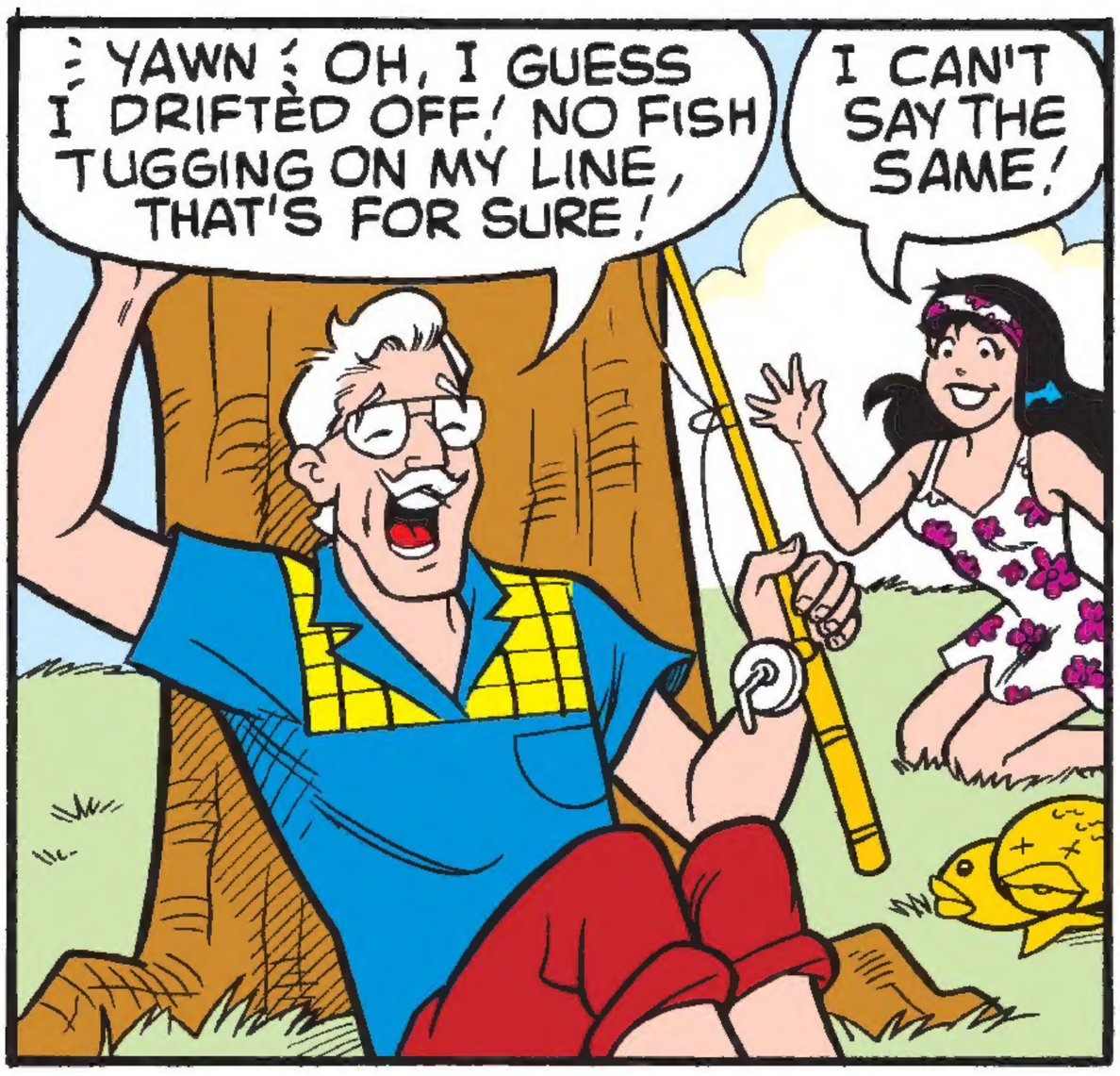
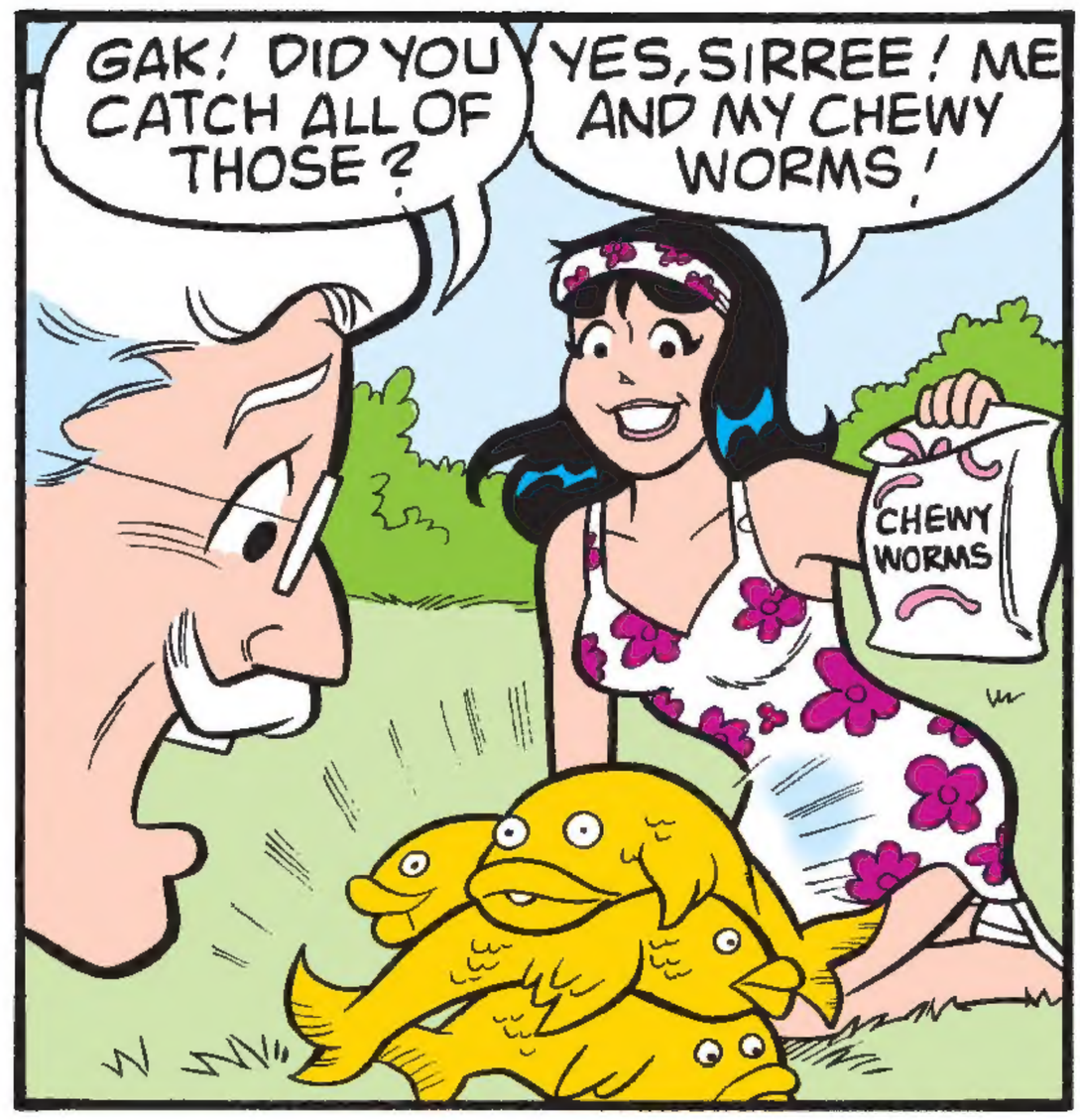
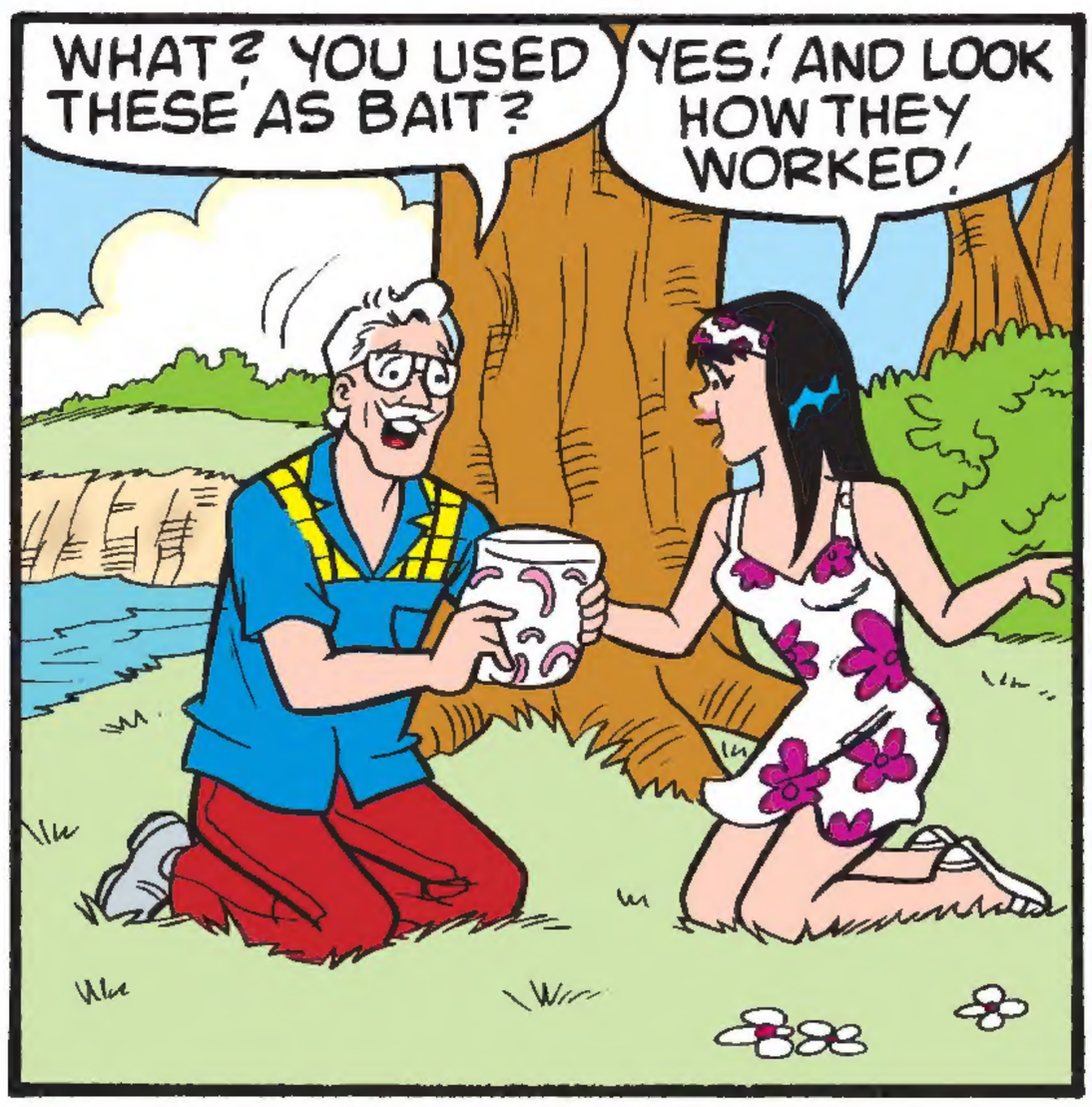
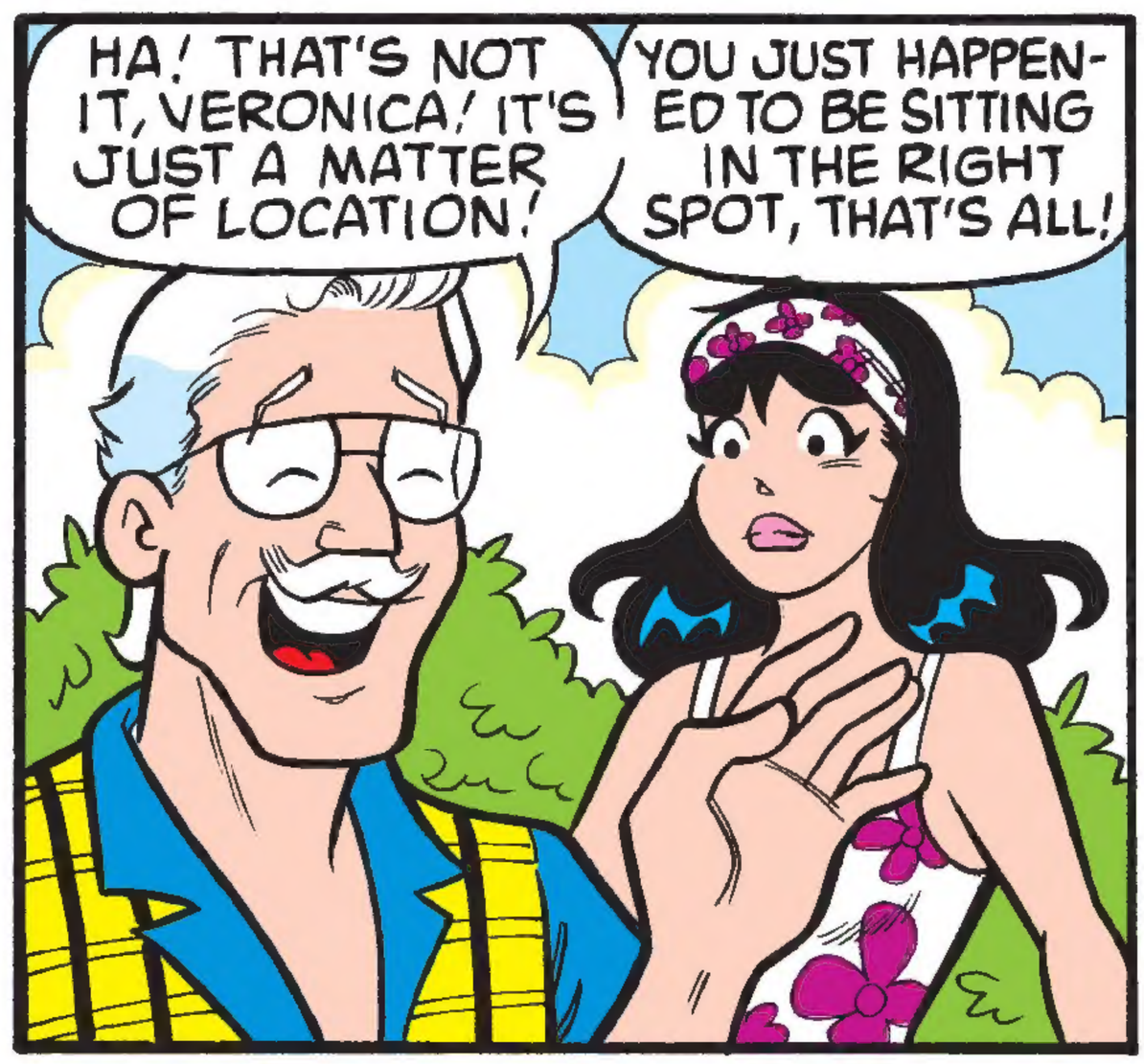
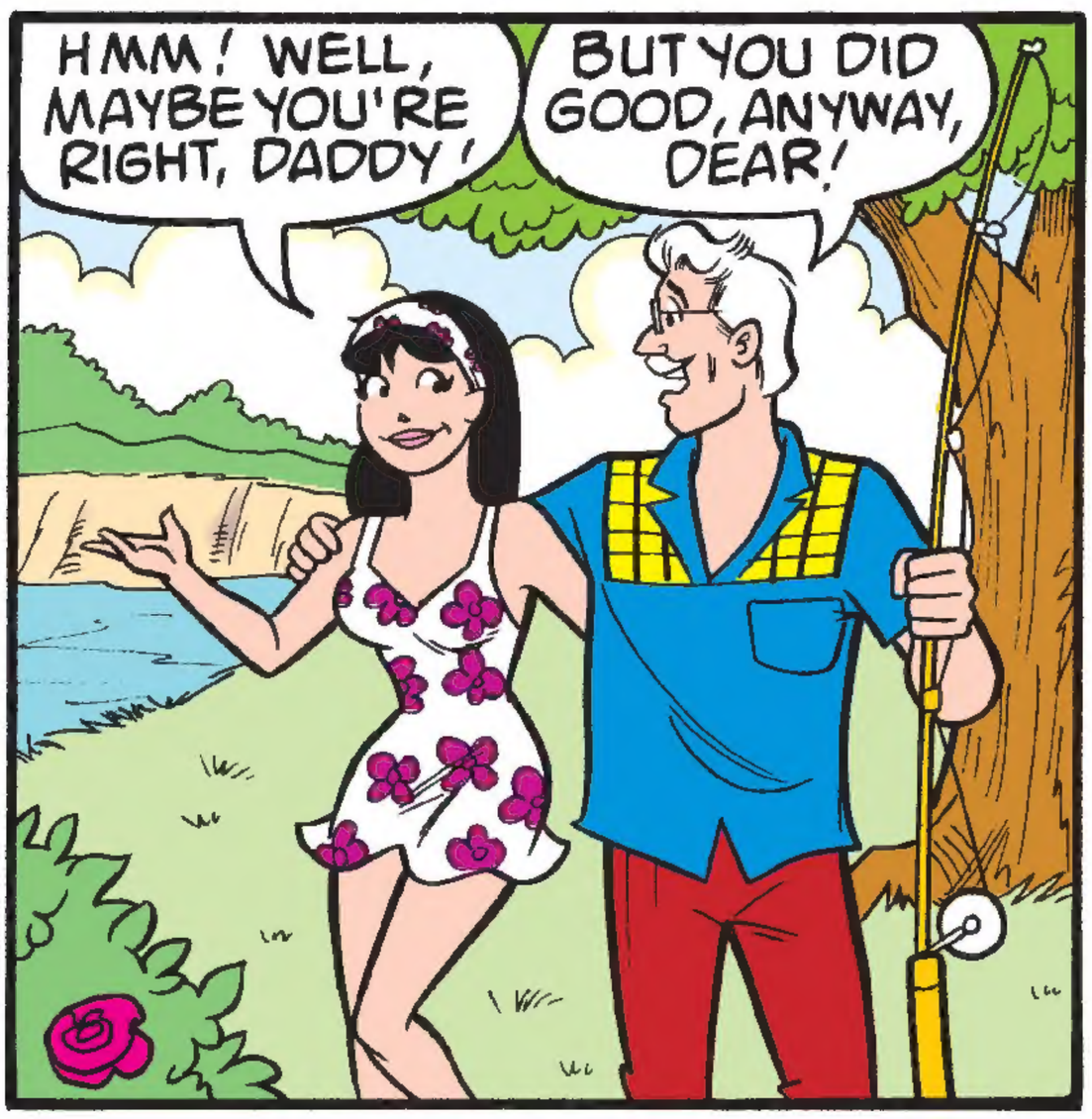
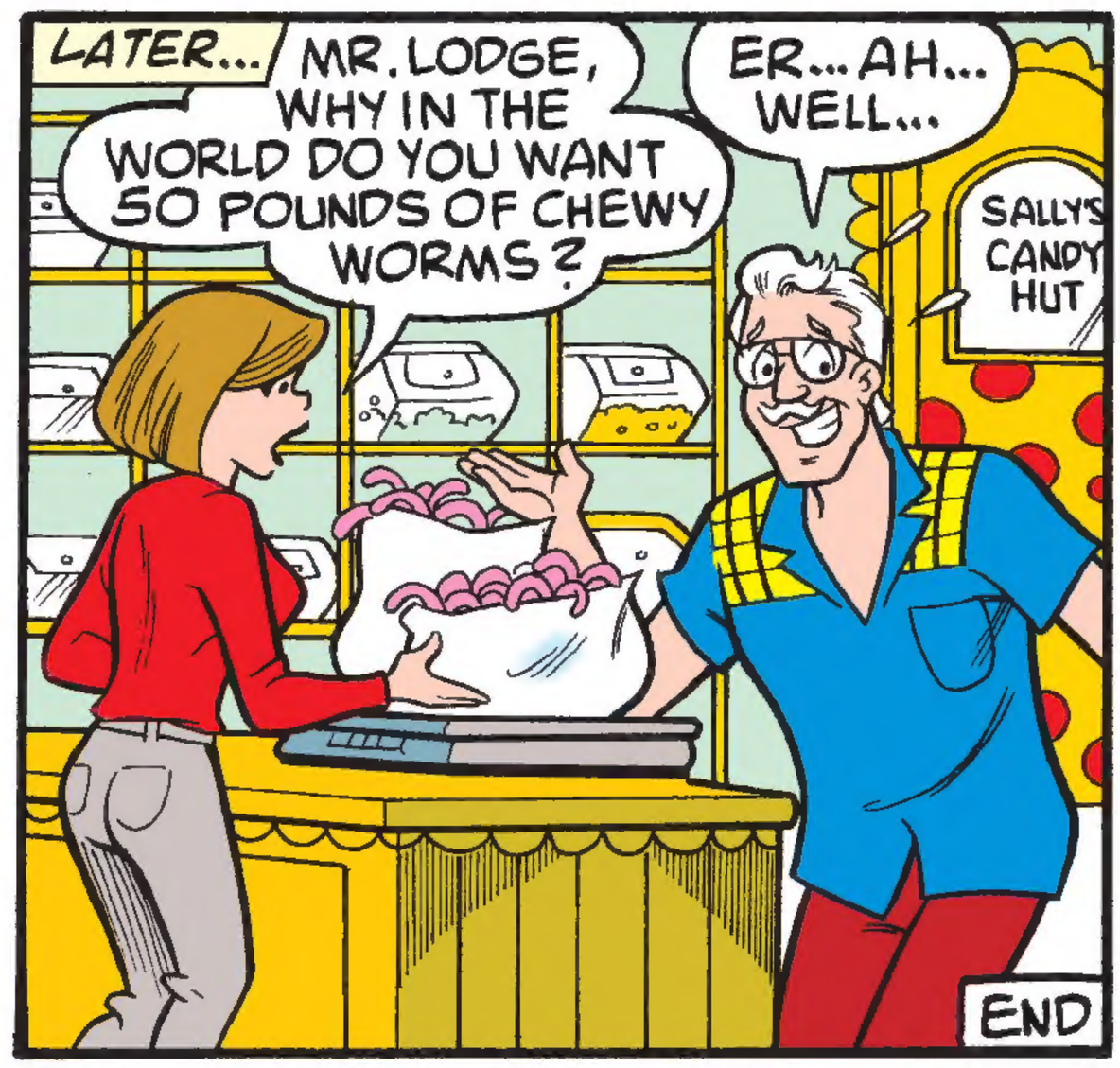

YAWN! OH, I GUESS I DRIFTED OFF! NO FISH TUGGING ON MY LINE, THAT'S FOR SURE!
I CAN'T SAY THE SAME!


GAK! DID YOU CATCH ALL OF THOSE?
YES, SIRREE! ME AND MY CHEWY WORMS!
CHEWY WORMS


WHAT? YOU USED THESE AS BAIT?
YES! AND LOOK HOW THEY WORKED!


HA! THAT'S NOT IT, VERONICA! IT'S JUST A MATTER OF LOCATION!
YOU JUST HAPPENED TO BE SITTING IN THE RIGHT SPOT, THAT'S ALL!


HMM! WELL, MAYBE YOU'RE RIGHT, DADDY!
BUT YOU DID GOOD, ANYWAY, DEAR!


LATER...
MR. LODGE, WHY IN THE WORLD DO YOU WANT 50 POUNDS OF CHEWY WORMS?
ER... AH... WELL...
SALLY'S CANDY HUT
END

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